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## List of Parishes,

IN UNION WITH THE COUNCIL, WITH DATES OF ORIGINAL  
FORMATION AND OF ADMISSION TO THE DIOCESE  
OF MISSOURI OR WEST MISSOURI.

Place.	Parish.	Formed.	Admitted.
Blackburn. . . . .	*CHURCH OF THE MEDIATOR. . . . .	1856	1880
Boonville. . . . .	CHRIST CHURCH. . . . .	1835	1840
Brookfield. . . . .	GRACE. . . . .	1874	1884
Brunswick. . . . .	†ST. PAUL'S. . . . .	1851	1852
Carrollton. . . . .	ST. PAUL'S. . . . .	1870	1873
Carthage. . . . .	GRACE. . . . .	1869	1870
Chillicothe. . . . .	GRACE. . . . .	1858	1859
Fayette. . . . .	ST. MARY'S. . . . .	1836	1847
Independence. . . . .	TRINITY. . . . .	1844	1855
Joplin. . . . .	ST. PHILIP'S . . . . .	1874	1891
Kansas City. . . . .	‡GRACE. . . . .	1870	1871
Kansas City. . . . .	ST. GEORGE'S. . . . .	1891	1891
Kansas City. . . . .	ST. MARK'S. . . . .	1889	1889
Kansas City. . . . .	!ST. MARY'S. . . . .	1857	1858
Kansas City. . . . .	ST. PAUL'S. . . . .	1889	1891
(Westport)			
Kansas City. . . . .	TRINITY. . . . .	1897	1897
Lexington. . . . .	CHRIST CHURCH. . . . .	1844	1846
Maryville. . . . .	ST. PAUL'S. . . . .	1857	1878
Nevada. . . . .	ALL SAINTS'. . . . .	1869	1870
Pleasant Hill. . . . .	CALVARY. . . . .	1868	1868
St. Joseph. . . . .	CHRIST CHURCH. . . . .	1851	1852
St. Joseph. . . . .	HOLY TRINITY. . . . .	1869	1870
Sedalia. . . . .	CALVARY. . . . .	1868	1872
Springfield. . . . .	CHRIST CHURCH. . . . .	1859	1860
Springfield. . . . .	ST. JOHN'S. . . . .	1886	1886
Warrensburg. . . . .	CHRIST CHURCH. . . . .	1859	1868
Weston. . . . .	ST. JOHN'S. . . . .	1851	1852

Number of Parishes in the Diocese, 27.

\*Name changed from "St. Thomas" to "Mediator" in 1880.

†Name changed from "St. Ann's" to "St. Paul's" in 1870.

‡Name changed from "St. Paul's" to "Grace" in 1863.

!Name changed from "St. Luke's" to "St. Mary's" in 1879.

**Organized Missions,**

WITH DATES OF ORIGINAL FORMATION.

Amazonia. . . . .	ST. MATTHEW'S. . . . .	1875
Aurora. . . . .	TRINITY. . . . .	1890
Butler. . . . .	ST. MARK'S. . . . .	1875
Cameron. . . . .	ST. JOHN'S. . . . .	1870
*Clinton. . . . .	ST. PAUL'S. . . . .	1875
Excelsior Springs. . . . .	ST. LUKE'S. . . . .	1905
Hamilton. . . . .	TRINITY. . . . .	1870
Harrisonville. . . . .	ST. PETER'S. . . . .	1871
Holden. . . . .	MOUNT CALVARY. . . . .	1887
Kansas City. . . . .	ST. AUGUSTINE'S. . . . .	1883
†Kansas City. . . . .	ST. JOHN'S. . . . .	1891
Lamar. . . . .	ADVENT. . . . .	1903
Lebanon. . . . .	TRINITY. . . . .	1872
Lee's Summit. . . . .	ST. PAUL'S. . . . .	1872
Liberty. . . . .	GRACE. . . . .	1859
Marshall. . . . .	TRINITY. . . . .	1872
Monett. . . . .	ST. STEPHEN'S. . . . .	1893
Mountain Grove. . . . .	ST. MARK'S. . . . .	1890
Neosho. . . . .	ST. JOHN'S. . . . .	1889
Oswald. . . . .	ST. OSWALD'S. . . . .	1891
Plattsburg. . . . .	ST. MARY'S. . . . .	1874
Rich Hill. . . . .	ST. LUKE'S. . . . .	1887
St. Joseph. . . . .	ST. MATTHIAS'. . . . .	1885
St. Joseph. . . . .	ST. MARK'S. . . . .	1892
†Savannah. . . . .	ST. MARY'S. . . . .	1855
Stanberry. . . . .	TRINITY. . . . .	1902
Sweet Springs. . . . .	ST. JAMES'. . . . .	1888
!Trenton. . . . .	ST. PHILIP'S. . . . .	1893
Utica. . . . .	TRINITY. . . . .	1893
Webb City. . . . .	ST. PAUL'S. . . . .	1900
West Plains. . . . .	ALL SAINTS'. . . . .	1887

\*First organized as "St. Matthew's."

†First organized as "Calvary."

‡First organized as "St. John's."

!First organized as "Christ Church."

||Not in union with Council.

## Unorganized Missions,

WITH DATES OF ORIGINAL FORMATION.

Fordland. . . . .	ST. LUKE'S. . . . .	1901
Higginsville. . . . .	————— . . . . .	1905
Kansas City. . . . .	HOLY SPIRIT. . . . .	—
Kansas City. . . . .	GRACE. . . . .	1890
Lathrop. . . . .	————— . . . . .	1903
Milan. . . . .	————— . . . . .	1903
Platte City. . . . .	ST. THOMAS'. . . . .	1851
Richmond. . . . .	ST. PAUL'S. . . . .	1891
Tipton. . . . .	ST. GEORGE'S. . . . .	1892
Versailles. . . . .	TRINITY. . . . .	1887

**List of the Clergy.**

IN THE ORDER OF THEIR CONTINUOUS RESIDENCE IN THE DIOCESE OF  
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THE RIGHT REVEREND EDWARD ROBERT ATWILL, D. D.,  
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The REV. ROBERT TALBOT. ....	Jan. 22, 1882....	By ordination.
The REV. ASHER P. CROUCH.....	May 1, 1882....	Iowa.
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The REV. ARTHUR M. GRIFFIN.....	Sept. 1, 1906....	Salina.
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The REV. CARL REED TAYLOR.....	May 2, 1907....	Duluth.
The REV. EDWARD S. WILLETT.....	May 4, 1907....	Springfield.



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† Not entitled to a seat and vote.

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**SUMMARY.**

Bishop, 1; Priests, 30: Officiating by Permission, 1; Deacons, 2. Total. 34.

Entitled to a seat and vote.....	24
Candidates for Priests' Orders.....	2
Lay Readers. ....	22

## List of Lay Delegates,

APPOINTED BY PARISHES AND MISSIONS TO THE EIGHTEENTH ANNUAL COUNCIL.

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*Boonville*—CHRIST CHURCH PARISH: George T. Irvine.

*Brookfield*—GRACE PARISH: J. F. Turner, \*M. P. Greenhalgh, \*John McCartney, \*J. F. McElwain.

*Chillicothe*—GRACE PARISH: A. McVey, Dr. L. Tracy, \*R. West, \*S. Nicholas.

*Independence*—TRINITY PARISH: F. C. Florance, \*D. B. Davis, \*W. F. Royster.

*Joplin*—ST. PHILIP'S PARISH: J. E. Cobb, \*Curran C. Spencer.

*Kansas City*—GRACE PARISH: Wm. M. Reid, John F. Eaton, W. C. Goffe, W. H. Chapman, H. D. Ashley.

ST. GEORGE'S PARISH: Dr. V. W. Gayle, A. C. Stowell, John Q. Watkins, Wm. Mendenhall, Geo. Wise, Francis M. Hayward.

ST. MARK'S PARISH: \*Alfred Hamlin, T. C. Bradley, A. D. Johnson, H. E. Hawkins.

ST. MARY'S PARISH: M. G. Harman, E. C. Hamill, \*A. W. Miller, H. S. Allen, Edw. Lowe.

ST. PAUL'S PARISH: W. H. Holmes, \*Egbert Chapman, Phil R. Toll, \*B. B. Lee, \*Edw. George, G. T. Lynn.

TRINITY PARISH: John T. Harding, \*R. W. Cary, C. H. Childs, John Gosling, J. C. Pond.

*Nevada*—ALL SAINTS' PARISH: M. T. Hill, \*Robt. Gabrielson.

*Pleasant Hill*—CALVARY PARISH: \*John Holloway.

*St. Joseph*—CHRIST CHURCH PARISH: Chas. A. Kelly, \*C. L. Holland, \*R. U. Hendrick, \*Louis Motter, F. E. Vancil.

HOLY TRINITY PARISH: Thos. J. Hendra, \*F. W. Archer.

*Sedalia*—CALVARY PARISH: D. H. Smith, \*A. D. Stanley, \*W. J. Maltby.

*Springfield*—CHRIST CHURCH PARISH: David H. Bokhof, \*Jas. Blain, \*G. H. McCann, \*H. Cooper, \*C. P. Ollis.

ST. JOHN'S PARISH: \*J. H. Ashley, Duncan Weeks, \*J. E. Hicks, \*E. L. Richardson.

*Warrensburg*—CHRIST CHURCH PARISH: \*Joseph K. Tuttle.

*Butler*—ST. MARK'S MISSION: \*F. W. Clay.

*Harrisonville*—ST. PETER'S MISSION: \*A. S. Deacon.

*Kansas City*—ST. AUGUSTINE'S MISSION: \*R. T. Coles, W. H. Bonsfield.

ST. JOHN'S MISSION: J. M. Lee, \*B. J. Fradenburg.

*Lee's Summit*—ST. PAUL'S MISSION: \*E. M. Graves.

*Marshall*—TRINITY MISSION: \*F. W. Miles, \*J. H. Boyer.

*Neosho*—ST. JOHN'S MISSION: W. F. Eves.

*West Plains*—ALL SAINTS' MISSION: \*W. W. Mantz, \*W. T. Glerup.

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\*Not present at Council.

## Conborations.

## NORTHERN CONVOCATION.

**The REV. EDWARD HENRY ECKEL, Dean.**

The REV. B. J. BAXTER,

The REV. R. B. EVATT,

The REV. HENRY L. A. FICK.

The REV. EDWARD W. FLOWER.

**The Rev. A. M. GRIFFIN.**

**THE REV. E. J. SAPHIR.**

The REV. ARTHUR W. FARNUM.

## THE COUNTIES OF

Atchison, Holt, Nodaway, Andrew, Worth, Gentry, DeKalb, Buchanan, Clinton, Platte, Clay, Ray, Caldwell, Daviess, Harrison, Mercer, Grundy, Livingston, Carroll, Chariton, Linn, Sullivan, Putnam, and Howard.

NOTE—Counties in *italics* are those in which no church work is being done.

Population. . . . .	579,071
Area in square miles. . . . .	12,617
Parishes. . . . .	9
Organized Missions. . . . .	13
Clergy. . . . .	8
Unorganized Missions. . . . .	7
Communicants (estimated). . . . .	1,154

**CENTRAL CONVOCATION.**

THE REV. ROBERT TALBOT, Dean.  
Kansas City.

**CLERGY.**

The REV. D. G. MACKINNON	The REV. C. R. STEARNS,
The REV. JOHN K. DUNN.	The REV. J. STEWART-SMITH.
The REV. J. A. SCHAAD.	The REV. E. P. CHITTENDEN,
The REV. C. R. TAYLOR,	The REV. F. A. JOSEPH,
The REV. J. D. RITCHEY.	The REV. WM. H. HAUPT.
The REV. E. B. WOODRUFF.	The REV. EDWD. S. WILLETT.

**THE COUNTIES OF**

Jackson, Cass, Bates, Lafayette, Johnson, Henry, *St. Clair*, Saline, Pettis,  
*Benton*, Hickory, Cooper, Moniteau, Morgan, Camden.

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NOTE—Counties in *italics* are those in which no church work is being done.

Population. . . . .	496,955
Area in square miles. . . . .	10,813
Parishes. . . . .	13
Organized Missions. . . . .	12
Unorganized Missions. . . . .	4
Clergy. . . . .	13
Communicants (estimated). . . . .	2,832

SOUTHERN CONVOICATION.

THE REV. CHARLES A. WEED, Dean.

CLERGY.

The REV. CHARLES H. BOHN,	The REV. R. N. SPENCER,
The REV. JOHN R. ATWILL,	The REV. A. R. LLWYD,
The REV. JAMES SENIOR,	The REV. JOHN WILKINSON.

THE COUNTIES OF

Vernon, Barton, Jasper, Newton, *McDonald, Cedar, Dade*, Lawrence, *Barry, Polk, Greene, Christian, Stone, Tancy, Dallas, Webster, Douglas, Ozark, Laclede, Wright* and Howell.

NOTE—Counties in *italics* are those in which no church work is being done.

Population. . . . .	467,798
Area in square miles. . . . .	13,076
Parishes. . . . .	5
Organized Missions. . . . .	7
Unorganized Missions. . . . .	5
Clergy. . . . .	6
Communicants (estimated). . . . .	1,065

## Rules of Order.

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1. When the President takes the chair, no member shall continue standing, or shall afterwards stand up, unless to address the Chair.

2. When the President shall have taken the chair, the minutes of the preceding day shall be read.

3. Immediately after organization of the Council, the following Standing Committees shall be appointed, viz:

- (1) On the Admission of New Parishes.
- (2) On Constitution and Canons.
- (3) On Unfinished Business.
- (4) On Finance.
- (5) On Assessments.
- (6) On Missions.
- (7) On Christian Education.
- (8) On Sunday School Work.
- (9) On Missionaries' Traveling Expenses.
- (10) On the State of the Church.

4. All Committees shall be appointed by the President, unless otherwise ordered.

5. All resolutions shall be reduced to writing, presented to the Secretary, and by him read; and a motion shall not be considered before the house until recorded.

6. When any member is about to speak, or deliver any matter to the house, he shall, with due respect, address himself to the President, confining himself strictly to the point in debate.

7. A member shall not absent himself from the services of the house unless he have leave or be unable to attend.

8. A member other than the Chairman of a Committee, whose report is under consideration, shall not speak more than twice in the same debate, nor longer than ten minutes at a time, without leave of the house.

9. Any member of the house may call for a vote by ayes and nays.

10. When a question has once been determined, it shall stand as the judgment of the house, and shall not be again drawn into debate, except on motion for reconsideration, which must be made by a member who had previously voted in the majority, and all motions to reconsider must be made on the day the vote is taken or on the next succeeding day.

11. When a question is under consideration, a motion shall not be received, except to lay on the table, to postpone it to a certain time, to postpone indefinitely, to commit it, to divide it or amend it; and motions for any of these purposes shall have precedence in the order herein named. If a motion to lay an amendment on the table be carried, the matter before the house shall be proceeded with as if no such amend-



ment had been offered. The motions to lay on the table and adjourn shall be decided without debate. The motion to adjourn shall always be in order.

12. Debate shall not be allowed upon a resolution to refer any motion to a Committee, or to a motion to recommit any subject which has been before a committee, but the member who offers such resolution or motion may speak for five minutes for the purpose of explaining its object.

13. All amendments may be considered in the reverse order in which they are moved. When a proposed amendment is under consideration a motion to amend the same may be made. An after amendment to such second amendment shall not be in order, but when an amendment to an amendment is under consideration, a substitute to the whole may be received. A proposition, different from the one under consideration, shall not be received under color of an amendment or substitute.

14. Every member who may be in the house when any question is put, shall, on a division, be counted, unless he be excused by the Council.

15. All questions of order shall be decided in the first instance by the Chair, without debate; an appeal, however, may be made from this decision to the Council by any member of the same.

16. The Secretary may employ one or more Pages, not exceeding three, to act as messengers during the sessions of the Council.

17. The reports of all Committees shall be in writing, and shall be received, of course, and without motion for acceptance, unless recommitted by vote of the house. All reports recommending or requiring any action or expression of opinion by the house, shall be accompanied by a resolution for the action of the house therein.

18. The names of movers of resolutions shall appear upon the minutes of the Council.

The following Order of Business shall be observed:

10 A. M.—Holy Eucharist and Bishop's Address.

- (1) Roll call of Clergy.
- (2) Roll call of Lay Delegates.
- (3) Election of Secretary.
- (4) Appointment of Standing Committees.
- (5) Report of Committee on Credentials of Lay Delegates.
- (6) Resolutions pertaining to Bishop's Address.
- (7) Report of Committee on Assessment.
- (8) Report of Standing Committee.
- (9) Election of Standing Committee.
- (10) Election of Deputies to General Convention.
- (11) Election of Missionary Board.
- (12) Other Elections.
  - (a) Of Treasurer of the Diocese.
  - (b) Of Chancellor.
  - (c) Of Registrar.
  - (d) Of Trustees of Permanent Episcopal Fund.
  - (e) Of Theological Education Fund.

- (f) Of Trustees of Disabled Clergy Fund.
- (g) To fill vacancies.
- (13) Report of Treasurer of Diocese.
- (14) Report of Treasurer of Missionary Board.
- (15) Pledges for Missions.
- (16) Reports of Treasurers of various funds.
- (17) Reports of Trustees of various funds.
  - (a) Of Permanent Episcopal Fund.
  - (b) Of Theological Education Fund.
  - (c) Of Disabled Clergy Fund.
  - (d) Of Parochial Trust Fund.
  - (e) Of various Funds.
- (18) Reports of Committees appointed at previous Council and Resolutions pertaining to same.
- (19) Reports of Special Committees and Resolutions pertaining to same.
- (20) Reports of Standing Committees and action thereon.
- (21) New Business.
- (22) Fixing place of meeting of next Council.

20. The Rules of Order shall not be suspended, except by a two-thirds vote of the members present.



## Journal.

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### First Day.

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St. Paul's Church, Kansas City, Mo.

Tuesday, May 14, 1907.

This being the place and time appointed for the meeting of the Eighteenth Annual Council of the Diocese of Kansas City, the Right Reverend Edward Robert Atwill, D.D., Bishop of the Diocese and a number of the clergy and laity assembled in St. Paul's Church, Kansas City, Missouri, at 10:30 o'clock a. m. for divine service.

The Holy Communion was celebrated by the Bishop, assisted by the Rector of the Parish, the Rev. J. D. Ritchey. The Epistle was read by the Rev. J. Stewart-Smith, Rector of S. Mary's Church, Kansas City, and the Gospel by the Rev. Robert Talbot, Rector of Trinity Church, Kansas City.

In accordance with the request of Council, the Bishop delivered his Annual Address, as follows:

### THE BISHOP'S ANNUAL ADDRESS.

*Brethren of the Clergy and Laity:*

*Greeting:*—We gather for the first time this year in this new and beautiful House of God, and note as one of the signs of progress the growth and accomplishments of St. Paul's congregation gathered and organized after the organization of the Diocese, but already one of its leading parishes, ever ready to lend a hand in all good works.

We appreciate most heartily the cordial welcome from this child of the Diocese and the bountiful provision for our work and our entertainment. At Christ Church, St. Joseph, last year the Council services were dignified and beautiful with glorious music and careful arrangement of all details. Again this year the opening service is worthy of the occasion grand, solemn, up-

lifting as becomes the assembly of the leaders and workers of this great Diocese gathered to unite in Corporate Communion, to praise God for the encouragements that by His blessings have been vouchsafed us, and to be strengthened for the labors of the year to come.

May this high standard of Council meetings be continued.

I now proceed to lay before you the record of my official services and other acts during the past conciliar year.

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*May 15*—At the Council in Christ church St. Joseph, I celebrated the Holy Communion and delivered my annual address. Presided at the business sessions, and at a missionary meeting in the evening. I made an address.

*May 16*—Presided at the business sessions. Reception at the rectory in the evening. Notice of the deposition of Edward Sturgis, Presbyter by the Bishop of Massachusetts.

*May 17*—At the meeting of the Diocesan Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions, I celebrated the Holy Communion.

*May 19*—Presided at a meeting of the Church Charity Association, convened to consider the appointment of a staff of physicians for St. Luke's Hospital.

*May 22*—At Warrensburg I preached and confirmed one.

*May 27*—In Trinity, Kansas City, I preached in the morning. At a rally of children in the afternoon, I made a brief address, and introduced the Rev. Doctor Duhring. At Cameron, in the evening, I read service and preached.

*May 28*—At a meeting of the Church Club, I made a brief address.

*May 29*—At Christ Church, St. Joseph, I confirmed one.

*May 30*—I licensed Mr. George T. Irvine Lay Reader for Calvary, Sedalia.

*May 31*—I appointed as Executive Committee of the Church Sunday School Institute, Mr. Ben. Howard, Mr. Philip Toll, Mr. S. C. Kniffin, Mr. Ed. Hammil, Mr. T. C. Bradley, Mr. Jay Lee, Mr. Preble Hall.

*June 3*—At West Plains, I celebrated the Holy Communion, preached, addressed the Sunday School and baptized an infant.

*June 7*—I presided at a meeting of the Directors of St. Luke's Hospital and nominated a Staff who were elected by the Board.

*June 10*—At Blackburn, I read service, preached and celebrated the Holy Communion. At Higginsville, I met the people and preached.

*June 12*—At Excelsior Springs, I made calls and prepared for a service the following Sunday. Notice of the deposition of James R. Shaffer, Priest, by the Bishop of Chicago.

*June 17*—At Excelsion Springs I celebrated the Holy Communion in the morning. In the afternoon I read service and preached. At a meeting after service, I organized the mission and named it St. Luke's. I

appointed Mr. A. F. Meservey, Warden; Mr. W. H. Meservey, Jr., Secretary; Mr. Edgar Powell, Treasurer.

*June 18*—I deposed Charles Ferguson, Priest. He was a Presbyterian of the Diocese of Massachusetts who had resided in Kansas City as pastor of a Unitarian congregation for about three years. Although a letter from the Bishop of Massachusetts, and the canons providing for such a case, seemed to give me the authority (Bishop Lawrence having left the country) it was declared by Massachusetts to be a technical error, and he was subsequently deposed by Bishop Lawrence.

*June 24*—At St. Oswald's, I celebrated the Holy Communion, preached, and confirmed two.

*June 25*—At Harrisonville, I preached and confirmed four.

*June 26*—At Butler, I preached and confirmed two.

*July 2*—Leave for summer vacation.

*July 17*—Grant Rev. W. J. Page Letter Dimissory to the Diocese of Alabama.

*September 4*—Accept Letter Dimissory of Rev. Arthur M. Griffin.

*September 23*—At Harrisonville, I celebrated the Holy Communion and preached. Read service and preached in the evening.

*September 30*—At Maryville, I read Morning Prayer and preached.

*October 1*—Confirm a member of St. Augustine's congregation and give him the Holy Communion.

*October 7*—At Savannah, I celebrated the Holy Communion and preached.

*October 9*—I presided at a meeting of the Missionary Board.

*October 14*—I preached in St. Paul's, Toledo, Ohio, in the morning and in Trinity in the evening.

*October 17*—Officiated at a wedding in Kansas City. Met the Vestry of Grace Church to consider their proposition to make that Church the Cathedral.

*October 19-20*—In attendance upon the Missionary Conference in Minneapolis, Minnesota.

*October 21*—Preached at Christ Church, St. Paul, in the morning, and at St. Mark's, Minneapolis, in the evening.

*October 28*—Read service and preached in Grace Church, Kansas City.

*October 30*—Convocation at Carthage. Take part.

*October 31*—Address the Clergy during a Quiet Hour.

*November 1*—Holy Communion at Grace Church, Kansas City.

*November 4*—Celebrated the Holy Communion twice in Grace Church, Kansas City. Preached once. Read Evening Prayer.

*November 5*—At Brunswick, I celebrated the Holy Communion and baptized two infants.

*November 9*—Meeting of the Missionary Board.

*November 11*—At Weston, I read service and preached. Decided not to sell the church.

*November 12*—Notice of the deposition of William Henry Bates, Priest, by the Bishop of New Hampshire.

Notice of the deposition of Michael Arthur Martin, Priest, by the Bishop of South Dakota.

*November 13*—At Sedalia, I confirmed three, and made an address on Missions.

*November 17*—At Chillicothe, I preached, celebrated the Holy Communion, delivered an address on Missions, confirmed seven and addressed them.

*November 25*—At Neosho, I celebrated the Holy Communion, preached, baptized two.

*November 26*—At Springfield, I conferred with the Warden of St. John's about candidates for the Rectorate.

*November 28*—At Carthage, I confirmed two

*November 29*—At Carthage, I preached, confirmed nine and addressed them.

*December 2*—At St. John's, Kansas City, I celebrated the Holy Communion and preached.

At St. George's, I preached and confirmed one.

*December 4*—At Butler, I preached and confirmed one.

Notice of the deposition of Archibald Lawrence Van Antwerp, Priest, by the Bishop of Iowa.

*December 5*—At Harrisonville, I preached, confirmed one in private, three in public, and addressed them.

*December 9*—At St. John's, Springfield, I took the early celebration, took part in the service and preached in the evening.

At Christ Church, I celebrated the Holy Communion, preached, confirmed seven and addressed them.

*December 10*—Explored Bolivar, and found eight Episcopalians.

Notice of the deposition of Joseph Russell Clarkson by the Bishop of Nebraska.

*December 11*—At West Plains, I read service and preached. Presided at a parish meeting. Appoint Mr. W. F. Gleerup Lay Reader.

*December 12*—At Mountain Grove, I read service and preached.

*December 15*—Notice of the deposition of David Louis Schwartz, Priest, by the Bishop of New Jersey, also of Francis H. Chetwood by the same Bishop.

*December 16*—At St. Paul's, Kansas City, I preached, confirmed fourteen and addressed them.

At St. John's, Kansas City, I read service, preached and presided at a parish meeting. Canvass to be made for the salary of a clergyman.

*December 17*—Notices of the deposition of William Sturtevant Rafter, Priest, Frank Edward Marshall, Priest, and Stan Hoyt Nichols, Deacon, by the Bishop of Connecticut.

Notice of the deposition of Joseph G. Bryant (colored), Priest, by the Bishop of Washington.

*December 22*—Officiate at a funeral in Kansas City.

*December 30*—Preach in Marshall and Lexington.

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*January 1*—At St. Mark's, Kansas City, I celebrated the Holy Communion and confirmed one.

Notice of the deposition of Henry Chapin Granger, Priest, by the Bishop of Chicago.

*January 6*—In Grace Church, Kansas City. I instituted the Reverend Julius A. Schaad, and preached.

In Trinity Church, I preached and confirmed two.

*January 8*—I presided at a meeting of the Directors of St. Luke's Hospital.

*January 13*—In Webb City, I celebrated the Holy Communion and preached.

In St. Philip's, Joplin, I preached and confirmed two.

*January 15*—Attended a reception for Rev. J. A. Schaad, in Grace Church, Guild Hall.

*January 16*—Addressed the Auxiliary of St. Mark's, Kansas City.

*January 18*—At Fayette, I preached and confirmed one.

*January 20*—In Boonville, I preached twice, confirmed three and addressed them. In the afternoon I addressed the boys of the State Reform School.

*January 24*—Investigate some difficulties in St. Augustine's Mission. Confer with certain clergy about the Hospital.

*January 27*—At Cameron, I celebrated the Holy Communion and preached. In the evening read service and preached.

*January 31*—Meeting of the Diocesan Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions in St. John's, Kansas City. I celebrated the Holy Communion.

*February 2*—Notice of the deposition of Frederick Ebenezer John Lloyd by the Bishop of Pittsburgh.

*February 3*—At Neosho, I celebrated the Holy Communion and preached. Baptized one. Read service and preached in the evening.

*February 8*—At Carthage, I preached one of a course of Lent sermons.

*February 10*—At Maryville, I celebrated the Holy Communion, preached and confirmed three.

In the afternoon, I preached at Stanberry.

*February 13*—At Carrollton, I celebrated the Holy Communion and preached. Baptized and confirmed one.

*February 17*—At Lamar, I celebrated the Holy Communion, preached and confirmed two.

In the evening at Webb City, I read service and preached.

*March 3*—At Brookfield, I baptized an infant, celebrated the Holy Communion and preached. In the evening, I preached at Chillicothe, confirmed six and addressed them.

*March 8*—At Trinity, Kansas City, I baptized an adult, read service and confirmed one.

*March 10*—At Trinity, Kansas City, I took the early Celebration. At midday, read service and preached.

At St. Mark's, Kansas City, I preached, confirmed seven and addressed them.

*March 17*—At Trenton, I celebrated the Holy Communion and preached. In the afternoon I read service and preached.

*March 21*—At Clinton, I preached, confirmed seven and addressed them.



*March 22*—At Marshall, I preached, confirmed four and addressed them.

*March 24*—At Grace Church, Kansas City, I celebrated the Holy Communion, preached, confirmed twenty-five and addressed them.

At St. George's, I preached, confirmed twelve and addressed them.

*March 26*—At Cameron, I preached, baptized one, confirmed three.

*March 28*—At Excelsior Springs, I celebrated the Holy Communion.

*March 29*—At Lexington, I preached, confirmed three and addressed them.

*March 31*—At St. John's, Kansas City, I celebrated the Holy Communion and preached.

*April 1*—At Neosho, I preached, baptized one, confirmed four and addressed them.

*April 2*—At Neosho, I celebrated the Holy Communion.

*April 5*—At Versailles, I baptized two, read service and preached; officiated at a wedding.

*April 7*—At Trinity, Kansas City, I preached, confirmed twelve and addressed them.

At St. Mary's, I preached, confirmed eight and addressed them.

*April 6*—At Versailles, I celebrated the Holy Communion. Made calls at Tipton.

*April 8*—At Excelsior Springs, I made calls and left Prayer Books preparatory to a service.

*April 9*—I presided at a meeting of the Directors of St. Luke's Hospital.

*April 10*—I made an address to the Auxiliary of St. Mark's, Kansas City. Met and conferred with people from Independence.

*April 12*—Visit Weston to note damage done to the church by a tornado, and confer with the people. We decided to repair the building, open a Sunday School and try to build up a congregation.

In the evening, I preached at Savannah and made an address.

*April 13*—Visited Maryville.

*April 14*—At Christ Church, St. Joseph, I addressed the Sunday School, the Infant Class and Confirmation Class; preached and confirmed twenty-nine.

*April 14*—At Holy Trinity, St. Joseph, I preached, and met the Vestry.

*April 17*—At Monett, I preached, confirmed three, and addressed them.

*April 18*—I preached at Aurora. Notice of the deposition of W. F. Mears, Priest, by the Bishop-Coadjutor of New York.

*April 19*—At Lebanon, I preached, confirmed five, and addressed them.

*April 21*—At St. John's, Springfield, I preached, confirmed twenty-one, and addressed them. In the evening, I preached at Christ church.

*April 23*—Met the people at Weston.

*April 24*—At Lexington, I officiated and met the congregation. Appointed committee to canvass for salary of rector.

*April 28*—At Carthage, I preached and confirmed two.

At Joplin, I preached, confirmed six, and addressed them.

*April 29*—At Monett, I confirmed one.

*April 30*—Made calls at Nevada.

*May 5*—At St. Matthias, St. Joseph, I celebrated the Holy Communion and preached.

*May 5*—At St. Luke's, St. Joseph, I preached, confirmed eight and administered them.

### **Candidates for Holy Orders.**

Mr. Douglass Henry Atwill, admitted June 17th, 1904.

Mr. Henry Ewing Batcheller, admitted November 26th, 1902.

### **Changes in the Clergy List.**

Rev. Arthur M. Griffin has been received from the Missionary District of Salina.

Rev. James Senior has been received from the Diocese of Nebraska.

Rev. Benjamin J. Baxter has been received from the Diocese of Michigan.

Rev. Charles H. Bohn has been received from the Diocese of Iowa.

Rev. Robert N. Spencer has been received from the Diocese of Kansas.

Rev. Carl Reed Taylor has been received from the Missionary District of Duluth.

Rev. Robert B. Evatt has been received by ordination.

Rev. Edward S. Willett has been received from Diocese of Springfield.

Rev. Emil U. Brun has been dismissed to the Diocese of Louisiana.

Rev. Everett J. Couper has been dismissed to the Missionary District of Spokane.

Rev. R. A. Heath has been dismissed to Rupert's Land.

Rev. Edmund Arbuthnot Neville has been dismissed to the Diocese of Indianapolis.

Rev. Theodore B. Foster has been dismissed to the Diocese of Chicago.

Rev. James Henry Barnard has been dismissed to the Diocese of Connecticut.

Rev. W. J. Page has been dismissed to the Diocese of Alabama.

### Deaconesses.

It has been a pleasure to welcome to the Diocese two Deaconesses.

Deaconess George.

Deaconess Hyde.

Both working in Christ Church Parish, St Joseph. I trust ere long there will be trained women at work in each of our larger Parishes. In visiting, teaching, ministering to the poor and the sick they are invaluable aids.

We record with sorrow the death of our Chancellor, Mr. Wallace Pratt, who was appointed to succeed Mr. Gardiner Lathrop in 1891, and held the office until his death. He was a staunch churchman, a gentleman and a good friend. He served for many years as a Vestryman of Grace Church, Kansas City, and as Chancellor he was always courteous and interested, ready to lay aside other business for that of the Diocese, placing all the resources of his office at our disposal.

Before passing on to the consideration of such matters as require our further attention we pause to commemorate in a few words as is our custom the Bishops who have since our previous Council passed from the field of their earthly labors nearer to the presence of their Lord.

The Right Reverend Isaac Lea Nicholson, Bishop of Milwaukee, died October 29th, 1906. He was a good man who loved the Church and gave himself wholly to it. He told me on one occasion that he would not take a vacation, but preferred to work on, assured that the Lord would give him to labor until his work was done. On another occasion in a strange city I happened upon him in an empty Church on his knees engaged in prayer. He said afterwards, I think, that it was his birthday and that he was praying that the Lord would forgive his shortcomings and make him more worthy. Such was the man, strong in faith, strong in character, humble but brave.

The Rev. Samuel I. J. Schereschewsky, retired Bishop of China, died October 15th, 1906. Long shut in from active service he devoted himself to the translation of the Bible in the Chinese tongue. His devotion to this one thing that he could do for the extension of the Kingdom of his Lord was a stimulating example. When the poor hands were too crippled to control the typewriter he painfully with a bit of stick pushed down the keys one by one.

And so like the Venerable Bede who died while engaged in translating the Gospel of St. John, this venerable man went to his reward.

The Right Reverend George Franklin Seymour, D.D., L.L.D., D.C.L., died during the past year. The Church had no more loyal son and defender than was he. Trumpet-tongued he spake with no uncertain sound. I first knew him in my boyhood when he came, a slender, pale-faced, brown-bearded young man, to Annandale, to assist Mr. John Bard in founding St. Stevens College. I recall the fire and eloquence of his sermons in the little chapel, and I remember when he took me into his library how I was impressed by the immense volumes of the writings of the fathers, and the immense array of books, doctrinal, historical and devotional, rising shelf above shelf to the ceiling. And he knew them all. He was the peer of the best informed in accurate historical knowledge and in clear apprehension of the doctrines of the Church. He was ever a true friend whom I loved for his worth. He called my dear mother Saint Margaret and I loved him for that. May light perpetual shine upon him and the other heroes who have fallen or rather risen to a higher estate during the past year and may we be incited to follow them in all good works.

### **Diocesan Conditions.**

Prosperity, material prosperity abounds within our borders. The indications are forced upon our attention by the erection of splendid public buildings by the growth of business, by the rise of new and beautiful homes, by the reports of the value of the products of our mines, our farms and our orchards. The sister cities St. Joseph and Kansas City on opposite sides of the river, but participating together in the wealth of this wonderful region and colleagues in developing its business, rejoice in each other's prosperity and together promote the glory of their state.

But while prosperity abounds in the cities and on the farms, bills abound in the families of some of the clergy. It costs more to live decently and respectably than it cost during the last decade of the nineteenth century. I do not speak at random. A careful comparison of statistics recently made covering the cost of two hundred and fifty-eight commodities at wholesale showed that the prices of last year were thirty-six and five-tenths per cent. higher than those of 1897, and twenty-two and four-tenths per cent.

higher than average prices during the ten years from 1890 to 1899. If this be true of the wholesale prices, what must be the increased cost at retail? What is it, when with salary in arrears the clergyman must ask for credit? But there is no proportionate increase in clerical salaries. In some instances they are less than they were ten or fifteen years ago. The clergyman can not buy the books he needs and without books he can not grow in mind or produce the able sermons that the congregations demand. He is unable to appear respectably clothed. He is worried and weary.

Now there are instances when we expect self-sacrifice of the clergy. When they go out to minister to the heathen, or down among the poor, then they should not measure their fidelity by the income it brings. And no body of men put to the test endure so cheerfully. But here in Missouri among prosperous people it should not be so.

The clergyman's home should enjoy the general prosperity, and if bread and beef cost him more he should have more money in his pocket.

Furthermore, we want to retain the body of clergy we have (and I know none better) and we want more of the same sort. But why should a man who has a good field of labor in Colorado or Ohio, come to Missouri at a financial sacrifice. No, my brethren of the Laity, it is not right that the minister should be the one in the Parish or Mission who bears a burden of sacrifice for the work of the Church, out of all proportion with that borne by his people.

In many of our congregations there is encouraging activity, and there are larger gifts for missions. The Holy Trinity, St. Joseph, has taken all the canonical collections and has adopted the following resolution: Resolved; That any gift, donation or offering, given into the care of this Vestry to be held in trust by them for a specific purpose, shall not be borrowed, used or diverted to any other purpose without the consent of the donor.

In passing this resolution they have only put into formal words the duty incumbent upon any Vestry. But when the pinch comes, when there is no money in the general fund, and a coal bill is due or the Rector's salary, that offering for Missions stored away in the bank looks too inviting. We will just borrow it they say. It is so much easier to do that than to go out in the Parish and get the money. And so the sacred offerings of

the people given in response to Rector's appeal are used for current expenses. Of course, the intention is to pay them back, and they are usually repaid, but the point is that they should not be delayed and endangered by being diverted even for months.

St. John's, Neosho, where two young laymen carry on the services, the Sunday School, and other branches of Church work, is developing new life, has paid the apportionments for General and Diocesan Missions and is in a most satisfactory condition.

West Plains also under a lay reader and another excellent layman is doing exceedingly well.

The Rector of Christ Church, St. Joseph, backed by a noble body of laymen, appreciates the importance of extending the Church as the city extends by planting new centers at far-away points.

Grace Church, Kansas City, under its new Rector, has not had a fair opportunity on account of his ill health, which we deplore, to show what it can do under his wise management, but enough has been accomplished to encourage us to anticipate much growth and activity in the future.

Christ Church Parish, Boonville, among other good indications, is giving for Missions as it did not in the past.

All of the new clergy who have come to us during the past year have inspired their congregations with new confidence and enthusiasm.

Two new Missions have been organized; St. Luke's, Excelsior Springs, is one, and I beg those who visit that resort to assist me in securing a fund for the purchase of a lot and the erection of a chapel. The people there will contribute, but are not able to accomplish this desirable result alone.

St. Luke's, St. Joseph, is a very active and generous daughter, an example to her older sisters in the multiplicity of work she has undertaken.

The foundations of a stone church to cost about \$25,000 are laid in Joplin and all bills are paid.

St. George's, Kansas City, driven to seek a new location, have purchased a beautiful lot on the Paseo.

The Kansas City Parishes are all in excellent condition. St. Mark's and St. George's have active chapters of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew and I hope for a revival of this order in all our Parishes. The young men are much benefited by the work they

do as members of the Brotherhood, and they are invaluable helpers to the Rector.

I am informed that St. George's and St. Paul's Parishes are willing cheerfully to accept the same apportionment for Diocesan Missions that they had last year, or to make pledges for that amount. So many have objected to the apportionment plan that I think it will be wiser to raise the amount needed by pledges. An opportunity will be given to make pledges this evening and I hope they may amount to not less than \$4,500. That is the minimum sum needed to meet the demands of our Missionary field. Forty-eight points need assistance. We must send men who will not only hold our faithful few, but who will take leading places in the towns where they go. Our Archdeacon, constrained by the call of other duty, stepped down from his high and responsible post to Parochial work, and we do not propose in the near future to appoint a successor.

Our plan is to place strong men at central points hoping to develop more self supporting congregations and to supply contiguous points from these centers. We do need, however, an itinerant missionary who will care for ten or twelve points not easily reached from any center and not strong enough to contribute much—such places for example as Richmond, Carrollton, Brunswick, Higginsville, Sweet Springs, Versailles, Weston, Milan, Marceline, Windsor and Schell City.

We trust that the especial fund of \$600, pledged by the Church Club and others for the Archdeacon, will be continued for the itinerant missionary, and that at least four thousand five hundred dollars will be pledged for Diocesan Missions tonight.

### **Vestries and Committees of Missions.**

Under our Canon, Vestries are "to attend to and regulate with business-like exactness and promptitude all the temporal concerns of the Parish." But frequently Vestrymen who as bank directors, or members of any body involving business interests, are alert and painstaking, become lax and inactive in the management of the affairs of the Parish. They suffer the income to decline because they will not make a thorough effort to gather subscriptions, and to collect the revenue. Other Parochial matters are neglected. Men who will themselves contribute generously to a fund for political purposes, for the improvement of their

town, for better transportation facilities, or the like, refuse to give generously for the provision of such things as are needed for the work of the Living God.

But the Canon further commands as follows: "It is hereby declared to be the duty of all persons who may be honored by their fellow Parishioners with the office of Vestrymen, and who thus become representatives of the Parish, to faithfully endeavor to be worthy exemplars in all Parish work and duty, and in attendance upon the services of the Church." They are to set the example of generous giving, they are to be ready to give time and labor for the Church, not surrendering to the women the work of raising funds, not reserving to themselves only the easy duty of disbursing them. And they are to set the example of Church attendance.

This is not only their duty to God. It is one of the duties of their office. They belong in the pews as the Rector belongs in the chancel. His appeals to the young men to attend divine service will avail little unless the official representatives of the congregation do their duty. His courage will fail if his official cabinet do not second his efforts. The captain will make sorry work of sailing the ship if the first officer, the second officer, the helmsman and the rest leave him to do it alone.

Having been moved to this exhortation by the neglect of duty evident here and there, I desire before I pass on, to pay my tribute to the great body of faithful churchmen who serving on Vestries and Committees of Missions are giving time and money generously to the work of the Lord, who not presuming to dictate to the clergy over them in matters that belong to the clergy chiefly, are their council of advice, their upholders and backers, their defenders against carping critics and who make common cause with them in planning and working for the prosperity of their portion of the Kingdom of the Lord.

### **St. Luke's Hospital.**

This is an institution under the direction of the Church Charity Association of Kansas City, Missouri. "The object of this Association is to conduct a charity and pay hospital, an orphan asylum and other enterprises of public benevolence and charity—to provide for and maintain said hospital, and other charities, and to furnish gratuitous medical and surgical aid to



such poor, sick, indigent and distressed persons as may under the directions to be prescribed by the Board of Directors, become inmates of the Hospital."

Another kindred object is to train professional nurses and to confer upon such nurses Certificates of Proficiency. All sums received from pay patients are to be expended for the support and extension of the Hospital

While this corporation is under an old charter, denominated the "Church Charity Association of Kansas City," its membership is not limited to citizens of Kansas City, but any one in any part of the Diocese may become a member by paying the membership fee of five dollars and we desire a representation from every congregation in the Diocese. The aim is to make St. Luke's a Diocesan institution. Its advantages, and free charity care are open to patients from all our cities and towns.

We have a valuable property worth about \$30,000, conveniently located in a quiet part of the city. Our bonded indebtedness is a little over \$16,000, which we have agreed to pay in yearly installments of \$2,000, and we appeal to the men and women of the Diocese to help us maintain and expand this work. Our amount of charitable work done there will depend in a large degree upon the amount of money placed in our hands by you. It is an object worthy indeed of the consideration of those who are making their wills. If you have already made your will add a codicil placing a portion of your property in this Hospital where your benefaction will continue to comfort the poor and the sick who in years and years to come shall pass its portals to find relief at the hands of gentle nurses and skilled physicians.

The interest in the Hospital is growing, as is evidenced partly by the formation of a club of young ladies who recently with the assistance of Mrs. ——— gave a fascinating entertainment, netting \$525 toward to the furnishing of a Children's Ward.

Reports have in the past been circulated to the discredit of the Hospital, but it has lived them down, and one or two disadvantageous conditions incidental to its feeble beginning and the inexperience of some of us in this sort of work have been remedied so effectually that it is now pronounced by the doctors the best Hospital in the city.

### **The Episcopal Residence.**

About \$2,000 was raised in 1905-6 for the purchase of a Bishop's house. Nearly one-half of this amount was given in notes now overdue, but uncollected. The givers of these notes are anxious to pay, but are in doubt as to the proper course. We should at least appoint a Committee with authority to collect the amount already pledged and to superintend its investment.

Furthermore, if the voluntary interest expressed in the matter is any guide, a systematic effort would have good prospect of success at the present time, and the purchase of such a residence would be equivalent to a partial endowment of the Diocese for all the years to come.

It should not be undertaken in any sense as a courtesy or gift to the present Bishop, but as the acquirement of an essential part of our Diocesan equipment.

The Diocesan Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions continues to grow and to multiply its offerings for General Missions, for special work in foreign fields and for our own Diocesan Missions where their gifts have helped to keep many Church doors open, have assisted struggling congregations to free themselves from debt, have cheered Missionaries on their way, and have driven despairing thoughts from the Bishop's mind.

In 1893 the Auxiliary reported \$1,423.81 in money and boxes. In 1906 they reported \$3,763.66.

We want a Branch in every congregation if they only meet as a Missionary Club to receive, read and distribute Missionary Literature.

### **The General Convention in Richmond.**

While the nation is celebrating the three hundredth anniversary of the landing of the first permanent colony upon these shores, we propose to celebrate because they were Churchmen; we remember Chaplain Hunt and his congregation gathered for worship under the sail that they brought from the ship. In their first Communion, we see the founding of our Church in America. Beginning there our minds traverse the course of that Church through those centuries, unorganized, Bishopless for many years, emerging after the revolution Americanized, in danger for a time of division because of the misunderstandings between New

England Churchmen and Philadelphia and New York Churchmen, then all standing shoulder to shoulder, living down the reputation of tories, awakening to the Missionary spirit and Missionary energy, growing in influence far beyond its numerical strength, extending its borders, planting the cross in foreign lands.

For all these and other sacred memories we will thank God and take courage.

Important measures will doubtless come before that Convention. The Canon concerning marriage and divorce, now quite vague, will no doubt be revised.

I am heartily in favor of the establishment of a Court of Appeal giving to the clergy and lay people of the Church the same protection against the possible errors of Ecclesiastical Courts that guard them as citizens of the Republic from the errors of Civil Courts. Our Courts of review as now established can not take cognizance of questions of doctrine; but in our day when discredit is thrown upon the ancient standards of doctrine, when those who deny or explain away important articles of even the Apostles Creed declare that they have not gone beyond the limits of Loyal Churchmanship, when it is asserted that the ultimate test of doctrine is the conclusion of the individual mind, then the exercise of discipline becomes more difficult and we need a body empowered and competent to decide what is and what is not the faith once delivered to the Saints, and what is an offense against the truth the Church is commissioned to defend.

The Negro Question, as it is called—should receive careful consideration by our General Convention as no doubt it will.

It has been suggested that probably resolutions making possible the translation of Diocesan Bishops may be introduced. At present Bishops of Missionary Districts are eligible for translation after five years from the date of their consecration. A Diocesan Bishop may not be translated to another See. My own impressions are against even permission for the translation of Missionary Bishops. When a Bishop holds office for life unless permitted by the House of Bishops to resign or unless deposed, Conventions and Councils will exercise more care in the election of Bishops. Permanence in the office is good both for the Bishop and the See over which he presides. Plans for work are undisturbed by desire or anticipation of change.

Differences that might impel to separation were it possible are modified when both parties know that they must continue

to work on together. The Bishop is disturbed by no longings for more inviting fields. The people and the clergy can not fret him by incitements to give place to a man more to their taste

### **"The Unwritten Law."**

This is a matter that may not receive attention by our General Convention, but I desire here to record my denunciation of the taking human life without due process of law, in retaliation even for the most grievous offense. The state alone has the right to decide when a man shall forfeit his life. The individual, enraged by supposed wrong, is not competent to form an opinion, or to weigh evidence. A man in his calmest moments may entirely misjudge another, and he who follows another to slay him is an anachronism. His act belongs to a past and savage age.

One indeed almost despairs of justice sometimes in the Courts, when those guilty of a revolting and desperate crime escape punishment through the technicalities and tricks of appealing advocates. Nevertheless, the remedy is not another crime but the reformation of procedure in our criminal courts. A sound public opinion, demanding that the defense of a criminal shall not go beyond such presentation of his case as will secure his acquittal if he is innocent, will deprive the avenger of blood and of honor, of all excuse to go forth upon his own account. Toward the formation of such opinion I lift my voice against this disgrace upon our state.

I again remind the clergy of the Diocese of the importance of seeking out suitable young men for the work of the ministry. Call the attention of the boys and young men to the dignity and nobility of our profession, remind them of the blessed privilege of spending one's life in doing good, in giving to some portion at least of society the uplift it needs so much in our day, in being stewards of the divine mysteries, in being the instruments God uses to bring to bear upon human lives divine power. Tell them that a clergyman having nothing yet possesses all things. I have reminded the Laity of their duty to provide for the temporal needs of the clergy, and so they should, but the clergyman has that which is far better than abundance of money—the privilege of ministering at God's Holy Altar, the close and sweet relations that subsist between him and some soul that he has called out of sin to the life of faith and obedience, or some whom he has re-

freshed with holy comfort in the dark hours of their sorrow, or some with whom he has gone over the perplexities known only to him and them and whom he has guided out of the wilderness to the path that leads Heavenward. Let your own consecrated manhood speak to the young men of the goodness of your profession and now and then you will win one to enter upon it.

### **The Sunday Lay Movement.**

This originated in England. In July, 1901, seventy Lay members had joined. In December, 1906, 33,000 members had joined. An American society of the same sort is growing rapidly. The resolution which is common to the American and the English movement is as follows: "Believing as we do that the great principles, the due observance of Sunday, are public worship and rest, we resolve to do all that we can to discourage, as far as possible, such employments on Sunday as would prevent ourselves, our servants, or others for whom we are responsible, from being able to carry out these principles."

The Lord's Day is the well spring of Christianity. The soul can not go on indefinitely without rest from worldly care and pleasure and refreshing drafts from the wells of God. Unless the secularization of the Lord's Day is stopped religion will not long sanctify our people, and when religion departs from the land its doom is not far off. I commend this movement to you and would be glad to have a committee appointed to keep in touch with it and to form in this Diocese a Society for the Better Observance of the Lord's Day.

### **Peace.**

The second Peace Conference of the nations will meet at the Hague in June. I am not sanguine in the anticipation of immediate and prolonged peace throughout the world. But it is eminently proper that this Church should encourage by its moral influence this effort to promote arbitration so far as possible in place of the horrors of war, and to take its stand on the side of the "cause of international justice and fraternity." I suggest the appointment of a committee to take up this matter and if it seem expedient to report a resolution for the consideration of this Council.

And now, brethren, I commend you anew to the guidance of the Holy Spirit. May He in all things direct and rule our hearts and minds, reviving in us a deeper sense of our solemn responsibility and precious privileges, and inciting us to undertake greater things for the Church of God.

### **The Men's Missionary Thank Offering.**

Thirteen years before the Pilgrims landed in New England our Church was established at Jamestown, bringing hither the King James translation of the Holy Scriptures, the Prayer Book and the Apostolic Church free from the barnacles of error that had through the ages grown upon it and that clung to it until the Reformation swept them off.

It is proposed to celebrate the three hundredth anniversary of the establishment of this the mother of the Christianity of America by an offering in which every Churchman in America shall have a part. This is to be actually not a Churchwoman's, but a Churchman's offering. I earnestly desire that the name of every Churchman in this Diocese shall appear upon the list of contributors. It will be an everlasting disgrace should we fail. We need not fail. Large offerings are not asked, but we want every man's offering. Now this object will not be attained unless we go about the matter energetically and systematically. Our Central Committee must act promptly, and secure the appointment of subcommittees of Laymen in each congregation, large and small. These local committees must approach every man in their various congregations, asking him for half a dollar or as much more as he is willing to give. I beg of you, brethren, to take this up at once, and I beg the clergy to give it their attention and guidance. Let us not timorously and shamefully hesitate lest our home work suffer by the small per capita offering sought for. Let us have faith in the promise of our Lord that abundant blessing shall come to those who give in His name and for His sake.

My official acts for the year are as follows:

Visitations. . . . .	91
Services. . . . .	122
Baptisms, adults. . . . .	4
Baptisms, infants. . . . .	8
Confirmed. . . . .	246
Celebrations of the Holy Communion. . . . .	32
Marriages. . . . .	3
Ordained, Deacon. . . . .	1

CONFIRMATIONS.

May 22, Warrensburg. . . . .	1
May 29, Christ Church, St. Joseph.....	1
June 24, St. Oswald's. . . . .	2
June 25, Harrisonville. . . . .	4
June 26, Butler. . . . .	2
October 1, for St. Augustine's (private).....	1
November 13, Sedalia. . . . .	3
November 18, Chillicothe. . . . .	7
November 28, Carthage. . . . .	1
November 29, Carthage. . . . .	9
December 2, St. George's, Kansas City.....	1
December 4, Butler. . . . .	1
December 5, Harrisonville. . . . .	4
December 9, Christ Church, Springfield.....	7
December 16, St. Paul's, Kansas City.....	14

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January 1, St. Mark's, Kansas City.....	1
January 6, Trinity, Kansas City.....	2
January 13, Joplin. . . . .	2
January 18, Fayette. . . . .	1
January 20, Boonville. . . . .	3
February 10, Maryville. . . . .	3
February 13, Carrollton. . . . .	1
February 17, Lamar. . . . .	2
March 3, Chillicothe. . . . .	6
March 8, Trinity, Kansas City.....	1
March 10, St. Mark's, Kansas City.....	7
March 21, Clinton. . . . .	7
March 22, Marshall. . . . .	4
March 24, Grace Church, Kansas City.....	25
March 24, St. George's, Kansas City.....	12
March 26, Cameron. . . . .	3
March 29, Lexington. . . . .	3
April 1, Neosho. . . . .	4
April 7, Trinity, Kansas City.....	12
April 7, St. Mary's, Kansas City.....	8
April 14, Christ Church, St. Joseph.....	29
April 17, Monett. . . . .	3
April 19, Lebanon. . . . .	5
April 21, St. John's, Springfield.....	21
April 28, Carthage. . . . .	2
April 28, Joplin. . . . .	6
April 29, Monett. . . . .	1
May 5, St. Luke's, St. Joseph.....	8
May 13, Trinity, Kansas City.....	2
May 13, St. Mark's, Kansas City.....	4

At the close of divine service the Bishop took the chair and called the Council to order in the Parish House of St. Paul's Church.

The Secretary of the last Council called the roll of the clergy from a list furnished by the Bishop. Twenty-one clergy entitled to a seat and vote answered to their names and took their seats. (See List of Clergy, page xi.)

A motion was made to adjourn until after lunch, and was carried.

### 2:30 P. M.

The Council re-assembled.

The roll of Lay Delegates, prepared by the Secretary (according to Canon XX, Section 1, as amended and adopted by the last Council) was called by him, and forty-one Lay Delegates answered to their names and took their seats. (See List of Lay Delegates, page xiv.)

A canonical quorum being present the Council proceeded to business.

On motion of Mr. E. C. Hamill, the rules were suspended and the Assistant Secretary was instructed to cast the ballot of the Council for the Rev. John K. Dunn as Secretary. The ballot being so cast, he was elected Secretary, and announced the appointment of the Rev. John R. Atwill as Assistant Secretary.

On motion of the Rev. E. H. Eckel it was

*Resolved*, That a committee of three be appointed to take under consideration that portion of the Bishop's address which relates to an Episcopal residence and report on the same at this Council.

The Chair appointed as such committee the Rev. E. H. Eckel, Mr. Walton H. Holmes, Mr. A. McVey.

On motion of Mr. M. G. Harman, it was:

*Resolved*, That the portion of the Bishop's Address dealing with St. Luke's Hospital be referred to a committee of five.

The Chair appointed as such committee the Rev. J. D. Ritchey, the Rev. J. Stewart-Smith, Messrs. M. G. Harman, A. C. Stowell and H. D. Ashley.

On motion of the Rev. J. A. Schaad that portion of the Bishop's Address relating to Sunday observance, was referred



to a committee of three, which was appointed as follows: The Rev. Messrs. J. A. Schaad, J. D. Ritchey and E. B. Woodruff.

On motion of the Rev. A. M. Griffin that portion of the Bishop's Address relating to "Peace," was referred to a committee of three, appointed as follows: The Rev. Messrs. A. M. Griffin, C. A. Weed and A. W. Farnum.

The Chair announced the appointment of the following:

### STANDING COMMITTEES.

#### *On Admission of New Parishes.*

Mr. J. E. Cobb. Dr. Tracy.

#### *On Constitution and Canons.*

Rev. C. A. Weed. Rev. J. A. Schaad.  
Rev. E. H. Eckel. Mr. James C. Horton.  
Rev. Robert Talbot. Mr. John T. Harding.  
Mr. F. W. Hayward.

#### *On Unfinished Business.*

Rev. H. L. A. Fick. Capt. G. T. Irvine.

#### *On Finance.*

Mr. Wm. Mendenhall. Mr. A. D. Johnson.

#### *On Assessment.*

Mr. John F. Eaton. Mr. Phil R. Toll.  
Mr. Chas. A. Kelly. Mr. C. H. Childs.  
Mr. T. C. Bradley. Mr. A. C. Stowell.  
Mr. A. McVey.

#### *On Missions.*

Rev. James Senior. Rev. D. G. Mackinnon.  
Rev. E. W. Flower.

#### *On Christian Education.*

Rev. E. P. Chittenden. Rev. A. W. Farnum.  
Rev. A. M. Griffin. Rev. J. Stewart-Smith.

#### *On Sunday School Work.*

Rev. A. R. Llwyd. Rev. C. R. Stearns.  
Rev. E. B. Woodruff.

#### *On Missionaries' Traveling Expenses.*

Mr. W. F. Eves. Mr. F. C. Florance.

#### *On the State of the Church.*

Rev. J. D. Ritchey. Mr. H. D. Ashley.  
Rev. J. R. Atwill. Mr. Jay M. Lee.  
Rev. F. A. Joseph.

Mr. H. D. Ashley, Treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Board, read his report, as follows:

### REPORT

OF THE TREASURER OF THE DIOCESAN MISSIONARY BOARD FOR THE YEAR ENDING  
MAY 14, 1907.

#### RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand at Council May, 1906..... \$1,592.33

From:—

#### PARISHES.

Blackburn. . . . .	\$ 5.00
Boonville, (\$12.50 paid on 1907-1908) . . . . .	52.50
Brookfield. . . . .	18.00
Brunswick. . . . .	3.00
Carthage. . . . .	5.00
Chillicothe. . . . .	46.50
Fayette. . . . .	7.18
Independence. . . . .	13.30
Joplin. . . . .	27.33
Kansas City—	
Grace Church. . . . .	419.40
St. George's Church. . . . .	162.89
St. Mark's Church. . . . .	50.00
St. Mary's Church. . . . .	100.00
St. Paul's Church (Westport) . . . . .	450.00
Trinity Church. . . . .	236.02
Lexington. . . . .	35.00
Maryville. . . . .	22.05
Nevada. . . . .	17.92
St. Joseph—	
Christ Church. . . . .	400.00
Chrish Church Sunday School. . . . .	119.76
Holy Trinity Church. . . . .	49.15
Sedalia. . . . .	92.00
Springfield—	
Christ Church. . . . .	53.00
St. John's Church. . . . .	50.50
Warrensburg. . . . .	35.00

#### MISSIONS.

Amazonia. . . . .	2.50
Butler. . . . .	22.11
Cameron. . . . .	7.60
Clinton. . . . .	13.00
Harrisonville. . . . .	8.38
Higginsville. . . . .	1.00
Kansas City—	
Grace Church Mission Sunday School. . . . .	10.14

St. John's. . . . .	30.00	
St. John's Sunday School.....	4.54	
St. Augustine's. . . . .	18.77	
St. Augustine's Sunday School (1905-1906).....	2.50	
Lamar. . . . .	11.14	
Lebanon. . . . .	53.50	
Lee's Summit. . . . .	10.00	
Marshall. . . . .	29.61	
Monett. . . . .	12.50	
Mountain Grove. . . . .	2.73	
Neosho. . . . .	26.36	
Oswald. . . . .	20.00	
St. Joseph—		
St. Matthias. . . . .	10.00	
St. Luke's. . . . .	16.11	
Savannah. . . . .	15.00	
Trenton. . . . .	20.00	
Versailles. . . . .	1.25	
Webb City. . . . .	7.50	
West Plains. . . . .	34.00	
Church Club, Kansas City, 1905-1906.....	55.00	
Rev. C. R. Stearns.....	1.15	
Miss Gertrude Atwill. . . . .	5.00	
Miss Helen Thomes.....	1.00	
George E. Fradenburg.....	5.50	
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Total collections for the year.....		\$2,928.39
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Total, including balance.....		\$4,520.72

## DISBURSEMENTS.

Stipend paid Rev. J. A. Schaad.....	\$ 933.28
Stipend paid Rev. J. H. Haupt.....	231.25
Stipend paid Rev. C. R. Stearns.....	150.00
Stipend paid Rev. J. H. Cloud.....	100.00
Stipend paid Rev. E. P. Chittenden.....	300.00
Stipend paid Rev. R. B. Evatt.....	300.00
Stipend paid Rev. John Wilkinson. . . . .	300.00
Stipend paid Rev. J. K. Dunn.....	275.01
Stipend paid Rev. H. L. A. Fick.....	250.00
Stipend paid Rev. R. A. Heath.....	100.00
Stipend paid Rev. C. F. Carson.....	50.00
Stipend paid Rev. James Senior. . . . .	200.00
Stipend paid Rev. F. A. Joseph.....	225.00
Stipend paid Rev. B. J. Baxter.....	175.00
Stipend paid Rev. H. P. Chapman.....	29.17
Stipend paid Rev. A. M. Griffin.....	50.00
Stipend paid Rev. E. S. Willets.....	25.00
Stipend paid Rev. C. H. Bohn.....	50.00

Stipend paid Rev. J. W. Barker.....	75.00
Appropriation to Miss Jessie R. Comstock for services to Treasurer. . . . .	50.00

## EXPENSES.

Treasurer's postage, 1906-1907.....	\$ 4.46
Paid Miss Dixon, typewriting for Secretary.....	3.75
Paid Miss Lockhart, typewriting for Secretary.....	3.00
Paid for rubber stamp.....	.25
Paid Rev. F. B. Woodruff's expenses to Butler.....	2.80
Paid Rev. E. H. Eckel, expense of Advent boxes.....	47.07
Paid Rev. J. Stewart-Smith, expense of printing cards and postage. . . . .	2.57
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Total disbursements. . . . .	\$3,932.61
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	\$ 588.11
Less \$12.50 paid by Boonville for 1907-1908.....	12.50
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Balance at Council May 14, 1907.....	\$ 575.61

## BISHOP ROBERTSON MEMORIAL FUND.

Certificate of Deposit National Bank of Commerce—

Maturing June 1, 1907.....	\$ 686.00
Maturing June 23, 1907.....	737.85
Maturing July 23, 1907.....	524.22

Total. . . . .	<hr/> \$1,948.07
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H. D. ASHLEY,  
*Treasurer Diocesan Missionary Board.*

The foregoing report was referred to the Committee on Finance.

The Rev. E. B. Woodruff read the following, which was adopted:

## REPORT

## OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE OF THE DIOCESE OF KANSAS CITY.

The Standing Committee has held six meetings during the year.

On May 16, 1906, it organized and elected the Rev. Robert Talbot, President.

On June 13, 1906, it elected the Rev. Theodore B. Foster to the vacancy left by the Annual Council, and also made him Secretary.

Certificates to the Bishop and a statement in the case of Charles Ferguson were signed.

July 13, the papers of the Rev. Chas. Scadding, Bishop-elect of Oregon, were signed.

September 19, the papers of Robert B. Evatt, candidate for the Order of Deacons were passed. The Rev. Edwin B. Woodruff was elected to the vacancy caused by the resignation of the Rev. T. B. Foster and made the Secretary.

March 19, 1907, permission was given to St. Mary's Parish, Kansas City, to extend its loan.

May 3, the papers of Douglas Henry Atwill, candidate for the Order of Deacons, were passed.

E. B. WOODRUFF,

May 14, 1907.

Secretary.

The Rev. J. Stewart-Smith made a motion relative to a change in the Rules of Order. Referred to the Committee on Constitution and Canons.

On motion of Mr. Phil. R. Toll it was resolved that the matter of assessment be referred to the same committee as for this year, 1906-1907. (Committee on Plan of Assessment.)

Mr. A. C. Stowell moved the following, which was unanimously adopted:

*Whereas*, Mr. James C. Horton, who has attended every Council of this Diocese since its organization, and has given freely of his time and means to the advancement of the church, is now lying ill at the South Side Hospital in this city; and

*Whereas*, Mr. S. W. Kniffin, who has been a delegate in frequent attendance at this Council and an earnest worker in the Sunday School of this church, is also lying ill at St. Luke's Hospital in this city; be it

*Resolved*, That the affectionate and sympathetic greeting of this body be extended to Mr. Horton and Mr. Kniffin, and that the Secretary be, and he hereby is, requested to send a copy of this resolution to these churchmen before the adjournment of this Council.

On motion of Mr. A. D. Johnson the Council proceeded to prayer for Messrs. Horton and Kniffin.

The Rev. E. H. Eckel read the following report of the Committee on the General Clergy Relief Fund, which was accepted.

#### CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVED

FROM THE CHURCHES AND MISSIONS IN THE DIOCESE OF KANSAS CITY FROM  
MAY 1, 1906, TO DATE.

Christ Church (\$63.00), St. Luke's Mission (\$15.84), St. Joseph.....	\$ 78.84
St. Paul's, Kansas City.....	55.42
Christ Church, Springfield.....	30.30
St. George's, Kansas City.....	23.85
St. Mary's, Kansas City.....	20.60
Grace Church, Chillicothe.....	15.00

Holy Trinity, St. Joseph, (automatic pensions at 64) \$5.00, general fund \$5.75. . . . .	10.75
Calvary, Sedalia. . . . .	9.16
Trinity, Independence. . . . .	9.00
Trinity, Lebanon. . . . .	7.25
Christ Church, Warrensburg. . . . .	5.00
St. Philip's, Joplin, (two payments, \$3.61 and \$1.25) . . . . .	4.86
St. John's, Kansas City. . . . .	4.56
Trinity, Marshall. . . . .	3.53
St. Oswald's Mission, Atchison County. . . . .	2.33
Grace Church, Brookfield. . . . .	2.00
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	\$282.45

INDIVIDUALS.

Rev. R. A. Heath, West Plains. . . . .	\$ 2.00
Total contributions from Churches and Missions from May 1, 1906, to date. . . . .	\$282.45
Total contributions from Individuals for the same period. . . . .	2.00
Grants from the General Clergy Relief Fund to the Diocese of Kansas City. . . . .	250.00
Numbers of beneficiaries. . . . .	2
May 1, 1907.	

On motion of the Rev. Robert Talbot it was resolved that the third Sunday after Trinity be set aside for "Men's Thank Offering" services in each parish in the Diocese.

On motion of Mr. A. D. Johnson the rules were suspended, and the Secretary was instructed to cast the ballot of the Council for Mr. Walton H. Holmes, as Treasurer. The ballot being so cast Mr. Holmes was elected.

The Bishop nominated Mr. John T. Harding as Chancellor, and on motion of Mr. A. D. Johnson, the rules were suspended and the Secretary was instructed to cast the ballot of the Council in confirmation of the nomination.

The ballot being so cast, the nomination was confirmed.

On motion of the Rev. H. L. A. Fick the Bishop was requested to appoint the delegates of this Diocese to the Missionary Conference of the Sixth District, to be held at Des Moines, Iowa, in January, 1908.

The Rev. E. B. Woodruff read the report of the Trustees of the Parochial Trust Fund:

REPORT

OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE PAROCHIAL TRUST FUND.

Two meetings were held during the year.

June 13, 1906, the Trustees voted to borrow \$1,500 for Christ Church, Springfield.

May 3, 1907, the Trustees executed the Deed of Trust for the Church Lot at Webb City, and authorized Mr. John T. Harding to take the necessary steps to change the legal title in accordance with the Canons.

E. B. WOODRUFF,  
*Secretary.*

The Rev. E. B. Woodruff read the report of the Committee on Sunday School work:

REPORT

OF THE COMMITTEE ON SUNDAY SCHOOL WORK.

We, your committee on Sunday Schools, recommend that this Council urge upon the Sunday Schools of the Diocese, a larger use of the Church Catechism in their course of instruction.

Also, that the Council urge upon the Clergy of the Diocese the support and encouragement of the Sunday School Institute.

E. B. WOODRUFF,  
A. R. LLWYD,  
*Committee on Sunday Schools.*

The Rev. J. K. Dunn read the report of the Treasurer of the Permanent Episcopal Fund:

REPORT

OF THE TREASURER OF THE PERMANENT EPISCOPAL FUND OF THE DIOCESE OF KANSAS CITY.

*To the Diocesan Council,  
Diocese of Kansas City.*

GENTLEMEN:—I beg to submit the following report as Treasurer of the Permanent Episcopal Fund of this Diocese:

RECEIPTS.

June 18, 1906, cash on hand at last report.....	\$212.41
Aug. 1, 1906, interest due 8-1-'06 loan to Prosser Prep. School.....	216.00
Feb. 4, 1907, interest due 2-1-'07 loan to Prosser Prep. School.....	216.00
Mar. 23, 1907, subscription, Grace Church, Brookfield, Mo.....	1.35
April 30, 1907, subscription, Holy Trinity Church, St. Joseph, Mo..	3.00
Total. . . . .	<hr/> \$648.76

## DISBURSEMENTS.

Sept. 5, 1906, paid Treasurer of Diocese interest on Helen M. Smith fund to July 21, 1906.....	\$ 30.00
April 11, 1907, paid Treasurer of Diocese interest on Helen M. Smith fund to January 21, 1907.....	30.00
May 4, 1907, cash on hand.....	588.76
Total. . . . .	<hr/> \$648.76

I also have on hand papers in connection with the real estate loan of \$7,200.00 made to the Prosser Preparatory School, Kansas City, Mo.

Very respectfully submitted,

JAMES MACKENZIE,  
*Treasurer.*

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

The Rev. E. H. Eckel read the report of the Special Committee on the Episcopal Residence:

## REPORT

## OF THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON EPISCOPAL RESIDENCE.

The committee to whom was referred that portion of the Bishop's Address which relates to an Episcopal Residence for the Diocese, respectfully beg leave to report, that, in their judgment, the matter should be taken up at once as an object of united, organized, energetic and persistent effort, and pushed on to completion as soon as possible. The need is urgent, the financial conditions favorable, and the prospect of success encouraging.

Inasmuch as the acquisition of an Episcopal Residence is a form of Diocesan endowment, your committee would respectfully recommend that other plans and efforts looking to the increase of the Episcopal Endowment (excepting only the assessments) be temporarily suspended, and that the whole interest and effort of the Diocese be concentrated on this alone until it has been accomplished. Thus only shall we prevent failure and keep the minds of our people clear of confusion.

In order to give practical effect to their recommendations by a method which they believe to be at once simple and feasible, your committee recommend the following plan:

Assuming from the Treasurer's report for 1906 that we have nearly \$2,000 in hand and believing that we ought to aim for \$18,000 additional, we would divide the latter sum into 180 shares of \$100 each, in the form of notes collectible through banks, payable at the option of the subscriber either at sight without interest, or in ten semi-annual instalments with *pro rata* interest at 6 per cent, or at any time in the course of five years, without interest beyond the time of such payment, provided all the instalments (with interest) have been paid up to that time.

The following table will exhibit the amounts of the several payments; from which it appears that the maximum payment per share (the first in-



stalment) would be \$13.00, and the minimum payment (the last instalment) would be \$10.30.

Due.	Principal.	Interest.	Total am't per share.
Nov. 1, 1907,	\$10.00	plus \$3.00	equals.....\$13.00
May 1, 1908,	10.00	plus 2.70	equals..... 12.70
Nov. 1, 1908,	10.00	plus 2.40	equals..... 12.40
May 1, 1909,	10.00	plus 2.10	equals..... 12.10
Nov. 1, 1909,	10.00	plus 1.80	equals..... 11.80
May 1 1910,	10.00	plus 1.50	equals..... 11.50
Nov. 1, 1910,	10.00	plus 1.20	equals..... 11.20
May 1, 1911,	10.00	plus .90	equals..... 10.90
Nov. 1, 1911,	10.00	plus .60	equals..... 10.60
May 1, 1912,	10.00	plus .30	equals..... 10.30
	<hr/> \$100.00	<hr/> \$16.50	<hr/> \$116.50

It is reasonable to suppose that so small a number of shares, payable in such easy instalments, can be readily disposed of to individuals, churches, and guilds. Thus the house could be paid for in five years. Every semi-annual payment, if all the shares are taken, would diminish the debt upon it by \$1,800 or \$3,600 a year. The Bishop would have the use of it in the meantime, without rent or payment of interest.

It is believed that a loan can be negotiated upon the notes above described, by one or other of several possible methods, when a sufficient amount has been raised by subscription to warrant it.

Your committee submit the foregoing plan merely as an outline and would leave details to a committee to be appointed for the purpose of putting it into effect. We, therefore, offer the following resolutions:

*Resolved.* That the plan for raising \$18,000 for an Episcopal Residence for the diocese, reported by the committee having under consideration that portion of the Bishop's Address which relates to this subject, be and the same is hereby approved and adopted by the Diocesan Council.

*Resolved.* That a committee of three clergymen and three laymen be appointed to put the plan into effect as soon as possible; and also to secure the collection of the notes or other pledges now in the hands of the Diocesan Treasurer.

*Resolved.* That when the sum of \$18,000 shall have been subscribed in cash, securities and negotiable paper, or so much of said sum as may be necessary for the purpose, or so much as in the judgment of the Board of Trustees of the Parochial Trust Fund shall warrant such action, and subject to the limitations and safeguards hereinafter prescribed, the said board be and the same are hereby authorized to negotiate a loan to the amount of \$18,000, or so much thereof as may be needed for the purpose, at a rate of interest not to exceed 6 per cent; and to purchase therewith a suitable house and lot in Kansas City for an Episcopal Residence, or to purchase a lot and have a suitable house built thereon, or, in the case of having purchased a house already built, to make such additions or alterations as may be necessary to fit it to its purpose; and the said Trustees of the Parochial Trust Fund are also hereby authorized to execute

a mortgage against the said property upon the best terms possible, the rate of interest not to exceed 6 per cent; *Provided, however*, that in no case shall the total expenditure exceed \$20,000, nor shall any step be taken which shall obligate the Diocese or any of its officers, or representative or executive bodies, beyond a sum safely and conservatively secured by cash, securities and negotiable paper already in hand.

EDWARD HENRY ECKEL.  
A. McVEY.

The foregoing report was accepted, and on motion the subject was made the special order of business at 10 o'clock to-morrow morning.

Mr. John F. Eaton read the following which, on motion was accepted, and unanimously adopted.

### REPORT

#### OF THE COMMITTEE ON ASSESSMENTS.

The Committee on Assessments respectfully recommends the following assessments for the coming year:

PARISHES.	
Blackburn—Church of the Mediator.....	\$ 11.00
Boonville—Christ Church.....	88.00
Brookfield—Grace Church.....	73.70
Brunswick—St. Paul's Church.....	18.70
Carrollton—St. Paul's Church.....	22.00
Carthage—Grace Church.....	187.00
Chillicothe—Grace Church.....	154.00
Fayette—St. Mary's Church.....	12.10
Independence—Trinity Church.....	49.50
Joplin—St. Philip's Church.....	93.50
Kansas City—	
Grace Church.....	660.00
St. George's Church.....	275.00
St. Mark's Church.....	154.00
St. Mary's Church.....	308.00
St. Paul's Church (Westport).....	880.00
Trinity Church.....	550.00
Maryville—St. Paul's Church.....	11.00
Nevada—All Saints' Church.....	66.00
Pleasant Hill—Calvary Church.....	5.50
Sedalia—Calvary Church.....	165.00
Springfield—	
Christ Church.....	181.50
St. John's Church.....	137.50
St. Joseph—	
Christ Church.....	1,100.00

Holy Trinity Church.....	38.50	
Warrensburg—Christ Church.....	60.50	
Weston—St. John's Church.....	1.10	
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Total on Parishes.....		\$5,303.10

## MISSIONS.

Amazonia—St. Matthew's.....	\$ 1.00	
Butler—St. Mark's.....	5.00	
Cameron—St. John's.....	20.00	
Clinton—St. Paul's.....	50.00	
Fordland—St. Luke's.....	2.50	
Hamilton—Trinity.....	2.50	
Harrisonville—St. Peter's.....	20.00	
Holden—Mount Calvary.....	15.00	
Kansas City—		
St. John's.....	45.00	
St. Augustine's.....	45.00	
Lamar—Advent.....	10.00	
Lee's Summit—St. Paul's.....	10.00	
Lebanon—Trinity.....	40.00	
Marshall—Trinity.....	50.00	
Monett—St. Stephen's.....	10.00	
Mountain Grove—St. Mark's.....	10.00	
Neosho—St. John's.....	15.00	
Oswald—St. Oswald's.....	20.00	
Plattsburg—St. Mary's.....	5.00	
Richmond—St. Paul's.....	5.00	
Rich Hill—St. Luke's.....	5.00	
Savannah—St. Mary's.....	10.00	
St. Joseph—St. Matthias'.....	6.00	
Stanberry—Trinity.....	5.00	
Trenton—St. Philip's.....	15.00	
Webb City—St. Paul's.....	10.00	
West Plains—All Saints'.....	35.00	
Utica—Trinity.....	5.00	
East Sedalia—All Saints'.....	15.00	
Total on Missions.....		\$ 487.00
Total on Parishes.....		5,303.10
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Total Assessment.....		\$5,790.10

The committee also recommended the continuance of the discount plan for the prompt payment of assessments (see Journal of 1905, page 62.)

Also the remittance of the following delinquencies:

St. John's Church, Springfield.....	\$ 26.00
Church of Mediator, Blackburn.....	18.00
Trinity Church, Independence.....	50.00

All Saints' Church, Nevada.....	40.00
Total .....	<u>\$134.00</u>

Also the following:

RESOLVED, That in view of the increased expense connected with the performance of the official duties of our Diocesan, the Treasurer of the Diocese be, and he is hereby instructed to pay to the Bishop the sum of \$600.00 as an expense fund for the Conciliar year.

JOHN F. EATON,  
C. H. CHILDS,  
P. R. TOLL,  
T. C. BRADLEY,  
A. McVEY,  
A. C. STOWELL,  
CHAS. R. KELLY,

Committee.

On motion Council adjourned until 8 p. m. for a missionary service, and until 9:30 a. m. Wednesday, for business session.

### St. Paul's Church, 8 P. M.

A missionary service was held and addresses made by the Bishop, the Rev. J. D. Ritchey, the Rev. E. H. Eckel, the Rev. Robert Talbot and the Rev. E. S. Willett.

Pledges were taken for Diocesan Missions. (For list of pledges and apportionment see Appendix.)

### Second Day.

Wednesday, May 15, 1907, 9:30 a. m.

After Morning Prayer said by the Rev. A. R. Llwyd and the Rev. B. J. Baxter, the Council met, pursuant to adjournment.

On motion of the Rev. E. B. Woodruff, the calling of the roll was dispensed with.

On motion of the Rev. H. L. A. Fick, all visiting Clergy not entitled to a seat, were granted the courtesy of a seat in the Council.

Mr. M. G. Harman moved an amendment to Art. XV of the Constitution. Motion lost.

On motion of the Rev. E. H. Eckel, the Council proceeded to the special order of business for 10 o'clock a. m., the considera-

tion of the report of the Special Committee on an Episcopal Residence (see page 51), which, with its resolutions, was adopted, and the following committee was appointed to carry out the recommendations thereof: Rev. Messrs. E. H. Eckel, J. D. Ritchey, J. A. Schaad and Messrs. Walton H. Holmes, C. A. Kelly and John F. Eaton.

Subscriptions for the Episcopal Residence Fund were received as follows:

Christ Church, Booneville, 1st share of.....	\$ 100.00
Holy Trinity Church, St. Joseph, 1st share of.....	100.00
Rt. Rev. E. R. Atwill, 1st share of.....	300.00
Rev. H. L. A. Fick, and J. R. Atwill, 1st share of.....	100.00
Rev. R. Talbot, 1st share of.....	100.00
St. George's Church, Kansas City, 1st share of.....	500.00
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Total .....	\$1,200.00

The Rev. Robert Talbot announced the death of Mr. James C. Horton since the session of yesterday, and on his motion the Chair appointed the following committee to draw up a minute of resolutions relative thereto: The Rev. R. Talbot, Rev. J. D. Ritchey and Mr. H. D. Ashley.

Mr. Walton H. Holmes, Treasurer of the Diocese, read his report, as follows:

REPORT.

OF THE TREASURER OF THE DIOCESE OF KANSAS CITY  
FOR THE YEAR ENDING MAY 16, 1907.

GENERAL FUND.

RECEIPTS.

To balance as per last report.....	\$1,653.55
TO DUES FROM PARISHES.	
From Blackburn, Church of Mediator.....	\$ 8.00
Boonville, Christ.....	72.00
Brookfield, Grace.....	67.00
Brunswick, St. Paul's.....	14.25
Carthage, Grace.....	123.25
Chillicothe, Grace.....	70.00
Fayette, St. Mary's.....	11.40
Independence, Trinity.....	17.00
Joplin, St. Phillip's.....	78.64
Kansas City—	
Grace .....	540.00
St. George's.....	250.00

St. Mark's.....	140.00	
St. Mary's.....	252.00	
St. Paul's.....	720.00	
Trinity .....	500.00	
Maryville, St. Paul's.....	4.50	
Nevada, All Saint's.....	30.00	
Sedalia, Calvary.....	160.88	
Springfield—		
Christ .....	165.00	
St. John's.....	99.00	
St. Joseph—		
Christ .....	900.00	
Holy Trinity.....	31.52	
Warrensburg, Christ.....	50.89	\$4,305.33
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## TO DUES FROM MISSIONS.

From Amazonia, St. Matthew's.....	\$ 1.00	
Cameron, St. John's.....	18.00	
Clinton, St. Paul's.....	50.00	
Harrisonville, St. Peter's.....	9.00	
Holden, Mount Calvary.....	11.25	
Kansas City—		
St. John's.....	45.00	
St. Augustine's.....	22.50	
Lamar, Advent.....	9.00	
Lebanon, Trinity.....	36.00	
Marshall, Trinity.....	45.00	
Monett, St. Stephen's.....	9.75	
Neosho, St. John's.....	15.00	
Oswald, St. Oswald's.....	19.00	
Savannah, St. Mary's.....	9.00	
St. Joseph, St. Matthias....	5.55	
Trenton, St. Phillip's.....	14.26	
Webb City, St. Paul's.....	6.00	
West Plains, All Saints'.....	35.00	
East Sedalia, All Saints'.....	5.00	\$365.31
Interest received from Helen Maitland Smith Fund .....		60.00
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		\$6,384.19

## DISBURSEMENTS.

Py Bishop's Salary.....	\$4,000.00	
Secretary's Salary.....	150.00	
Secretary's Office Expenses.....	45.00	
Printing Journal 1906.....	220.15	
Lettering Map, Diocesan Journal.....	4.25	
Postage stamps for Treasurer.....	2.00	
Interest on Diocesan Note.....	36.00	\$4,457.40
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Balance on hand.....		\$1,926.79

## DISABLED CLERGY FUND.

## RECEIPTS.

To balance as per last report.....	\$	782.53	
Interest on Tomlinson loan.....	\$	168.00	
Payment, D. Corkins Contract.....		500.00	
Interest D. Corkins Contract.....		22.50	
Interest on F. G. Smith loan.....		51.00	
Interest on loan, Treasurer of Diocese.....		36.00	\$ 777.50
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			\$1,560.03

## DISBURSEMENTS.

By A. P. Crouch.....	\$	75.00	
Cynthia Cumings. ....		50.00	
Paid interest to Lucius Waterman.....		36.00	
Recording Fennell mortgage.....		1.35	
Recording Quit Claim Deed, Fennell loan.....		1.40	\$ 163.75
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Balance on hand.....			\$1,396.28

## THEOLOGICAL EDUCATION FUND.

## RECEIPTS.

To balance as per last report.....	\$	21.96	
Contributions—			
Boonville, Christ.....	\$	1.45	
Fayette, St. Mary's.....		50	
St. Joseph, Holy Trinity.....		3.72	
Interest on Tomlinson loan.....		72.00	\$ 77.67
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			\$ 99.63

## DISBURSEMENTS.

By Henry Ewing Batcheller, Candidate for Holy Orders in our Diocese.....	\$	75.00	\$ 75.00
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Balance on hand.....			\$ 24.63

## EPISCOPAL RESIDENCE FUND.

Total cash collections to May 11, 1907.....	\$1,115.22
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## DISBURSEMENTS.

Stationery and expenses of Rev. C. A. Weed.....	89.31
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Balance on hand.....	\$1,025.91
Pledges for Episcopal Residence Fund.....	901.35

## SUMMARY.

Credit balance of General Fund.....	\$1,926.79
Credit balance Disabled Clergy Fund.....	1,396.28

Credit balance Theological Education Fund.....	24.63
Credit balance Episcopal Residence Fund.....	1,025.91
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	\$4,373.61

INVESTMENTS.

THEOLOGICAL EDUCATION FUND.

A. A. Tomlinson 6 per cent. real estate loan.....	\$1,200.00
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DISABLED CLERGY FUND.

F. G. Smith 6 per cent, real estate loan.....	\$ 850.00
A. A. Tomlinson 6 per cent. real estate loan.....	2,800.00
James Fennell 6 per cent. real estate loan.....	1,000.00
Treasurer of Diocese 6 per cent. note.....	600.00
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	\$5,250.00

Respectfully submitted,  
WALTON H. HOLMES,  
Treasurer.

The foregoing report was referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion of the Rev. E. B. Woodruff it was resolved that the Rev. E. H. Eckel communicate with the donors of Funds for the Relief of Disabled Clergy and Orphans of the Clergy as to their wishes in regard to the transfer of their gifts to the General Clergy Relief Fund.

The Rev. Robert Talbot read the following report, which was accepted and the resolutions therein adopted:

REPORT

OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE CORRECTION AND CODIFICATION OF THE CONSTITUTION AND CANONS.

Your special committee on the correction and codification of the Constitution and Canons, to whom was referred an amendment of the Rules of Order proposed by the Rev. J. Stewart-Smith, beg leave to recommend the adoption of the same with a few minor changes of language and the rearrangement of two or three items, as follows:

ORDER OF BUSINESS.

- 10 A. M.—Holy Eucharist and Bishop's Address.
- (1) Roll call of Clergy.
  - (2) Roll call of Lay Delegates.
  - (3) Election of Secretary.
  - (4) Appointment of Standing Committees.



- (5) Report of Committee on Credentials of Lay Delegates.
- (6) Resolutions pertaining to Bishop's Address.
- (7) Report of Committee on Assessment.
- (8) Report of Standing Committee.
- (9) Election of Standing Committee.
- (10) Election of Deputies to General Convention.
- (11) Election of Missionary Board.
- (12) Other Elections.
  - (a) Of Treasurer of the Diocese.
  - (b) Of Chancellor.
  - (c) Of Registrar.
  - (d) Of Trustees of Permanent Episcopal Fund.
  - (e) Of Trustees of Theological Education Fund.
  - (f) Of Trustees of Disabled Clergy Fund.
  - (g) To fill vacancies.
- (13) Report of Treasurer of Diocese.
- (14) Report of Treasurer of Missionary Board.
- (15) Pledges for Missions.
- (16) Reports of Treasurers of various funds.
- (17) Reports of Trustees of various funds.
  - (a) Of Permanent Episcopal Fund.
  - (b) Of Theological Education Fund.
  - (c) Of Disabled Clergy Fund.
  - (d) Of Parochial Trust Fund.
  - (e) Of various funds.
- (18) Reports of Committees appointed at previous Council and Resolutions pertaining to same.
- (19) Reports of Special Committees and Resolutions pertaining to same.
- (20) Reports of Standing Committees and action thereon.
- (21) New Business.
- (22) Fixing place of meeting of next Council.

In regard to the correction and codification of the Constitution and Canons, your committee believes that this work should be done with great care and deliberation; and in view of possible changes in the Constitution and Canons of the General Convention which may affect our diocesan laws, are of the opinion that it will be well to postpone their report till next year. They therefore report progress and request to be continued.

In view, however, of frequent requests to the Secretary of the Diocese for copies of the diocesan laws relating to vestries and to membership in the Council, your committee would recommend the printing of a leaflet containing this information. They therefore offer the following resolutions to cover their several recommendations:

*Resolved*, That the amendment of the Rules of Order recommended by the committee be adopted.

*Resolved*, That the Secretary be authorized to have 100 copies of a leaflet printed to contain Article IV of the Diocesan Constitution, entitled "Of the Members of the Council," and Canon XII, entitled "Of the Election of Vestries and Their Duties."

*Resolved*, That this committee be continued till the next annual council.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

ROBERT TALBOT,  
EDWARD HENRY ECKEL,  
JOHN K. DUNN,  
A. C. STOWELL,  
  
Committee.

The Rev. J. D. Ritchey read the report of the committee on that part of the Bishop's Address referring to St. Luke's Hospital, which was adopted. Mr. A. C. Stowell read the report of the Superintendent of St. Luke's Hospital and, on his motion, it was appended to the report of the above committee.

ST. LUKE'S HOSPITAL.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT FROM FEBRUARY 20, 1906, TO FEBRUARY 20, 1907.

Patients received during the year.....	195	
Of these died.....	12	
Dismissed .....	173	
Remaining February 20, 1907.....	10	195
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There were male.....	74	
There were female.....	121	195
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Of the above 195 patients :

Our own Communion.....	21	
Methodist .....	32	
Baptist .....	22	
Christians .....	18	
Presbyterians.....	17	
Congregational .....	10	
Roman Catholic.....	9	
Lutheran .....	9	
Jewish .....	2	
Friends .....	2	
Christian Science.....	1	
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There were medical cases.....	65	
Surgical .....	130	
Operations .....	150	
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Number of days of paid treatment.....	2228	
Number of days of free treatment.....	836	
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Total .....	3,064	
Total cost of 195 patients 3,064 days.....	\$9,171.71	
Average cost of one patient one day.....	\$1.55	

All free patients, and a number of those paying the Hospital were given their medical and surgical care free of any expense; this representing the staff's share in the work of the Hospital for the relief of the sick and suffering. Special nursing to those very ill, or troublesome, was given to free patients, and not charged up in the year's report of charity work.

Before closing I wish to add a word of grateful thanks to one and all of the good friends of St. Luke's who so generously responded to the appeal in furnishing of rooms, wards and other supplies. The almost daily contributions of small things have been most valuable in furnishing a sort of store from which supplies can be drawn at a moment's notice. For this spirit of liberality we extend our most earnest appreciation.

L. ELEANOR KEELY,  
Superintendent.

Your committee would recommend to the Board of Managers that a room be fitted up at once, for a chapel, and that the Bishop be requested to appoint the several Clergy of the city, in rotation, to act as chaplains, and regularly to visit and hold services at the Hospital. If each priest in the city was appointed for a month at a time, the duty would not prove onerous, and their ministrations would beyond doubt prove a blessing to both the patients and nurses, besides giving the Clergy a deeper personal interest in the work of the institution.

They would also recommend that the Clergy and members of their immediate families be received without charge, or if this is a present impossible, at as greatly reduced rates as practical. The Church in this Diocese is able to do but very little for her Clergy, this would be something, and if at first sight it seems to be a burden on the Hospital, in the long run it would undoubtedly be found a profitable investment, in awakening a sense of gratitude on the part of both the Clergy and their parishes that would result in substantial gifts.

Respectfully submitted,

J. D. RITCHEY,  
J. STEWART-SMITH,  
M. G. HARMAN,  
A. C. STOWELL,

Committee.

### ST. LUKE'S HOSPITAL.

BALANCE SHEET YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 28, 1907.

#### ASSETS.

St. Luke's Hospital Property.....	\$25,081.41
Sponable bequest for expenses, R. P. Middlebrook, trustee. . . . .	4,250.00
Sponable \$5,000 bequest for free beds (lots in Inde- pendence, Mo.). . . . .	5,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures.....	3,037.30

## Cash—

National Bank of Commerce.....	\$ 46.50	
Commerce Trust Co.....	427.14	
Petty Cash. . . . .	50.00	523.64
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Accounts Receivable. . . . .	718.80	718.80
Suspended Accounts. . . . .		106.50
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		\$38,717.65

## LIABILITIES.

Sinking Fund, Ledger Balance.....	\$ 1,048.28	
Dues for the year.....	240.00	\$ 1,288.28
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Accounts Payable, Ledger Balance.....	15.00	
Unpaid Bills. . . . .	819.54	834.54
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Mortgage Payable. . . . .		16,250.00
Bills Payable. . . . .		596.12
Interest due March 4, 1907.....		360.00
Church Charity Assn., net worth.....	20,310.53	
Less rent previous year.....	\$428.00	
Less loss for the year.....	493.82	921.82
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		19,388.71
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		\$38,717.65

## PROFIT AND LOSS STATEMENT.

## EXPENSE.

Charity Work. . . . .	\$ 971.70
General Expense. . . . .	6,309.93
Rent. . . . .	658.55
Interest due on mortgage, March 4, 1907.....	\$ 360.00
Ledger Balance. . . . .	3.36
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Allowances. . . . .	51.63
Unpaid Bills. . . . .	819.54
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	\$ 9,174.71

## EARNINGS.

Rooms and Board.....	\$ 7,505.85
Operating Room. . . . .	584.50
Training School. . . . .	352.50
Medical and Surgical Supplies.....	74.54
Donations for Charity.....	71.85
Sponable \$5,000 bequest for free beds—income . . . .	91.65
Loss for the period.....	493.82
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	\$ 9,174.71

The Rev. J. Stewart-Smith moved that it be

*Resolved*, That the list of Lay Delegates entitled to seats be prepared by the Secretary.

*Resolved*, That the question be inserted in the blank certificates of Lay Delegates: "Has the Diocesan assessment for the current year been paid?" Adopted.

The Secretary read a communication from the Diocese of California relative to the use of the Revised Version, as follows:

### DIOCESE OF CALIFORNIA

#### STANDING COMMITTEE.

May 8, 1907.

REVEREND AND DEAR SIR:—In behalf of the deputies to General Convention from the Diocese of California, I beg to call your attention to the fact that the Diocese of California at its last Convention, passed a memorial to General Convention asking permission to use the Revised Version in the lessons at Morning and Evening Prayer.

I beg that you will present the matter at the Convention of your Diocese asking the Convention to take such action as it deems fit.

I am yours truly,

EDWARD L. PARSONS.

On motion of the Rev. E. H. Eckel the Secretary was instructed to convey to the Secretary of the Diocese of California the concurrence of this Council in their Memorial to the General Convention in the use of the Revised Version.

The Rev. A. M. Griffin read the following, which was adopted:

The committee to which that portion of the Bishop's Address relating to "Peace" was referred, beg leave to submit the following report:

*Whereas*, International as well as National disputes arising from difficulty in settling various matters in question, have too frequently brought about war, always cruel and destructive to life and property, and possibly resulting more favorable not for the right, but for the strong;

*Therefore, Be it Resolved*, That this 18th Annual Council of the Diocese of Kansas City assembled, shall through its delegation memorialize the General Convention to convene at Richmond in October of this year, and request that august body in the name of the Protestant Episcopal Church of the United States of America, to declare to the Council of the Hague, its hearty approval of an effort to bring about an International Judiciary to which shall be referred all matters of dispute and afford settlement thereof.

We also recommend to the Clergy of the Diocese the advisability of

preaching upon the subject to their people previously to the General Convention.

A. M. GRIFFIN,  
C. A. WEED,  
A. W. FARNUM,  
*Committee.*

The Rev. H. L. A. Fick moved the adoption of the apportionment plan as the policy of this Diocese for securing funds for Diocesan Missions. The motion was carried.

On motion of Mr. C. A. Kelly the Secretary's salary was placed at \$150.00 for the ensuing year.

On motion of Mr. Geo. T. Irvine it was resolved that in the elections for Standing Committee, Missionary Board and Deputies to the General Convention, after the third ballot the candidate in each order having the lowest number of votes, be dropped from the list of candidates.

On motion the Council proceeded to the election of the Standing Committee. The following names were put in nomination: The Rev. Messrs. E. H. Eckel, E. B. Woodruff, J. Stewart-Smith, Robert Talbot, J. D. Ritchey, and Messrs. A. C. Stowell, C. A. Kelly and J. T. Harding.

The Chair appointed the Rev. H. L. A. Fick and the Rev. A. W. Farnum, clerical tellers, and Mr. Geo. T. Irvine and Mr. C. T. Childs, lay tellers.

The ballot being cast the following were elected: The Rev. Robert Talbot, the Rev. E. H. Eckel, the Rev. E. B. Woodruff, and Mr. A. C. Stowell, Mr. C. A. Kelly and Mr. J. T. Harding.

On motion the Council proceeded to the election of Deputies to the General Convention. The following names were put in nomination: The Rev. Messrs. C. A. Weed, J. D. Ritchey, Robert Talbot, J. A. Schaad, E. H. Eckel, J. Stewart-Smith, and Messrs. C. A. Kelly, A. C. Stowell, W. F. Eves, G. Lathrop, H. D. Ashley and M. G. Harman.

The Chair appointed as clerical tellers the Rev. Messrs. Carl R. Taylor and R. B. Evatt, and as lay tellers Messrs. J. E. Cobb and Wm. Mendenhall.

The Rev. J. A. Schaad read the following report:

Your committee appointed to consider that portion of the Bishop's Address relating to the Sunday question, wish to report their hearty ac-

cord with the recommendation of the Bishop and move that a committee of three be appointed to formulate and put into effect a plan to bring the Church in this Diocese into union with the international movement.

J. A. SCHAAD,  
E. B. WOODRUFF,  
J. D. RITCHEY,  
*Committee.*

The foregoing report was adopted and the Chair appointed the following committee thereunder: the Rev. Messrs. J. A. Schaad and J. D. Ritchey and Dr. V. W. Gayle.

On motion of the Rev. H. L. A. Fick, the Secretary of the Diocesan Missionary Board was instructed to send to every Rector or Missionary in charge, a statement every quarter, of the pledges made for Diocesan Missions and the amounts paid on pledges. Resolved, also, that the Secretary be allowed the expense for office work in carrying this resolution into effect.

On motion of the Rev. E. B. Woodruff \$25.00 was allowed the Registrar for the expense of additional shelving.

On motion of Mr. John T. Harding the delegates to the General Convention were instructed to invite the convention to hold their next meeting in Kansas City, Mo., and to use all honorable and courteous means to bring about the end.

The ballot having been cast the following deputies were elected to the General Convention: The Rev. Messrs. E. H. Eckel, Robert Talbot, C. A. Weed and J. A. Schaad, and Messrs. C. A. Kelly, A. C. Stowell, Gardiner Lathrop and H. D. Ashley.

The Council took a recess until 2:30 o'clock p. m.

**2:30 P. M.**

The Council re-assembled.

On motion of Mr. A. D. Johnson the rules were suspended, and Mr. J. E. Cobb for the Laity and the Secretary for the Clergy were instructed to cast a ballot for the Rev. J. D. Ritchey as first alternate deputy to the General Convention.

The ballot being so cast, Mr. Ritchey was elected.

Mr. Phil. R. Toll read the following:

The Special Committee appointed at the last Annual Council to consider the remodeling of the assessment plan, beg leave to report as follows:

(1) Sundry resolutions and amendments touching this subject having been introduced in yesterday's session of the Council and referred to this committee, we would recommend that the Assessment Committee appointed at one Council make its report early in the first day's proceedings of the next year's Council (at the point indicated in the revised Rules of Order). This will give opportunity both for previous deliberation and for the filing of exceptions prior to the presentation of their report, and at the same time allow for its introduction early in the session.

(2) We desire to recommend the appointment of a special committee to prepare and report to the next Annual Council a revised form of Parochial Report, one feature of which shall be an item calling for the report of the sources and amounts of income.

(3) Your committee believe that the only just and equitable basis of assessment is that of income, and they, therefore, recommend the adoption of this principle. We, therefore, respectfully offer the following resolutions:

*Resolved.* That the Assessment Committee appointed at one Council make its report early in the first day's proceedings of the next year's Council.

*Resolved.* That the basis of assessment be that of income and that a special committee of three be appointed to submit to the next Council a revised form of Parochial Report, providing in the same for a report of the several sources and amounts of income.

For the Committee,

PHIL. R. TOLL.

The foregoing report was adopted, together with the two resolutions therein recommended and the following committee thereunder appointed by the Chair. The Rev. E. H. Eckel, Mr. Phil. R. Toll and Mr. J. F. Eaton.



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Mr. H. D. Ashley read the following, which was unanimously adopted by a rising vote:

MINUTE IN MEMORY OF JAMES C. HORTON.

A brave and patriotic citizen, a loving husband, protector and friend, a broad minded, devout and devoted churchman has just gone to his well earned rest.

His patriotism blossomed into sacrifices of time and money to preserve the purity of that necessary corner-stone of freedom of conscience and sanctity of the home, the ballot box.

As a citizen he both preached and practiced that eternal vigilance which is the price of liberty.

As husband, protector and friend he ever denied himself that he might minister more liberally to the needs and happiness of those near and dear to him, as also to his brother man without special claim upon his affections.

He visited the fatherless and widows in their affliction and kept himself unspotted from the world.

The value of his wise counsel and ever ready help in the affairs of his beloved church in this Diocese is beyond estimation.

His removal leaves a wide gap in our ranks, which we despair to fill up, but which we may, if we profit by his shining example, perhaps close up and bravely struggle on without him.

There is less of sadness than of loss about his death.

He had just reached the allotted span of three score years and ten without abatement of personal charm, mental power or the vital spark of righteous indignation, which many of us have seen illumine him in its burning light, as he fearlessly stood for ordered liberty.

"Glad did he live and gladly die,  
And he laid him down with a will.  
Here he lies where he longed to be  
Home is the sailor, home from the sea  
And the hunter home from the hill."

May perpetual light shine upon him.

*Resolved*, That this tribute to the memory of the late James C. Horton, Senior Warden of Grace Church, Kansas City, Missouri, and a delegate to this Council since the organization of the Diocese, be ordered spread upon our records and printed in the Journal.

REV. ROBERT TALBOT,  
HENRY D. ASHLEY,  
REV. J. D. RITCHEY,  
*Committee.*

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A ballot being taken for additional Alternate Deputies to the General Convention, the following were elected: The Rev. Messrs. D. G. Mackinnon and E. B. Woodruff, and Messrs. J. T. Harding and John F. Eaton.

The Rev. J. D. Ritchey read the following, which was adopted:

Your committee on the State of the Church have no specific data upon which to base a report, other than the facts of the Bishop's Annual Address. We believe that upon the whole the facts show a fairly wholesome and progressive condition.

To make the report of this committee of value to the Council, we offer the following resolution:

*Resolved*, That the Committee on the State of the Church be made a standing committee and that the Bishop be requested to appoint at this Council a committee on the State of the Church to report at the next meeting of the Council.

J. D. RITCHEY,  
JOHN R. ATWILL,  
HENRY D. ASHLEY,  
FRANK A. JOSEPH,  
*Committee.*

Two ballots were taken for additional Supplementary Deputies of the General Convention with no election.

On motion of the Rev. E. B. Woodruff the Secretary was authorized to have that portion of the Bishop's Address, relating to the duties of vestrymen, printed separately and sent by him to every vestryman in the Diocese.

On motion of the Rev. E. B. Woodruff, the Secretary was authorized to have 600 copies of the Journal printed.

On motion of Mr. A. C. Stowell, the Assistant Secretary was instructed to cast the ballot of the Council for the following Diocesan Missionary Board, which was thus duly elected: The Rev. Messrs. Robert Talbot, J. Stewart-Smith, J. D. Ritchey, D. G. Mackinnon, Chas. A. Weed and John K. Dunn, and Messrs. C. A. Kelly, Hale Holden, F. M. Hayward, Samuel Huston, A. D. Johnson and H. D. Ashley.

Another ballot was taken for Supplementary Deputies with no election.

On motion of the Rev. E. H. Eckel the Council took a recess of five minutes.

The Council re-assembled and on motion of Mr. A. D. Johnson, the rules were suspended and the tellers were instructed to cast the ballots of the Council for additional Supplementary Deputies as follows: For the Rev. J. Stewart-Smith as Supplementary Clerical Deputy, and for Messrs. M. G. Harman and W. F. Eves as Supplementary Lay Deputies. The ballots being so cast they were duly elected.

On motion the invitation of Grace Church, Kansas City, to hold the next annual Council in that parish was accepted with thanks.

The Secretary read statement of Advent Mite Box receipts for Diocesan Missions. (See Appendix.)

On motion the Secretary was instructed to print the reports of the Diocesan Missionary Board, and of the Registrar, without reading.

On motion of the Rev. E. C. Hamill the thanks of the Council were tendered to the Priest and Congregation of St. Paul's Parish, Kansas City, for the kind entertainment extended to the delegates to this Council during its sessions.

On motion of the Rev. J. K. Dunn it was

*Resolved*, That if quarterly payments of assessments be made within forty-five days from the beginning of the first quarter, and thereafter promptly within thirty days from the beginning of each of the other three quarters, a discount of ten per cent be allowed on each payment.

On motion of the Rev. E. H. Eckel it was

*Resolved*, That the Treasurer be and is hereby authorized to borrow a sum not to exceed \$2,000.00, if necessary, to make up any deficiency of the Diocesan expenses.

Mr. G. T. Irvine read the following report, which was accepted:

The Committee on Unfinished Business respectfully report that in Journals of 1905 and 1906, they find no reports from the following Committees: On Missionaries' Traveling Expenses, on Admission of New Parishes, on Christian Education, on Sunday Schools, on part of the Bishop's Address referring to General Missions, on Unfinished Business.

HENRY L. A. FICK,  
GEO. T. IRVINE,

*Committee.*

On motion the Committee on the Diocesan Seal was continued until the next Council. The Rev. E. H. Eckel was appointed on the committee in place of the Rev. E. A. Neville, removed from the Diocese.

On motion of the Rev. J. Stewart-Smith the canon referred to by the Committee on Unfinished Business in the Journal of 1906, page 68, was referred to the Committee on the Revision of Assessments.

The Rev. James Senior read the following:

#### REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON MISSIONS.

Your committee report good progress in the Northern Convocation; an efficient Rector has been placed at Maryville; the Mission at Stanberry has been revived; remarkable progress is manifested in the stock yards district of South St. Joseph, where under the Rev. Mr. Farnum, a goodly congregation has been gathered, a flourishing Sunday School established and a fund started looking toward the building of a church. Holy Trinity, St. Joseph, is advancing to greater stability and missionary interest growing; services have been revived at Utica by the Rector of Chillicothe.

We note progress in the Central Convocation in the opening of what gives promise of good work at Excelsior Springs, and the addition of four strong priests, and would suggest the opening of new work in the southeast part of Kansas City, where are many church people.

We would draw attention to the great mining region of the Southern Convocation of which Joplin and Webb City are the central points and to the need of more men in this highly attractive field.

Your committee suggest that more aggressive effort be made to gather in young people and children to the teaching influence of the Church, and recommend the plan of week-day schools for religious training, and, where possible, the gathering of young people for one-half-hour previous to the Evening Service, where young people may be met in an informal way for religious instruction and training.

JAMES SENIOR,  
E. W. FLOWER,  
D. G. MACKINNON,  
*Committee.*

On motion of the Rev. E. B. Woodruff the Council adjourned, *sine die*.

E. R. ATWILL,  
*President.*

ATTEST.

JOHN K. DUNN,  
*Secretary.*



## **Parochial Reports.**

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### **BLACKBURN.**

(Saline County.)

#### **CHURCH OF THE MEDIATOR.**

Organized February 17, 1856.

Missionary, The Rev. F. A. Joseph, Marshall, Mo.

Warden, Robert Swift, Blackburn.

Families, 1; souls, 6; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 6; communicants (male 3, female 3), 6; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 3; sermons and addresses, 3; church building; seats (free) 125; insurance (paid in full to May 1, 1909), \$600; no rectory.

#### **FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1907.**

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$5.00.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$8.00.

General: General missions, \$3.00.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$16.00.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$800.00.

Total value of all Parish property, \$800.00.

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### **BOONVILLE.**

(Cooper County.)

#### **CHRIST CHURCH.**

Organized 1835.

Rector, The Rev. C. R. Stearns.

Wardens, S. W. Samuel, J. N. Gott; Secretary, G. A. Russell, Boonville, Mo.; Treasurer, J. N. Gott, Boonville, Mo.; Vestrymen, C. P. Gott, J. W. Cosgrove, J. A. Wettendorf.

Families, 25; souls, 97; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 90; communicants (male 20, female 32), total 52; communions made at Easter, 27; baptisms (infants 2, adults 3), total 5; confirmed, 3; marriages, 1; burials, 4; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public), 15; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 104; sermons and addresses, 112; Sunday school (teachers 4, scholars 27), total 31; church building seats (free), 154; insurance (paid in full), \$1,200; insurance on organ, \$800 (paid in full); rectory, insurance (paid in full) \$500; title to the property in wardens and vestrymen: salary promised by Parish, \$600; salary paid to April 30th, \$600.

#### **FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1907.**

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$686.00; perma-

nent improvements, \$269.05; other expenses within the Parish, \$107.02.  
Total, \$1,062.07.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$80.00; diocesan missions, \$40.00; theological education fund, \$1.45; bishop's purse, \$6.85; St. Luke's hospital, \$4.20. Total, \$132.50.

General: Domestic missions, \$5.00. Total, \$5.00.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$1,199.57.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$3,000.00; rectory and grounds, \$1,000.00.

Total value of all Parish property, \$4,000.00.

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### **BROOKFIELD.**

(Linn County.)

#### **GRACE CHURCH.**

Organized 1874.

Rector, Robert B. Evatt.

Wardens, J. F. McElwain, John McCartney; Secretary, M. P. Greenhalgh; Treasurer, F. W. Albert; Vestrymen, J. F. Turner, E. G. Chapman, L. E. Dewey, C. W. Green, George Johnson.

Families, 46; souls, 125; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 139; communicants (male 12, female 40), total 52; baptisms (infants), 8; confirmed, 6; marriages, 1; burials, 5; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public), 14; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 139; sermons and addresses, 139; Sunday school (teachers 4, scholars 30), total 34; church building; seats (free), 175; insurance (paid in full), \$2,000.00; no rectory; title to the property in Parochial Trust Fund; salary promised by Parish, \$360; salary paid to April 30th, \$330; salary received from Diocesan Missionary board, \$300.

#### **FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1907.**

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$460.00.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$67.00; Diocesan missions, \$30.00; disabled clergy fund, \$2.00; permanent Episcopal fund, \$1.35; bishop's purse, \$13.60; other objects within the Diocese (St. Luke's Hospital), \$2.00.  
Total, \$115.95.

General: General missions, \$15.00.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$590.95.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$5,500.00.

Total value of all Parish property, \$5,500.00.

Indebtedness on church property: Indebtedness on church (bonded) \$1,000.00; total indebtedness, \$1,000.00.

**BRUNSWICK.**

(Chariton County.)

ST. PAUL'S.

Organized 1857.

Warden, J. M. Peery.

Secretary, George Peery.

No report.

**CARROLLTON.**

(Carroll County.)

Organized November 4, 1872.

Vacant.

Warden, Dr. H. M. Pettit.

Families, 4; souls, 15; communicants (male 1, female 3), 4; baptisms (adults), 1; confirmed, 1; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public) 1; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 1; seats (free), 150; insurance (paid in full), \$1,000.00 fire, \$700.00 tornado; no rectory; title to the property in Parochial Trust Fund.

**FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1907.**

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), paid by warden; no record kept.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$2,000.00.

No indebtedness.

**CARTHAGE.**

(Jasper County.)

GRACE CHURCH.

Organized December 28, 1869.

Rector, The Rev. John R. Atwill.

Wardens, T. N. Davey, James P. Newell; Secretary, R. W. Jay; Treasurer, R. E. Frey; Vestrymen, D. G. Wells, A. M. Drake, Chas. Drake, B. B. Allen, H. A. Wolcott.

Families, 85; souls, 331; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 276; communicants (male 40, female 112), 152; communions made at Easter, 77; baptisms (infants 11, adults 4), 15; confirmed, 11; marriages, 4; burials, 4; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public 40, in private 1), 41; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 144; sermons and addresses, 150; Sunday school (teachers 6, scholars 89), 95; church building; seats (free), 230; insurance (paid in full), \$3,000.00; rectory; insurance (paid in full), \$1,500.00; salary promised by Parish, \$1,000; salary paid to April 30th, \$1,000.00.

**FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1907.**

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$1,292.00; perma-



nent improvements, \$193.24; other expenses within the Parish, \$75.00. Total, \$1,560.24.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$123.25; Diocesan missions, \$8.00; bishop's purse, \$19.92; other objects within the Diocese, \$11.52. Total, 162.69.

General: General missions, \$6.55; other objects without the Diocese (aged and infirm clergy), \$4.90. Total, \$11.45.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$1,734.38.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$8,500.00; rectory and grounds, \$2,500.00. Total value of all Parish property, \$11,000.00.

No indebtedness.

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### CHILLICOTHE.

(Livingston County.)

#### GRACE CHURCH.

Organized 1858.

Rector, The Rev. Arthur M. Griffin, 425 Elm street.

Wardens, A. McVey, R. W. West; Secretary, S. Nicholas; Treasurer, Frank Platter; Vestrymen, John Millbank, A. Leeper, G. C. Sherman, W. W. Voelker, C. B. Swan, Dr. R. Barney, Dr. L. E. Tracy, J. F. Hawley, Louis Gould, Chas. O'Neil, Chas. Dawson.

Families, 52; souls, 173; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 169; communicants (male 34, female 77), 111; communions made at Easter, 87; baptisms (infants 1, adults 6), 7; confirmed, 13; marriages, 2; burials, 3; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public 52, in private 1), 53; public services (exclusive of celebrations) from Sept. 1, 1906, 174; sermons and addresses, from Sept. 1, 1906, 170; Sunday school (teachers 5, scholars 31), 36; church building; seats (free), 180; insurance (paid in full), \$2,200.00; rectory; insurance (paid in full), \$2,800.00; title to the property, in rector and vestry; salary promised by Parish, \$1,200.00; amount of salary paid to April 30th (from Sept. 1, 1906), \$800.00.

#### FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1907.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$1,026.62; permanent improvements, \$638.86; charity (alms), \$31.21; other expenses within the Parish, \$40.00; cash on hand, \$250.00. Total, \$1,986.69.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$140.00; Diocesan missions, \$65.80; bishop's purse, \$14.32; other objects within the Diocese (hospital at Kansas City), \$5.00. Total, \$225.12.

General: General missions, \$20.00; domestic missions, \$10.00; other objects without the Diocese (infirm clergy), \$15.00. Total, \$45.00.

Total expenditures for all purposes, \$2,256.81.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$5,000.00; rectory and grounds, \$5,000.00. Total value of all Parish property, \$10,000.00.

Indebtedness: Floating debt, \$450.00. Total indebtedness, \$450.00.

**FAYETTE.**

(Howard County.)

**ST. MARY'S.**

Organized 1836.

Rector, C. R. Stearns, Boonville, Mo.

Wardens, J. H. Pearson, John Talbott; Secretary, Harry Nutt, Fayette; Treasurer, J. H. Pearson, Fayette; Vestrymen, J. H. Pearson, John Talbot.

Families, 9; souls, 35; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 33; communicants (male 13, female 11), 24; baptisms (infants), 3; confirmed, 1; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public), 12; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 10; sermons and addresses, 22; church building; seats (free), 100; insurance (paid in full), \$1,000.00; no rectory; title to the property in wardens and vestry; salary promised by Parish, \$150.00; salary paid to April 30th, \$150.00; salary received from Diocesan Missionary Board, \$150.00.

**FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1907.**

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$161.20.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$12.95; Diocesan missions, \$8.33; Theological education fund, \$0.50; bishop's purse, \$0.70. Total, \$22.48.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$183.68.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$3,000.00. Total value of all Parish property, \$3,000.00.

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**INDEPENDENCE.**

(Jackson County.)

**TRINITY.**

Organized 1844.

Rector, Wm. H. Haupt, 403 W. Liberty street.

Wardens, Mark Salisbury, R. C. Peacock; Secretary, R. F. Wilkinson, N. River Blvd.; Treasurer, Walter Brown, 116 S. Pleasant street; Vestrymen, F. C. Florance, W. E. Royster, D. B. Davis.

Families, 41; souls, 145; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 131; communicants (male 22, female 44), 66; communions made at Easter, 50; baptisms (infants 3, adults 1), 4; marriages, 1; burials, 1; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public), 32; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 95; sermons and addresses, 90; Sunday school (teachers 4, scholars 23), 27; church building; seats (free 100, assigned 50), 150; insurance (paid in full), \$3,000.00; title to the property in the bishop; salary promised by Parish, \$600.00; salary paid to April 30th, \$566.64; salary received from Diocesan Missionary Board, \$200.00.

**FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1907.**

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$872.49; charity, \$50.00; other expenses within the Parish (insurance on church \$30.00, on S. School \$39.68), \$69.68. Total, \$992.17.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$84.00; Diocesan missions, \$13.30; other objects within the Diocese (St. Luke's Hospital), \$3.35. Total, \$100.65.

General: General missions, \$12.21; other objects without the Diocese (G. C. relief), \$9.00. Total, \$21.21.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$1,114.03.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$5,000; rectory, \$1,500.00.

Total value of all parish property, \$6,500.00.

Floating debt, \$50.00.

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### JOPLIN.

(Jasper County.)

ST. PHILIP'S.

Organized 1891.

Rector, The Rev. Charles A. Weed, 706 Byers avenue.

Wardens, A. J. Bendelars, P. C. Campbell; Secretary, Charles A. Naylor, Conqueror Trust Co.; Treasurer, Philip Arnold, Conqueror Trust Co.; Vestrymen, Ralph Corbin, H. C. Shaw, Frederick C. Cook.

Families, 80; souls, 290; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 202; communicants (male 24, female 102), 126; communions made at Easter, 69; baptisms (infants 5, adults 3), 8; confirmed, 8; marriages, 5; burials, 10; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public 62, in private 1), 63; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 109; sermons and addresses, 132; Sunday school (teachers 4, scholars 39), 43; church building; seats (free), 130; insurance (paid in full), \$1,500.00; rectory; insurance (paid in full), \$1,500.00; title to the property in the vestry; salary promised by Parish, \$1,260.00.

#### FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1907.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$1,529.95; permanent improvements, \$1,900.00; charity, \$37.75; other expenses within the Parish: Sunday school, \$48.77; guilds (outside of money turned over to vestry), \$341.30. Total, \$3,857.77.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment (part on last year), \$161.14; Diocesan missions, \$27.33; disabled clergy fund, \$3.61. Total, \$192.08.

General: General missions, \$8.90; other objects without the Diocese (Babies' Branch Woman's Auxiliary), \$1.00. Total, \$9.90.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$4,059.75.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$8,000; rectory and grounds, \$4,000. Total value of all Parish property, \$12,000.00.

Indebtedness: Floating debt, \$50.00. Total indebtedness, \$50.00.

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### KANSAS CITY.

(Jackson County.)

GRACE CHURCH.

Organized 1870.

Rector, The Rev. J. A. Schaad, 1707 Pennsylvania avenue.

Wardens, James C. Horton, Henry D. Ashley; Secretary, E. M. Clenden-

ing; Treasurer, John F. Eaton; Vestrymen, S. W. Kniffin, W. C. Goffe, W. R. Jacques, W. M. Reid, B. D. Rowe, Jas. C. Mackenzie, T. B. Tomb, W. R. Clark, R. C. Christopher, W. H. Chapman.

Families (estimated), 150; souls (estimated), 750; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure (estimated), 700; communicants (estimated) (male 140, female 250), 400; communions made at Easter, 193; baptisms (infants 6, adults 7), 13; confirmed, 25; marriages, 6; burials, 12; Sunday school (teachers 7, scholars 73), 80; church building; seats (free 609, rented 225, assigned 66), 900; insurance (paid in full), \$42,000.00; no rectory; title to the property in rector, wardens and vestrymen; salary promised by Parish, \$3,000.00; salary paid to April 30th in full.

#### FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING JANUARY 1, 1907.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$6,287.38; permanent improvements, \$4,175.41; charity, \$81.40; other expense within the Parish (S. S. \$37.40, Altar Guild \$52.33), \$89.73. Total, \$10,633.92.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$540.00; Diocesan missions, \$672.95; bishop's purse, \$199.36; other objects within the Diocese, \$390.12. Total, \$1,802.43.

General: General missions, \$74.09; domestic missions, \$34.00; foreign missions, \$6.00; other objects without the Diocese, \$147.19. Total, \$261.28.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$12,697.63.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$100,000.00; other property (organ \$10,582.00, McLean fund, \$10,000.00. Total value of all parish property, \$120,582.00.

Indebtedness on church property: Indebtedness on Guild Hall (bonded), \$7,500.00; floating debt (bills payable), \$753.48. Total indebtedness, \$8,253.48.

Amount paid on bonded debt during the year, \$1,000.00.

Cash and pledges on hand sufficient to cancel all indebtedness.

#### ST. GEORGE'S.

Organized March 23, 1891.

Rector, The Rev. Edwin B. Woodruff, 3228 Campbell street.

Wardens, Virginius W. Gayle, M. D., Francis M. Hayward; Secretary, George Wise, 820 Linwood Blvd.; Treasurer, William Mendenhall, 3125 Woodland avenue; Vestrymen, A. C. Stowell, W. A. Moses, B. C. Howard, J. Q. Watkins, H. J. S. Seeley, R. T. Alexander, Samuel Trotter, Robert Waddell, Chas. T. Neal.

Families, 134; souls, 497; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 490; communicants (male 119, female 215), 334; communions made at Easter, 278 Easter day, 341 in the octave; baptisms (infants 12, adults 4), 16; confirmed, 12; marriages, 13; burials, 11; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public 60, in private 8), 68; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 90; Sunday school (teachers 21, scholars 167), 188; church building; seats (free), 240; insurance (paid in full), \$4,000.00; no rectory; title to the property in rector, wardens and vestrymen; salary promised by Parish, \$1,800.00; salary paid to April 30th, \$1,800.00.

## FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING JANUARY 1, 1907.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$3,308.18; charity, 75.00; other expenses within the Parish, \$30.36; payment on bonds, \$500.00; payment on new church lot, \$2,250.00. Total, \$6,163.54.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$250.00; Diocesan missions, \$161.89; bishop's purse, \$24.27; other objects within the Diocese, \$31.90. Total, \$468.06.

General: General missions, \$29.76; other objects without the Diocese, \$31.66; general clergy relief, \$23.85. Total, \$85.27.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$6,716.87.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$12,000.00; other property, \$7,750.00. Total value of all Parish property, \$19,750.00.

Indebtedness on church property: Indebtedness on church (bonded), \$4,600.00; indebtedness on other property, \$5,500.00. Total indebtedness, \$10,100.00.

Amount paid on bonded debt during the year, \$500.00.

## ST. MARK'S.

Organized April 12, 1889.

Rector, Daniel G. Mackinnon, 510 Olive street.

Wardens, T. C. Bradley, Chas. Lawson; Secretary, H. C. Hawkins, 2618 East Eighth street; Treasurer, T. C. Bradley, 3333 St. John avenue; Vestrymen, T. C. Bradley, Alfred Hamlin, A. D. Johnson, Chas. Lawson, Fred H. Wood, W. W. Leeds, H. C. Hawkins, C. Whittaker, S. H. Kurfiss.

Families, 110; souls, 476; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 435; communicants (male 99, female 178), 277; communions made at Easter, 188; baptisms (infants 15, adults 5), 20; confirmed, 11; marriages, 7; burials, 10; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public 90, in private 8), 98; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 170; sermons and addresses, 165; Sunday school (teachers 14, scholars 130), 144; church building; seats (free), 250; insurance (paid in full), \$4,000.00; no rectory; title to the property in rector, wardens and vestry; salary promised by Parish, \$1,800.00; salary paid to April 30th, \$1,800.00.

## FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1907.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$2,239.72; permanent improvements, \$111.92. Total, \$2,351.64.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$140.00; Diocesan missions, \$50.00; bishop's purse, \$41.00; other objects within the Diocese (St. Luke's Hospital), \$10.50. Total, \$241.50.

General: General missions (apportionment), \$50.00; domestic missions, \$20.00; foreign missions, \$10.00; other objects without the Diocese (Woman's Auxiliary), \$77.00. Total, \$157.00.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$2,750.14.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$10,000.00. Total value of all Parish property, \$10,000.00.

No indebtedness.

## ST. MARY'S.

Organized December 14, 1857.

Rector, The Rev. J. Stewart-Smith, 1307 Holmes street.

Wardens, B. E. Fryer, M. D., Thomas Pain; Secretary, M. G. Harman, 2104 Bellevue avenue; Treasurer, A. W. Miller, 3023 1-2 E. Sixth street; Vestrymen, E. C. Hamill, H. S. Allen, J. S. Smith, Frederick A. Smith, Aubrey P. Devereaux.

Baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 250; communicants (male 61, female 145), 206; communions made at Easter, 136; baptisms (infants 11, adults 9), 20; confirmed 8; marriages, 10; burials, 9; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public 390, in private 32), 412; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 607; sermons and addresses, 131; church building: seats (free), 400; insurance (paid in full); title to the property in rector, church wardens and vestrymen; salary promised by Parish, \$1,500.00; salary paid to April 30th, \$1,500.00.

## FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1907.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$3,000.58) permanent improvements, \$137.55; charity, \$42.50. Total, \$3,180.63.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$252.00; Diocesan missions, \$100.00; disabled clergy fund, \$20.60; bishop's purse, \$10.00; other objects within the Diocese (St. Luke's Hospital), \$12.70. Total, \$395.30.

General: General missions, \$68.52; other objects without the Diocese, \$10.90. Total, \$79.42.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$3,655.35.

Total value of all Parish property, \$75,000.00.

Indebtedness on church (bonded), \$5,450.00; indebtedness on rectory (bonded), \$2,900.00. Total indebtedness, \$8,350.00.

Amount paid on bonded debt during the year, \$300.00.

## ST. PAUL'S.

(Westport.)

Organized May 5, 1891.

Rector, The Rev. J. D. Ritchey, 3628 Wyandotte street.

Wardens, Walton H. Holmes, Egbert Chapman; Secretary, O. W. Pratt, 304 First National Bank Bldg.; Treasurer, R. B. Greene, 310 First National Bank Bldg.; Vestrymen, Gardiner Lathrop, Edward George, Alfred Toll, Geo. T. Lynn, Hale Holden, C. W. Armour, C. J. Hubbard, Dr. St. Clair Streett, Geo. M. Taylor, John G. Groves, B. B. Lee.

Families, 193; souls, 740; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 580; communicants (male 97, female 208), 305; communions made at Easter, 260; baptisms (infants 10, adults 4), 14; confirmed, 14; marriages, 9; burials, 8; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public), 62; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 143; sermons and addresses, 146; Sunday school (teachers 15, scholars 135), 150; church building: seats (free 54, rented 400, assigned 6), 460; insurance (paid in full), \$36,500.00; title to the property in rector, wardens and vestrymen; salary promised by Parish, \$3,000.00; salary paid to April 30th, \$3,000.00.

## FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1907.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$6,036.76; permanent improvements, \$6,250.49; charity, \$256.70; other expenses within the parish: Insurance, \$221.25; interest, \$1,202.16. Total, \$13,967.36.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$720.00; Diocesan missions, \$450.00; disabled clergy fund, 55.42; bishop's purse, \$30.04; other objects within the Diocese (St. Luke's Hospital), \$18.85. Total, \$1,274.31.

General: General missions, \$54.89; domestic missions (North Dakota), \$9.80; other objects without the Diocese (S. S. Lenten offering), \$78.65. Total, \$143.34.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$15,385.01.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$50,000.00. Total value of all Parish property, \$50,000.00.

Indebtedness on church property: Indebtedness on church (bonded), \$19,000.00; floating debt, \$2,000.00. Total indebtedness, \$21,000.00.

## TRINITY.

Organized 1883.

Rector, The Rev. Robert Talbot, 2929 Harrison street.

Wardens, John T. Harding, J. C. Pond; Secretary, Charles H. Childs, 910 Prospect avenue; Treasurer, H. Uebelmesser, 410 University Bldg.; Vestrymen, H. H. Embry, E. F. Swinney, R. W. Cary, Albert White, Wm. M. Federman, John Gosling, J. C. Fuller.

Families (about), 235; souls (about), 1,000; communicants, 504; baptisms (infants 11, adults 9), 20; confirmed, 18; marriages, 27; burials, 25; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public 92, in private 9), 101; sermons and addresses, 170; Sunday school (teachers 10, scholars 100), 110; church building; insurance (paid in full), \$20,000.00; no rectory; title to the property in American Church Building Fund Commission; salary promised by Parish, \$3,000.00; salary paid to April 30th, \$3,000.00.

## FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1907.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$4,690.45; permanent improvements, \$200.00; charity, \$250.25; other expenses within the Parish, \$700.00; insurance and altar decorations, \$150.00. Total, \$5,990.70.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$500.00; Diocesan missions, \$236.00; bishop's purse, \$17.00. Total, \$753.02.

General: General missions, \$22.02; other objects without the Diocese, \$29.11. Total, \$51.13.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$6,794.85.

Indebtedness: Floating debt, \$1,000.00. Total indebtedness, \$1,000.00.

**LEXINGTON.**

(Lafayette County.)

**CHRIST CHURCH.**

Organized Easter, 1840.

Wardens, Joseph F. Smith, Isaac G. Neal; Secretary, Richard E. Hayes; Treasurer, Joseph F. Smith; Vestrymen, Joseph F. Smith, Isaac G. Neal, Richard E. Hayes, T. B. Wiley, Lucien Lesueur.

Communicants (male 10, female 20), 30; amount of salary paid to April 30th, \$300.00.

**FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1907.**

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$450.00.

Diocesan: Diocesan missions, \$35.00.

General: General missions, \$20.00.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$505.00.

**MARYVILLE.**

(Nodaway County.)

**ST. PAUL'S.**

Organized March 1, 1878.

Missionary, The Rev. B. J. Baxter.

Wardens, E. J. Williams, Eugene Briggs; Secretary and Treasurer, M. J. Alderman; Vestrymen, F. G. Shoemaker, C. J. Alderman, Ed Sigus, E. V. Morehouse, C. D. Hooker, C. A. Vansteinberg, W. G. Turner.

Families, 19; souls, 65; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 55; communicants (male 13, female 22), 35; communions made at Easter, 23; baptisms (infants 1, adults 1), 2; confirmed, 3; burials, 2; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public 12, in private 1), 13; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 90; sermons and addresses, 85; church building; seats (free), 150; insurance (paid in full), \$750.00; no rectory; title to the property in the Diocese; salary promised by Parish, \$291.20 (from Oct. 1, 1906); salary paid to April 30th, \$291.20 (from Oct. 1, 1906); salary received from Diocesan Missionary Board, \$175.00 (from Oct. 1, 1906); salary received from other sources, \$83.83 (from Oct. 1, 1906).

**FINANCIAL REPORT FOR SEVEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL 30, 1907.**

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$456.78; permanent improvements, \$78.32. Total, \$535.10.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$10.00; Diocesan missions, \$15.00; bishop's purse, \$4.35. Total, \$29.35.

General: General missions, \$12.00.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$576.45.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$2,000.00.

No indebtedness.



**NEVADA.**

(Vernon County.)

**ALL SAINTS'.**

Organized 1868.

Rector, Charles H. Bohn.

Wardens, M. T. Hill, Robert Gabrielson; Secretary, Geo. Kraft; Treasurer, M. T. Hill; Vestrymen, Mr. George, Harrison Mitchell, Reuben Lucas, Charles H. Graves.

Communicants (male 22, female 58), 80; communions made at Easter, 60; baptisms (infants), 1; burials, 2; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public), 4; sermons and addresses, 38; Sunday school (teachers 7, scholars 30), 37; church building; seats (free), 150; insurance (paid in full), \$1,000.00; no rectory; title to the property in wardens and vestry; salary promised by Parish, \$700.00; salary paid to April 30th, \$159.00; Salary received from Diocesan Missionary Board, none as yet; salary received from other sources, \$100.00.

**FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THREE MONTHS ENDING APRIL 30, 1907.**

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$311.40; permanent improvements, \$5.00; other expenses within the Parish, \$38.50. Total, 354.90.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$27.00; other objects within the Diocese (St. Luke's Hospital), \$5.00. Total, \$32.00.

General: General missions (S. S. Lenten offering), \$17.15.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$404.05.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$4,000.00.

No indebtedness.

**PLEASANT HILL.**

(Cass County.)

**CALVARY.**

Organized 1868.

Missionary, The Rev. J. W. Barker, Lee's Summit, Mo.

Wardens, J. A. Ainsworth, John Holloway; Secretary, Geo. Fox; Treasurer, John Holloway; Vestrymen, Geo. Fox, J. A. Ainsworth, B. J. Roha, John Holloway.

Families, 10; souls, 25; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 26; communicants (male 8, female 10), 18; baptisms (adults), 1; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public), 2; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 5; sermons and addresses, 5; church building; seats (free), 80; no rectory; salary promised by Parish, \$100.00; amount of salary paid to April 30th, \$14.00.

**FINANCIAL REPORT FOR PART OF THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1907.**

Parochial: Permanent improvements, \$10.00; other expenses within the Parish, \$3.84. Total, \$13.84.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$1,000.00.

No indebtedness.

**ST. JOSEPH.**

(Buchanan County.)

**CHRIST CHURCH.**

(Not including St. Luke's Mission, for which see page 99.)

Organized 1852.

Clerical staff, Rector, The Rev. Edward Henry Eckel, B. D., The Rectory.  
Curate, The Rev. Arthur Wadsworth Farnum, 10 Summit Place.

Deaconesses, Jane Frances George and Harriet Courtney Hyde, 18 Summit Place.

Wardens, Messrs. Chas. A. Kelly and Wm. R. Millan; Secretary, Mr. Wilson S. Hendrick, 607 S. Seventh St.; Treasurer, Mr. Chas. A. Kelly, 608 Edmond St.; Vestrymen, H. G. Buckingham, L. T. Golding, C. E. Green, H. M. Hansen, E. C. Hartwig, W. S. Hendrick, James Hull, Horace Stringfellow, W. E. Stringfellow, and Horace Wood.

Families, 458; souls, 1,001; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 914; communicants (male 200, female 457), 657; communions made at Easter, 453; baptisms (infants 24, adults 6), 30; confirmed, 55; received from Roman church upon public renunciation, 2; total 57; marriages, 11; burials, 10; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public 107, in private 12), 119; public services (exclusive of celebrations), including extra liturgical 6, total 302; sermons and addresses, 212; Sunday school (officers and teachers 29, scholars 175), 204; church building; seats (free 40, rented 508), 600; insurance (paid in full), \$15,000.00; rectory; insurance (paid in full), \$6,000.00; title to the property in the rector, church wardens and vestry; salary promised by Parish and by rector to assistants; salary all paid to April 30th in full (rector \$2,860, curate \$1,000, deaconesses \$600), \$4,460.

**FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1907.**

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$11,348.74; charity, \$212.97. Total, \$11,561.71.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$900.00; diocesan missions (including direct contributions), \$739.79; theological education fund (including direct contributions), \$85.00; bishop's purse, \$61.55; other objects within the diocese (St. Luke's hospital, K. C.), \$2.00. Total, \$1,788.34.

General: General missions, \$539.95; domestic missions (including some extra ecclesiastical work, \$141.38; foreign missions (including Anglican missions in Far East, \$13.17), \$74.12; other objects without the diocese, general clergy relief, \$62.00; bishop of California's fund for church restoration, \$83.15; bible and prayer book distribution, \$10.70; theological education, \$8.05. Total, \$919.35.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$14,269.40.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$20,000; rectory and grounds, \$12,000; other property, \$1,700.

Total value of all Parish property, \$33,700.

No indebtedness.

### HOLY TRINITY.

Rector, The Rev. Henry L. A. Fick, 1521 South Eleventh street.

Junior warden, F. W. Archer; Secretary, Eli Chapman, 2137 South Twelfth street; Treasurer, Thos. J. Hendra, 5740 South Fourth street; Vestrymen, Frederick W. Archer, Elijah D. Ford, Jas. H. Allen, Gilbert V. Chapman, Eli Chapman, Thos. J. Hendra, John Howe, Edward L. Graham, Cecil R. Miller, Chas. F. Horan.

Families, 69; souls, 218; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 197; communicants (male 19, female 52), 71; communions made at Easter, 49; baptisms (infants 8, adults 1), 9; confirmed, 4; marriages, 4; burials, 7; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public 32, in private 3), 35; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 124; sermons and addresses, 115; Sunday school (teachers 2, scholars 38), 40; church building; seats (free), 250; insurance (paid in full), \$3,500.00; no rectory; salary promised by Parish, \$600.00; salary paid to April 30th, \$600.00; salary received from Diocesan Missionary Board, \$200.00.

#### FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1907.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$645.67; repairs, etc., \$73.65; convocation meeting expenses, \$6.99; other expenses within the Parish: Sunday school, \$36.37; sewer tax, \$32.85; interest on paving, \$1.82—\$78.03. Total, \$797.35.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment (\$35.00 less discount), \$31.52; Diocesan missions, \$49.15; permanent Episcopal fund, \$3.00; Theological education fund, \$3.72; bishop's purse, \$13.87; other objects within the Diocese, \$3.90. Total, \$105.16.

General: General and Domestic missions (including Woman's Auxiliary, \$3.00; Sunday school Easter offering, \$7.12), \$40.12; N. Y. Bible & P. B. Soc., \$2.86. Other objects without the Diocese: Missions to deaf mutes, \$3.75; missions to Jews, \$1.30; general clergy relief, \$10.75; Am. Ch. Bldg. fund, \$2.06. Total, \$60.84.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$963.35.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$8,000.00. Total value of all Parish property, \$8,000.00.

Indebtedness on church property: No indebtedness; floating debt (including \$167.26 paving and grading), \$175.20. Total indebtedness, \$175.20.

Amount paid on bonded debt during the year, \$17.80.

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### SEDALIA.

(Pettis County.)

### CALVARY.

Organized December, 1865.

Rector—Vacant.

Warden, D. H. Smith; Secretary, Newton Cannon; Treasurer, Chas. C. Evans; Vestrymen, A. D. Stanley, W. J. Maltby, Nelson Smith, Geo. H. Trader, A. A. Baker, Ernest N. Lamy, O. E. Parsons, D. H. Smith, Newton Cannon.

Families, 65; souls, 132; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 186; communicants (male 60, female 72), 132; number of communions made at Easter, 82; confirmed, 4; marriages, 2; burials, 4; Sunday school (teachers 7, scholars 40), 47; church building; seats (free), 300; insurance (paid in full), \$9,000.00; rectory; insurance (paid in full), \$5,000.00; title to the property in Calvary Episcopal church; salary paid to April 30th, \$1,100.08.

**FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1907.**

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$1,248.00; permanent improvements, \$72.35; charity, \$3.80; other expenses within the Parish, \$260.52. Total, \$1,584.67.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$165.00; disabled clergy fund, \$9.16; other objects within the Diocese, \$18.44. Total, \$192.60.

General: General missions, \$35.00; domestic missions, \$46.04. Total, \$81.04.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$1,858.31.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$23,000.00; rectory and grounds, \$7,000.00. Total value of all Parish property, \$30,000.00.

Indebtedness on church property: Indebtedness on church (bonded), none; indebtedness on rectory (bonded), \$3,555.00; indebtedness on other property (bonded), \$575.00.

Amount paid on bonded debt during the year, \$100.00.

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**SPRINGFIELD.**

(Greene County.)

**CHRIST CHURCH.**

Organized 1860.

Rector, The Rev. Albert R. Llwyd, 328 Kimbrough street.

Wardens, Jas. Blain, Harry Cooper; Secretary, Ernest M. Wilcox, St. Louis street; Treasurer, Dr. A. P. Evans, 328 Kimbrough street; Vestrymen, W. W. Smith, Geo. Cooper, Dr. V. O. Pranter.

Families, 35; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 310; communicants (male 52, female 131), 183; communions made at Easter, 123; baptisms (infants 11, adults 8), 19; confirmed, 10; marriages, 1; burials, 6; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public 33, in private 5), 38; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 121; sermons and addresses, 120; Sunday school (teachers 5, scholars 61), 66; church building; seats (free), 300; insurance (paid in full), \$6,900.00; rectory; insurance (paid in full), \$3,000.00; title to the property in Parochial Trust Fund; salary promised by Parish, \$1,200; salary paid to April 30th, \$1,200.

**FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1907.**

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$1,584.89; permanent improvements, \$1,000.00; other expenses within the Parish (prayer books, \$18.00; note, \$350.00; prayer book racks, \$31.00; bonded debt, \$100.00), \$499.00. Total, \$3,083.89.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$165.00; Diocesan missions, \$50.00; disabled clergy fund, \$30.30; other objects within the Diocese (St. Luke's Hospital), \$6.45. Total, \$251.75.

General: General missions, \$32.25.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$3,367.89.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$11,200.00; rectory and grounds, \$5,000.00. Total value of all Parish property, \$16,200.00.

Indebtedness on church property: Indebtedness on rectory (bonded), \$1,400.00; floating debt, \$300.00. Total indebtedness, \$1,700.00.

Amount paid on bonded debt during the year, \$100.00.

### ST. JOHN'S.

Organized 1886.

Rector, The Rev. Robert Nelson Spencer, 1412 Benton avenue.

Wardens, Marcus A. Coil, Jesse E. Hicks; Secretary, Jesse E. Hicks, 1939 Robberson street; Treasurer, Julius Seifert, 225 E. Division street; Vestrymen, M. H. Coil, J. E. Hicks, Julius Seifert, Jas. H. Ashley, Jas. A. Perkins, Dr. J. L. Ormsbee, Frank A. Roby, Edgar L. Richardson, Duncan Weeks.

Families, 90; souls, 365; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 362; communicants (male 60, female 165), 225; communions made at Easter, 126; baptisms (infants 9, adults 14), 23; confirmed, 28; marriages, 4; burials, 1; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public), 60; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 190; sermons and addresses, 180; Sunday school (teachers 9, scholars 70), 79; church building; seats (free), 225; insurance (paid in full), \$6,000.00; rectory; insurance (paid in full), \$3,000.00; title to the property (rectory), Ellen A. Burge; salary promised by Parish, \$825.00; amount of salary paid to April 30th, \$640.00.

#### FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1907.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$1,124.33.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$110.00; Diocesan missions, \$50.00; other objects within the Diocese, \$31.41. Total, \$191.41.

General: General missions, \$43.09; other objects without the Diocese (Japan and San Francisco), \$20.50. Total, \$63.59.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$1,379.33.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$12,750.00; rectory and grounds, \$4,325.00; other property (St. Andrew's mission), \$500.00. Total value of all Parish property, \$17,575.00.

Indebtedness on church property: Indebtedness on church (bonded), none; indebtedness on rectory (bonded), \$1,200.00; floating debt, \$125.00. Total indebtedness, \$1,325.00.

Amount paid on bonded debt during the year, \$100.00.

**WARRENSBURG.**

(Johnson County.)

**CHRIST CHURCH.**

Organized April, 1868.

Rector, The Rev. John K. Dunn, 3435 Campbell street, Kansas City, Mo.  
Wardens, Charles A. Shepard, Joseph K. Tuttle; Secretary, J. A. Zimmerman, Warrensburg, Mo.; Treasurer, Miss Lillian Duffield, Warrensburg, Mo.; Vestrymen, Charles A. Shepard, Joseph K. Tuttle, Ewing Cockrell, J. A. Zimmerman, Wilbur Tuttle.

Families, 19; souls, 80; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 75; communicants (male 7, female 31), 38; communions made at Easter, 28; confirmed, 1; burials, 1; celebrations of the Holy communion (public 14, in private 1), 15; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 95; sermons and addresses, 92; Sunday school and Bible class, 15; church building; seats (all free), 200; insurance (paid in full), \$1,500.00; rectory, insurance (paid in full), \$500.00; title to the property in rector, wardens and vestry; salary promised by Parish (and board), \$325.00; salary paid to April 30th, \$340.00; salary received from Diocesan Missionary Board, \$275.00.

**FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1907.**

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$432.42; other expenses within the Parish (paving, etc), \$82.80. Total, \$515.22.  
Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$50.75; Diocesan missions, \$35.00; bishop's purse \$4.40; Episcopal Residence fund, \$16.05. Total, \$106.20.  
General: General missions, \$10.50; foreign missions, \$1.00; G. C. relief, \$5.50; Jewish missions, \$1.00. Total, \$18.00.  
Total expenditure for all purposes, \$639.42.  
Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$5,000.00; rectory and grounds, \$1,000.00. Total value of all Parish property, \$6,000.00.  
No bonded indebtedness; floating debt (paving bal. and repairs), \$76.00.  
Total indebtedness, \$76.00.

**WESTON.**

(Platte County.)

**ST. JOHN'S.**

Organized 1851.

No report.

**PARISHES**

From which no report has been received.

Brunswick. ....St. Paul's  
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## Organized Mission Reports.

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### AMAZONIA.

(Andrew County.)

ST. MATTHEW'S.

Organized 1885.

Missionary, The Rev. E. W. Flower, St. Joseph, Mo.

Treasurer, Mrs. Frances Thomas, Amazonia, Mo.

Families, 3; souls, 16; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 14; communicants (male 1, female 3), 4; communions made at Easter, 3; burials, 3; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public 10, in private 1), 11; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 3; sermons and addresses, 14; Sunday school (teachers 3, scholars 15), 18; church building; insurance (paid in full); title to the property in the Bishop of the Diocese; salary promised by mission, none; no salary from any source.

#### FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1907.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$5.25; other expenses within the Parish (for Sunday school), \$7.93. Total, \$13.18.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$1.00; Diocesan missions, \$2.50; bishop's purse, \$1.00. Total, \$4.50.

General: General missions, \$2.50.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$20.18.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$1,000.00. Total value of all Parish property, \$1,000.00.

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### AURORA.

(Lawrence County.)

TRINITY.

Missionary, The Rev. James Senior, Lamar, Mo.

Treasurer, G. C. Shaw, Aurora, Mo.

Families, 8; souls, 33; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 31; communicants (male 5, female 10), 15; communions made at Easter, 5; baptisms (infants), 1; confirmed, 2; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public), 8; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 29; sermons and addresses, 28; Sunday school (held on Mondays) (teachers 3, scholars, 20), 23; church building; seats (free), 100; insurance (paid in full), \$500.00; no rectory; title to the property in the bishop; salary promised by mission, expenses and \$100.00; salary paid to April 30th, \$99.30; salary received from Diocesan Missionary Board, \$66.66.

## FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1907.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$134.20; permanent improvements, \$65.15. Total, \$199.35.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$3.00.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$202.35.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$1,000.00. Total value of all Parish property, \$1,000.00.

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**BUTLER.**

(Bates County.)

ST. MARK'S.

Organized 1875.

Missionary, The Rev. J. W. Barker, Lee's Summit, Mo.

Warden, M. S. Clay; Secretary and Treasurer, Dr. H. M. Cannon, Butler, Mo.

Families, 18; souls, 37; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure (about), 50; communicants (male 6, female 18), 24; communions made at Easter, 12; baptisms (infants), 1; marriages, 1; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public), 2; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 8; sermons and addresses, 8; church building; seats (free), 175; no rectory; salary promised by mission, \$200.00; salary paid to April 30th, \$31.76; no salary from other sources.

## FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1907.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$37.26; permanent improvements, \$8.00. Total, \$45.26.

General: Domestic missions, \$8.03.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$53.29.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$1,100.00. Total value of all Parish property, \$1,100.00.

No indebtedness.

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**CAMERON.**

(Clinton County.)

ST. JOHN'S.

Organized 1869.

Warden, Thos. E. Turney; Secretary and Treasurer, A. J. Althouse; Vestrymen, Thos. E. Turney, A. J. Althouse, Jas. A. Franklin.

Families, 6; souls, 28; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 28; communicants (male 7, female 10), 17; baptisms (adults), 1; confirmed, 3; burials, 2; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public), 4; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 9; sermons and addresses, 9; Sunday school (teachers 3, scholars 15), 18; church building; seats (free), 200; insurance (paid in full), \$1,200.00; no rectory; title to the property in warden and bishop in trust; salary promised by mission, \$300.00; salary paid to April 30th \$15.75.



## FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1907.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$37.28.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$18.00.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$55.28.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$1,800.00; other property (rectory fund), \$311.75. Total value of all Parish property, \$2,111.75.

No indebtedness.

**CLINTON.**

(Henry County.)

ST. PAUL'S.

Organized July 10, 1886.

Missionary, The Rev. Ezra Porter Chittenden.

Warden, Richard Bowen; Secretary and Treasurer, W. L. Winsor; Vestrymen, Richard Bowen, T. M. Roberts, W. L. Winsor, Edwin Colt, T. G. Hutt, W. L. Gurner.

Families, 26; souls, 106; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 80; communicants (male 10, female 32), 42; communions made at Easter, 24; baptisms (adults), 2; confirmed, 7; burials, 3; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public), 12; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 24; sermons and addresses, 20; Sunday school (teachers 4, scholars 28), 32; church building; seats, free; insurance (paid in full), \$2,000.00; no rectory; title to the property in the bishop; salary promised by mission, \$300.00; salary paid to April 30th, \$300.00; salary received from Diocesan Missionary Board, \$300.00.

## FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1907.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$360.00; permanent improvements, \$20.00; other expenses within the Parish, \$22.00. Total, \$402.00.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$59.50; bishop's purse, \$3.50. Total, \$63.00.

General: Domestic missions, \$26.92.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$491.92.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$6,000.00.

No indebtedness.

**EAST SEDALIA.**

(Pettis County.)

ALL SAINTS.

Organized May 3, 1905.

No report.

**HARRISONVILLE.**

(Cass County.)

**ST. PETER'S.**

Organized 1871.

Missionary, The Rev. J. W. Barker, Lee's Summit, Mo.

Warden, F. J. Clarke; Treasurer, Robert Adams, Harrisonville, Mo.; Vestrymen, A. S. Deacon, John Davis.

Families, 11; souls (about), 30; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure (about), 30; communicants (male 5, female 10), 15; communions made at Easter, 10; baptisms (infants 2, adults 1), 3; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public), 2; public services (exclusive of celebrations, 11; sermons and addresses, 11; church building; seats (free), 150; no rectory; salary promised by mission, \$250.00; salary paid to April 30th, \$42.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1907.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$50.00.

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**HAMILTON.**

(Caldwell County.)

**TRINITY.**

Organized 1870.

No report.

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**HOLDEN.**

(Johnson County.)

**MT. CALVARY.**

Organized 1887.

Warden, Wm. A. Mayhew.

No report.

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**KANSAS CITY.**

(Jackson County.)

**ST. AUGUSTINE'S.**

Organized 1882.

Missionary, The Rev. Edward S. Willett, 1016 Virginia street.

Wardens, R. T. Coles, Chas. Bailer; Secretary, C. A. Jackson, 2434 Montgall avenue; Treasurer, W. H. Bronsfield, 2030 Chestnut street; Vestrymen, Thos. Williams, W. T. White, Frederick Trent, John Herndon.

Families (and parts of families), 26; souls, 100; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 100; communicants (male 22, female 48), 70; communions made at Easter, 60; baptisms (infants 2, adults 4), 6; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public 17, in private 3), 20; public ser-

vices (exclusive of celebrations), 34; sermons and addresses, 50; Sunday school (teachers 6, scholars 36), 42; church building; seats (free), 100; insurance, paid in full; no rectory; title to the property in Parochial Trust Fund; salary promised by mission (per annum), \$450.00; salary paid to April 30th, \$93.75; salary received from Diocesan Missionary Board, \$25.00; salary received from other sources, \$50.00. The above statistics date only from February 1, 1907.

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1907.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$620.46; permanent improvements, \$70.00; charity, \$6.35; other expenses within the Parish, \$24.88. Total, \$721.69.

General: Objects without the Diocese (California sufferers), \$7.50.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$729.19.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$5,000.00. Total value of all Parish property, \$5,000.00.

ST. JOHN'S.

Organized 1889.

Rector, The Rev. Carl Reed Taylor, 424 Spruce avenue.

Warden, B. J. Fradenburg, 434 Cypress avenue; Secretary, Jay M. Lee,

601 Mumford Court; Treasurer, D. G. Murray, 527 Kensington avenue;

Vestrymen, Jay M. Lee, D. G. Murray, J. S. Warrick, T. B. Stewart.

Families, 45; souls, 179; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 122; communicants (male 16, female 49), 65; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 102; sermons and addresses, 102; Sunday school (teachers 10, scholars 57), 67; church building; seats (free), 215; insurance (paid in full), \$5,000.00; no rectory; title to the property in Parochial Trust Fund; salary promised by mission; rectorship vacant till April 1, 1907; salary paid to April 30th (for clerical services), \$184.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1907.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$585.85; permanent improvements, \$246.31; other expenses within the Parish (by Ladies' Guild), \$153.84. Total, \$987.00.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$45.00; Diocesan missions, \$34.54; disabled clergy fund, \$4.56; other objects within the Diocese (St. Luke's Hospital), \$89.55. Total, \$173.65.

General: General missions, \$3.56; other objects without the Diocese (Junior Auxiliary, \$23.35; Am. Ch. Bldg. Fund commission, \$5.00; Woman's Auxiliary, \$72.70), \$101.05. Total, \$104.61.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$1,265.26.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$10,250.00; Guild Hall, \$300.00; other property (endowment), \$300.00. Total value of all Parish property, \$10,850.00.

No indebtedness.

**LAMAR.**

(Barton County.)

**CHURCH OF THE ADVENT.**

Organized 1903.

Missionary, The Rev. James Senior.

Secretary, Mrs. J. B. B. Prosser; Treasurer, Walter J. Miller, Sr.; Vestrymen, Mrs. W. J. Miller, Mrs. C. H. Morgan, Mrs. C. A. Lockwood.

Families, 12; souls, 42; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 39; communicants (male 3, female 24), 27; communions made at Easter, 13; baptisms (infants 1, adults 4), 5; confirmed, 2; burials, 1; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public), 29; public services (exclusive of celebrations, 43; sermons and addresses, 60; Sunday school (teachers 3, scholars 15), 18; church building; insurance (paid in full), \$1,000.00; no rectory; title to the property in the bishop; salary promised by mission (per annum), \$600.00; salary paid to April 30th (for 8 months), \$400.00; salary received from Diocesan Missionary Board (per annum), \$200.00.

**FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1907.**

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$486.81; permanent improvements, \$551.17; other expenses within the Parish, \$54.20. Total, \$1,092.18.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$10.00; Diocesan missions, \$11.14; bishop's purse, \$3.30. Total, \$24.44.

General: General missions, \$1.85.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$1,118.47.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$1,200.00; other property, \$300.00. Total value of all Parish property, \$1,500.00.

No indebtedness on church property; floating debt, \$106.20. Total indebtedness, \$106.20.

**LEBANON.**

(Laclede County.)

**TRINITY.**

Organized September, 1873.

Missionary, The Rev. John Wilkinson.

Warden, C. L. Palmer; Secretary, E. F. Stebbins; Treasurer, H. T. Wright.

Families, 13; souls, 65; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 65; communicants (male 13, female 22), 35; communions made at Easter, 28; baptisms (infants 2, adults 1), 3; confirmed 5; marriages, 2; burials, 1; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public), 15; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 85; sermons and addresses, 80; Sunday school (teachers 3, scholars 20), 23; church building; seats (free), 100; insurance (paid in full), \$1,500.00; no rectory; salary promised by mission, \$400.00; salary paid to April 30th, \$421.30; salary received from Diocesan Missionary Board, \$300.00; no salary from other sources.

## FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1907.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$459.75.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$50.00; Diocesan missions, \$50.00; disabled clergy fund, \$7.25; bishop's purse, \$13.00; other objects within the Diocese (St. Luke's Hospital), \$5.35. Total, 125.60.

General: General missions, \$25.00.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$610.35.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$1,500.00. Total value of all Parish property, \$1,500.00.

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**LEE'S SUMMIT.**

(Jackson County.)

ST. PAUL'S.

Organized 1872.

Missionary, The Rev. J. W. Barker, Lee's Summit, Mo.

Wardens, E. H. Graves, William Rogers; Treasurer, Mrs. F. Gatrall.

Families, 12; souls, 30; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 28; communicants (male 2, female 10), 12; communions made at Easter, 8; burials, 1; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public), 2; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 10; sermons and addresses, 9; church building; seats (free), 100; insurance, paid in full; no rectory; title to the property in Parochial Trust Fund; salary promised by mission, \$175.00; salary paid to April 30th, \$19.58.

## FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1907.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$19.58.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$10.00.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$29.58.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$1,000.00; other property (organ), \$70.00. Total value of all Parish property, \$1,070.00.

A subscription of about \$700.00 has been raised, chiefly among outside citizens, to repair the church, and the work is now being done.

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**LIBERTY.**

GRACE CHURCH.

No report.

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**MARSHALL.**

(Saline County.)

TRINITY.

Organized 1874.

Missionary, The Rev. Frank A. Joseph, 325 E. Arrow street.

Warden, A. B. Stewart; Secretary, J. C. Patterson; Treasurer, James H. Boyer; Vestrymen, J. V. Chase, Wm. Harrison, M. D.

Families, 15; souls, 78; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 72; communicants (male 16, female 36), 52; communions made at Easter, 38; baptisms (infants 1, adults 1), 2; confirmed 4; burials, 1; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public), 37; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 82; sermons and addresses, 92; Sunday school (teachers 4, scholars 22), 26; church building; seats (free), 150; insurance (paid in full to Dec. 11, 1907), \$1,100.00; rectory; insurance (paid in full to Dec. 11, 1907), \$800.00; title to the property in Parochial Trust Fund; salary promised by mission, \$600.00; salary paid to April 30th, \$500.00; salary received from Diocesan Missionary Board, \$300.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1907.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$594.61; permanent improvements (on rectory), \$103.41. Total, \$698.02.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$45.00; Diocesan missions, \$24.11; disabled clergy fund, \$3.53; bishop's purse, \$7.07; other objects within the Diocese, \$7.21. Total, \$86.92.

General: General missions, \$15.00; other objects without the Diocese (San Francisco), \$12.93. Total, \$27.93.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$812.87.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$2,000.00; rectory and grounds, \$1,750.00. Total value of all Parish property, \$3,750.00.

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**MONETT.**

(Barry County.)

ST. STEPHEN'S.

Missionary, The Rev. John R. Atwill, Carthage, Mo.

Treasurer, Mrs. John Bingham, Monett, Mo.

Families, 10; souls, 30; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 24; communicants (male 4, female 11), 15; communions made at Easter, 8; baptisms (infants), 1; confirmed, 6; burials, 1; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public 12, in private 1), 13; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 50; sermons and addresses, 55; church building; seats (free), 100; salary promised by mission, \$65.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1907.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$68.25; permanent improvements, \$43.80; other expenses within the Parish, \$16.65. Total, \$128.70.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$10.00; Diocesan missions, \$12.50; bishop's purse, \$5.00. Total, \$27.50.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$156.20.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$2,000.00. Total value of all Parish property, \$2,000.00.

No indebtedness.

**MOUNTAIN GROVE.**

(Howell County.)

ST. MARK'S.

Organized 1890.

No report.

**NEOSHO.**

(Vernon County.)

ST. JOHN'S.

Organized June 28, 1889.

Vacant. W. F. Eves, Lay Reader.

Warden, George W. Glenister; Secretary and Treasurer, W. F. Eves, Neosho, Mo.

Families, 10; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 44; communicants (male 6, female 27), 33; communions made on Easter Tuesday, 12; baptisms (infants 2, adults 3), 5; confirmed, 4; burials, 1; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public), 3; public services (exclusive of celebrations) (about), 50; Sunday school (teachers 3, scholars 28), 31; church building; seats (free), 100; insurance (not paid for current year), \$1,000.00; no rectory; title to the property in Parochial Trust Fund.

**FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1907.**

Parochial: Permanent improvements, \$35.00; other expenses within the Parish, \$160.24. Total, \$195.24.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$15.00; Diocesan missions, \$26.36; bishop's purse, \$13.11; other objects within the Diocese, \$2.35. Total, \$56.82.

General: General missions, \$35.32; other objects without the Diocese (Chinese relief), \$3.00. Total, \$38.32.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$290.38.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$1,600.00. Total value of all Parish property, \$1,600.00.

No indebtedness.

**OSWALD.**

(Atchison County.)

ST. OSWALD'S.

Organized 1891.

Missionary, The Rev. E. W. Flower, St. Joseph, Mo.

Warden, Isaac Tyson, Skidmore, Mo., R. F. D.; Secretary, Miss Beatrice Huggins, Skidmore, Mo., R. F. D.; Treasurer, Wm. Bowness, Fairfax, Mo., R. F. D.

Families, 8; souls, 44; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 40; communicants (male 9, female 17), 26; communions made at Easter, 17; baptisms (infants), 2; confirmed, 3; celebrations of the Holy Communion.

ion (public), 25; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 54; sermons and addresses, 54; Sunday school (teachers 4, scholars 16), 20; church building; seats (free), 200; insurance (paid in full), \$1,700.00; title to the property in Trustees of Diocese; salary promised by mission, \$300.00; salary paid to April 30th, \$260.50; no salary from other sources.

**FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1907.**

**Parochial:** Current expenses (including all salaries), \$273.16; other expenses within the Parish (for Sunday school) (about), \$20.00. Total, \$293.16.

**Diocesan:** Diocesan assessment, \$20.00; Diocesan missions, \$20.00; bishop's purse, \$5.01; other objects within the Diocese (Episcopal Residence Fund, omitted 1906), \$50.00. Total, \$95.01.

**General:** General missions, \$10.00; other objects without the Diocese (general clergy relief), \$2.33. Total, \$12.33.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$400.50.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$2,400.00. Total value of all Parish property, \$2,400.00.

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**PLATTSBURG.**

(Clinton County.)

ST. MARY'S.

Organized 1874.

Secretary, Mrs. M. J. Trimble.

No report.

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**ST. JOSEPH.**

(Buchanan County.)

ST. LUKE'S.

(Supplementary to Christ Church, St. Joseph.)

Organized November 2, 1906.

Report dated from October 1, 1906.

**Rector,** The Rev. Edward Henry Eckel; **Vicar,** The Rev. Arthur Wadsworth Farnum, 10 Summit Place.

**Warden,** Abraham Kirkland Pickle; **Secretary,** De Forest Walmsley, 6208 King Hill avenue; **Treasurer,** Frank Elisha Vancil, 209 East Missouri avenue; **Sub-Vestry,** Charles Dwight Ball, Herbert Grundy Caruthers, Abraham Kirkland Pickle, Frank Elisha Vancil, De Forest Walmsley.

**Families,** 23; **souls,** 62; **baptized persons** (infant and adult) in cure, 50; **communicants** (male 5, female 15; 20; **communions** made at Easter, 21; **baptisms** (infants 7, adults 1), 8; **celebrations of the Holy Communion**, (public), 7; **public services** (exclusive of celebrations), 35; **sermons and addresses,** 41; **Sunday school** (teachers 3, scholars 30), 33; **no church building,** rent hall; **seats** (free) 100; **no rectory;** salary promised



by Mission, none; salary received from Diocesan Missionary Board, none; salary received from other sources, \$1,000.00.

**FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE SEVEN MONTHS ENDING APRIL 30, 1907.**

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$76.60; permanent improvements, \$17.21; other expenses within the parish, \$76.59. Total, \$170.40.

Diocesan: Diocesan missions, \$16.11.

General: General missions (\$4.75 plus Sunday school), \$26.65; domestic missions (Bishop of California's fund for church restoration), \$4.20; other objects without the diocese, general clergy relief, \$16.84; Anglican missions in Far East, \$4.35. Total, \$52.04.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$238.55.

**ST. MATTHIAS.**

Organized 1885.

Missionary, The Rev. E. W. Flower, St. Joseph, Mo.

Warden, Wm. D. Hawkins, 1713 Angelique Street; Secretary, Miss Laura F. Pearson, 1713 Angelique Street; Treasurer, Mrs. Robt. L. Scott, 2205 Sylvanie Street.

Families, 6; souls, 17; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 17; communicants (male 5, female 7), 12; confirmed, 2; burials, 1; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public 15, in private 1), 16; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 112; sermons and addresses, 108; Sunday school (teachers 1, scholars 6) 7; church building; seats (free), 50; insurance (paid in full), \$500.00; no rectory; title to the property in diocesan trustees; salary promised by Mission, \$100.00; salary paid to April 30th, \$50.50; salary received from other sources, \$300.00.

**FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1907.**

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$63.55; permanent improvements, \$25.00. Total, \$88.55.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$5.60; diocesan missions, \$10.00; bishop's purse, \$2.75. Total, \$18.35.

General: General missions, \$5.00.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$111.90.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$1,000.00.

Total value of all Parish property, \$1,000.00.

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**SAVANNAH.**

(Andrew County.)

**ST. MARY'S.**

Organized 1855.

Missionary, The Rev. Henry L. A. Fick, 1521 South Eleventh street, St. Joseph, Mo.

Secretary, Miss Elizabeth Clasby, Savannah, Mo.; Treasurer, Miss Jane L. Frodsham, Savannah, Mo.

Families, 10; souls, 36; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 30; Communicants (male 2, female 17), 19; confirmed, 3; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public), 5; public services (exclusive of celebrations, 48; sermons and addresses, 48; church building; seats (free), 100; insurance (paid in full), \$1,700.00; no rectory; salary promised by mission, from Nov. 1, 1906), \$100.00; salary paid to April 30th (in full to date), \$75.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR PART OF THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1907.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$85.80; repairs, \$4.75; missionary's railroad fare, \$24.00; other expenses within the Parish: Collections paid missionary, \$12.52; expenses, meeting of convocation, \$9.15. Total, \$136.22.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$10.00; Diocesan missions, \$15.00; bishop's purse, \$1.87. Total, \$26.87.

General: General missions, \$10.00.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$173.09.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$1,800.00. Total value of all Parish property, \$1,800.00.

No indebtedness.

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**STANBERRY.**

(Gentry County.)

TRINITY.

Organized May, 1892.

Missionary, The Rev. B. J. Baxter, Maryville, Mo.

Warden and Secretary, J. H. Price, Stanberry, Mo.

Families, 6; souls 10; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 10; communicants (male 4, female 6), 10; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public), 1; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 5; sermons and addresses, 5; no church building; salary promised by Mission (per annum), \$78.00; salary paid to April 30th (for 6 months), \$27.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1907.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$33.00.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$33.00.

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**TRENTON.**

(Grundy County.)

ST. PHILIP'S.

Organized 1893.

No report.

**UTICA.**

(Livingston County.)

**TRINITY.**

Organized 1873.

Missionary, The Rev. Arthur M. Griffin, Chillicothe, Mo.

Families, 5; souls, 10; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 10; communicants (male 2, female 4), 6; communions made at Easter, 3; baptisms (adults), 1; burials, 1; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public), 4; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 6; sermons and addresses, 5; church building; seats (free), 122; insurance (paid in full), \$1,000.00; title to the property in Bishop of the diocese; salary received from Diocesan Missionary Board (October, 1906-April, 1907), \$50.00.

**FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1907.**

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$12.50; permanent improvements, \$1.10. Total, \$13.60.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$2,000.00.

Total value of all Parish property, \$2,000.00.

**WEBB CITY.**

(Jasper County.)

**ST. PAUL'S.**

Organized Nov. 20, 1899.

No report.

**WEST PLAINS.**

(Howell County.)

**ALL SAINTS'.**

Organized January, 1889.

Vacant.

Warden, W. W. Mantz; Secretary and Treasurer, W. T. Gleerup; Vestrymen, Joe Knoerle, Chas. Brown, W. W. Mantz, W. T. Gleerup.

Families, 10; souls, 57; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 52; communicants (male 4, female 26), 30; baptisms (infants), 5; confirmed, 7; marriages, 2; burials, 2; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public 14, private 4), 18; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 78; sermons and addresses, 78; Sunday school (teachers 3, scholars 34), 37; church building; seats (free), 155; insurance (paid in full), \$2,100.00; no rectory; title to the property in the Bishop; salary promised by Mission, \$400.00; salary paid to Nov. 1, 1906 (Mission vacant since); salary received from Diocesan Missionary Board (per annum), \$200.00; salary received from other sources (per annum), \$100.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1907.

Parochial: Curent expenses (including all salaries), \$430.00; permanent improvements, \$40.00. Total, \$470.00.  
Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$35.00; diocesan missions, \$30.00; Bishop's purse, \$10.31. Total, \$75.31.  
General: General missions, \$3.00; other objects without the diocese, \$12.53. Total, 15.53.  
Total expenditures for all purposes, \$560.84.  
Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$2,500.00.  
Total value of all Parish property, \$2,500.00.  
No indebtedness.

ORGANIZED MISSIONS.

From which no reports have been received.

East Sedalia. . . . .	All Saints'
Hamilton. . . . .	Trinity
Holden. . . . .	Mt. Calvary
Liberty. . . . .	Grace
Mountain Grove. . . . .	St. Mary's
Plattsburg. . . . .	St. Mary's
Rich Hill. . . . .	St. Luke's
Sweet Springs. . . . .	St. James'
Trenton. . . . .	St. Philip's
Webb City. . . . .	St. Paul's

Unorganized Mission Report.

KANSAS CITY.

MISSION OF THE HOLY SPIRIT.

(Deaf Mute.)

Missionary, The Rev. Jas. H. Cloud, 2606 Virginia Ave., St. Louis, Mo.  
Communicants (male 5, female 5), 10; communions made at Easter, 8; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public), 5; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 18; sermons and addresses, 23; no church building; salary received from Diocesan Missionary Board, \$100.00; salary received from other sources (Missouri \$150.00, St. Thomas, St. Louis \$60.00), \$210.00.  
Parochial offerings for Missionary's traveling expenses.

SUPPLEMENTAL.

REPORT BY THE REV. E. W. FLOWER.

Baptism (adult), 1; confirmation, 1; burials, 4; services at various places, 29.

### Summary of Harboring Reports, May 1st, 1907.

## STATISTICAL

**For further particulars see pages 73 to 103.**

PARISHES.	BAPTISMS.							CHURCH PROPERTY.													
	Families	Souls	Baptized Persons	Communicants.	Easter Communions.	Infants.	Adults.	Confirmations.	Marriages.	Burials.	Holy Communion.	Other Services.	Teachers.	SUNDAY SCHOOL.	Church Sitzings.	Value of Church and Grounds.	Value of Other Property	Debt on Church and Grounds.	Debt on Other Property.	Floating Debt.	Total Indebtedness
Blackburn	1	16	9	27	2	3	3	1	4	5	15	104	4	27	125	3,000	1,000.00	1,000			1,000.00
Mediator	25	125	90	27	2	3	3	1	4	5	15	104	4	27	125	3,000	1,000.00	1,000			1,000.00
Christ Church	4	10	6	27	2	3	3	1	4	5	15	104	4	27	125	3,000	1,000.00	1,000			1,000.00
Grace	4	10	6	27	2	3	3	1	4	5	15	104	4	27	125	3,000	1,000.00	1,000			1,000.00
St Paul's Church	4	10	6	27	2	3	3	1	4	5	15	104	4	27	125	3,000	1,000.00	1,000			1,000.00
Grace	8	31	276	157	77	11	4	11	4	4	41	144	0	89	220	8,500	2,500.00				
Carrollton	52	171	160	111	87	1	9	11	2	3	53	174	5	31	180	5,000	5,000.00				
Chillicothe	9	35	13	24	60	3	1	1	3	3	12	10	4	23	130	3,000	3,000.00				
St Mary's	160	290	302	126	60	5	1	1	3	3	32	95	4	23	130	3,000	3,000.00				
Independence	80	240	202	126	60	5	1	1	3	3	32	95	4	23	130	3,000	3,000.00				
St Philip's	134	497	760	400	193	12	12	12	12	12	68	69	21	73	260	12,000	20,500.00	7,500			
Grace	110	476	435	277	168	12	12	12	12	12	68	69	21	73	260	12,000	20,500.00	7,500			
St George's	110	476	435	277	168	12	12	12	12	12	68	69	21	73	260	12,000	20,500.00	7,500			
St Mark's	110	476	435	277	168	12	12	12	12	12	68	69	21	73	260	12,000	20,500.00	7,500			
St Mary's	110	476	435	277	168	12	12	12	12	12	68	69	21	73	260	12,000	20,500.00	7,500			
St Paul's	110	476	435	277	168	12	12	12	12	12	68	69	21	73	260	12,000	20,500.00	7,500			
Trinity	102	740	580	315	260	10	10	10	10	10	412	407	15	135	400	50,000	5,000.00	5,450	2,900	2,000.00	8,350.00
Christ	28	67	60	30	11	11	11	11	11	11	101	101	10	10	600	5,000	1,500.00	19,000		1,000.00	1,000.00
St Paul's	19	65	55	35	12	1	1	1	2	2	13	90	0	35	100	2,000					
All Saints	19	65	55	35	12	1	1	1	2	2	13	90	0	35	100	2,000					
Calvary	480	1001	907	453	24											20,000	13,700.00				
St. Joseph	69	218	197	111	41	8	1	4	7	10	112	202	20	175	620	8,000	7,000.00	40	41.20	175.20	175.20
Holy Trinity Church	95	132	186	132	92	11	8	4	7	10	35	124	38	38	250	23,000	7,000.00	40	41.20	300.00	4130.00
Calvary Church	45	132	186	132	92	11	8	4	7	10	35	124	38	38	250	23,000	7,000.00	40	41.20	300.00	1,700.00
St. John's	30	365	302	225	126	14	28	4	1	6	60	100	5	61	300	11,200	5,000.00	70	1,400	125.00	1,375.00
St. John's	19	80	75	38	28	1	1	1	1	1	15	95	2	15	200	5,000	1,000.00	100	1,200	70.00	70.00
Warrensburg																					
St John's																					
St John's																					

**MISSIONS.  
AND MISSION POINTS.**

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\* Not reported this year; estimated from last report received, or other information.

† Reported by the Bishop

• Not fully reported.

**|| Reported by the Rev. E. W. Flower,**

# Summary of Parochial and Mission Reports, May 1st, 1907.

## FINANCIAL

For further particulars see pages 73 to 103.

### EXPENDITURES.

PARISHES.	PAROCHIAL.				DIOCESAN.						GENERAL.				Value of Property and Incubation.		
	Current Expenses and Salaries.	Permanent Improvements.	Charity.	Other Expenses.	Assessment.	Missions.	Disabled Clergy Fund.	Episcopal Fund.	Theological Education Fund.	Bishop's Purse.	Other Objects	General Missions.	Domestic Missions.	Foreign Missions.		Other Objects.	Total Expenditure
Blackburn.	5 00																10 00
Boonsville.	680 00	267 05		107 02	8 00	40 00	2 00	1 35	1 45	6 85	4 20	15 00	5 00				1190 95
Brookfield.	160 00			75 00	67 00	30 00				13 60	2 00	15 00					900 95
Carthage.	1292 00	173 24		75 00	123 25	8 00				19 92	11 52	6 55			4 90		1724 38
Chillicothe.	1026 62	638 86	31 21	290 00	140 00	65 80				14 32	5 00	20 00	10 00		15 00		2256 81
Fayette.	101 20				12 95	8 33			50								183 08
Independence.	872 40		50 00	69 08	14 00	13 30	3 61				3 35	12 21			9 00		1114 03
Joplin.	1529 95	1900 00	37 75	390 07	101 14	27 33	3 61			100 36	390 12	8 00	34 00		1 00		4059 75
Kansas City.	4267 38	4175 41	81 40	89 73	490 00	672 95				24 27	31 00	74 00	20 00		147 19		12077 63
"	3304 18		75 00	2780 36	250 00	161 80				41 00	10 50	62 76			55 51		6716 87
"	2279 72	111 92			140 00	50 00				10 00	12 70	20 00	20 00		17 00		2750 14
"	3000 58	137 55	42 50		252 00	100 00	20 60			10 00	12 70	64 52	9 80		10 00		3655 35
"	6036 76	6250 49	256 70	1423 41	720 00	450 00	55 42			17 00	18 85	22 02			78 65		15345 01
"	4690 45	200 00	250 25	950 00	500 00	136 02									29 11		6704 85
Lexington.	450 00				10 00	35 00				4 35		20 00			62 11		6704 85
Maryville.	456 74	78 32		38 50	10 00	15 00						20 00			62 11		6704 85
Nevada.	311 40	5 00			27 00							20 00			62 11		6704 85
Pleasant Hill.	11344 74	10 00		3 94	900 00	239 79			85 00	61 55	5 00	63 00	141 34	74 12	163 90		14209 40
St. Joseph.	645 07	73 65	212 07	78 03	31 52	49 35	9 16	3 00	3 72	13 87	14 44	40 12	46 04		20 72		963 35
St. Trinity.	1244 00	72 35	3 80	260 52	165 00	50 00	30 30					35 00					1858 31
Calvary.	1584 89	1000 00		499 00	145 00	50 00						43 00					3367 89
Springfield.	1124 33				110 00	50 00						43 00			20 50		1379 31
St. John's.				82 80	40 75	35 00						10 50		1 00	6 50		635 02
Warrensburg.	432 42																

SEE PRECEDING TABLE.

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# APPENDIX No. 1. FOOTINGS OF THE EIGHTEEN ANNUAL REPORTS.

	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898	1899	1900	1901	1902	1903	1904	1905	1906	1907
Clergy.....	27	36	33	40	35	34	33	34	32	34	31	34	33	34	32	31	31	33
Parishes.....	24	26	26	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27
Organized Missions.....	28	30	34	32	28	28	27	25	27	25	26	27	30	30	28	31	30	31
Unorganized Missions.....	2	8	6	6	16	13	12	13	13	13	13	11	8	9	10	11	13	10
Souls.....	*	*	7,381	8,156	7,615	8,001	8,240	9,683	9,417	9,608	17,834	18,425	17,232	18,072	17,701	18,936	18,005	18,135
Communicants.....	3,150	3,676	3,953	3,871	3,497	3,821	4,085	4,391	4,441	4,480	4,604	4,839	4,906	4,973	4,827	5,034	5,051	5,002
S. S. Teachers.....	192	244	273	301	296	320	322	318	334	298	259	282	282	261	233	303	241	226
S. S. Scholars.....	1,902	2,239	2,135	2,205	2,226	2,301	2,364	2,371	2,499	2,281	1,924	2,141	2,098	1,989	1,907	1,697	1,855	1,743
Services.....	*	*	5,276	6,105	6,047	5,600	5,277	6,186	5,559	4,227	4,803	5,080	5,090	3,498	4,240	3,387	4,035	3,536
Communion.....	*	*	1,242	1,665	1,504	1,409	1,452	1,696	1,614	1,614	1,503	1,574	1,646	1,793	2,003	1,683	1,750	1,497
Baptisms.....	400	426	371	401	305	265	264	340	326	275	280	336	303	297	278	294	280	286
Confirmations.....	249	305	253	259	241	257	245	276	279	225	323	350	317	319	297	278	368	287
Marriages.....	96	87	96	88	83	81	88	103	77	92	95	94	105	111	111	117	120	113
Burials.....	120	118	139	120	103	92	109	111	131	143	123	123	147	147	191	154	164	157
Value of Property.....	*	*	\$459,152	468,905	494,525	491,675	480,815	385,495	442,790	451,447	348,950	406,265	417,675	409,694	408,125	435,540	479,674	508,888
Debts.....	*	*	136,921	150,273	145,500	137,500	127,282	69,413	52,748	48,628	47,052	44,992	41,664	29,656	35,680	34,638	52,675	57,965
Disbursements:																		
Parochial.....	\$ 88,857	77,638	66,230	58,915	55,978	57,641	65,420	59,595	78,396	51,421	60,760	58,340	57,399	73,335	60,151	63,057	111,514	78,648
Diocesan.....	5,094	4,688	6,671	7,171	5,928	5,844	6,668	6,444	6,748	6,037	6,742	7,759	7,576	8,083	8,300	8,691	9,034	9,446
Extra Diocesan.....	697	777	841	1,386	1,036	353	941	1,114	1,372	1,280	1,166	1,239	1,943	1,997	3,059	2,323	3,045	2,448

\* Not reported in 1890-91.

† Not fully reported.

APPENDIX NO. 2.

BISHOP E. R. ATWILL  
in account with  
BISHOP'S PURSE.

1906.			Dr.
May	6.	Joplin. . . . .	\$ 2.00
May	10.	Savannah. . . . .	5.00
May	13.	Christ Church, St. Joseph. . . . .	31.75
May	13.	Holy Trinity, St. Joseph. . . . .	8.75
May	13.	St. Matthias', St. Joseph. . . . .	2.00
May	13.	Wm. Barney. . . . .	2.00
May	13.	Auxiliary. . . . .	90.00
May	22.	Warrensburg. . . . .	4.40
May	27.	Cameron. . . . .	2.70
June	3.	West Plains. . . . .	7.56
June	3.	Mountain Grove. . . . .	8.56
June	10.	Blackburn. . . . .	6.00
June	10.	The Misses Bulkley. . . . .	2.00
June	10.	West Plains. . . . .	10.00
Aug.	10.	Auxiliary. . . . .	5.00
June	19.	Auxiliary. . . . .	68.81
June	21.	St. John's, Springfield. . . . .	7.15
June	24.	St. Oswald's. . . . .	5.06
June	28.	Auxiliary. . . . .	80.25
Sept.	5.	Auxiliary. . . . .	5.00
Sept.	30.	Maryville. . . . .	2.30
Sept.	21.	Harrisonville. . . . .	2.50
Oct.	24.	Auxiliary. . . . .	35.00
Nov.	—.	Auxiliary. . . . .	100.00
Nov.	—.	Auxiliary. . . . .	15.00
Nov.	13.	Sedalia. . . . .	5.35
Nov.	18.	Chillicothe. . . . .	10.00
Nov.	25.	Neosho. . . . .	4.60
Nov.	25.	Mr. Eves. . . . .	5.00
Nov.	28.	Monett. . . . .	2.60
Nov.	29.	Carthage. . . . .	10.20
Dec.	3.	Auxiliary. . . . .	59.00
Dec.	4.	Butler. . . . .	3.66
Dec.	5.	Harrisonville. . . . .	10.55
Dec.	9.	Christ Church, Springfield. . . . .	7.71
Dec.	9.	St. John's, Springfield. . . . .	6.98
Dec.	9.	Mr. Blain. . . . .	5.00
Dec.	11.	West Plains. . . . .	2.75
Dec.	12.	Mountain Grove. . . . .	2.95

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Dec. 12.	Mr. Stiff. . . . .	10.00
Dec. 15.	Mary Bryan. . . . .	10.00
Dec. 17.	Auxiliary. . . . .	25.00
1907.		Dr.
Jan. 1.	St. Mark's, Kansas City. . . . .	1.05
Jan. 7.	Grace Mission S. S. . . . .	5.00
Jan. 7.	Madam Eaton's Purse. . . . .	1.62
Jan. 11.	Auxiliary. . . . .	18.00
Jan. 13.	Joplin. . . . .	2.26
Jan. 13.	Rev. J. A. Schaad. . . . .	17.00
Jan. 18.	Fayette. . . . .	.70
Jan. 20.	Boonville. . . . .	6.65
Jan. 27.	Cameron. . . . .	4.41
Jan. 27.	Monett. . . . .	5.16
Feb. 8.	A friend. . . . .	10.00
Feb. 10.	Maryville. . . . .	4.50
Feb. 10.	Stanberry. . . . .	2.17
Feb. 17.	Webb City. . . . .	2.30
Feb. 17.	Lamar. . . . .	3.15
Mar. 3.	Brookfield. . . . .	3.60
Mar. 3.	Chillicothe. . . . .	4.17
Mar. 10.	St. Mark's, Kansas City. . . . .	5.00
Mar. 17.	Trenton. . . . .	2.43
Mar. 21.	Clinton. . . . .	3.00
Mar. 22.	Marshall. . . . .	7.65
Mar. 24.	Grace Church, Kansas City. . . . .	49.50
Mar. 24.	Mr. Smith. . . . .	10.00
Mar. 24.	St. George's, Kansas City. . . . .	15.50
Mar. 26.	Cameron. . . . .	2.87
April 1.	Neosho. . . . .	3.35
April 5.	Versailles. . . . .	4.11
April 7.	St. Mary's, Kansas City. . . . .	10.00
April 14.	Holy Trinity, St. Joseph. . . . .	3.95
April 14.	Christ Church, St. Joseph. . . . .	29.80
April 27.	Carthage. . . . .	9.75
April 27.	Joplin. . . . .	3.90
May 2.	St. Matthias', St. Joseph. . . . .	1.50
May 2.	St. Luke's, St. Joseph. . . . .	9.36
May 14.	Mrs. Schlichter. . . . .	1.00
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## APPENDIX NO. 2—CONTINUED.

BISHOP E. R. ATWILL,

in account with

## BISHOP'S PURSE.

	Cr.
On Church Debts. . . . .	\$ 200.00
Insurance. . . . .	19.00
Stipends. . . . .	642.50
Expenses of Clergy on Duty. . . . .	143.00
Literature and Printing. . . . .	69.16
Sundries. . . . .	104.56
Paid Self. . . . .	100.00
Bal. due Self on Last Year's Account. . . . .	174.92
Bal. due Self on This Year's Account. . . . .	127.67
Total. . . . .	<hr/> \$1,580.83

## APPENDIX NO. 3.

AUDITING REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON  
FINANCE.

KANSAS CITY, MO., JULY 27, 1907.

*To the Rt. Rev. E. R. Atwill, D. D.,**Bishop of the Diocese of Kansas City:*

The Committee on Finance appointed at the last Diocesan Council respectfully report as follows:

The committee finds the report of Mr. Walton H. Holmes, Treasurer of the Diocese for the year ending May 16, 1907, in agreement with the books. The committee also verified the disbursements with the vouchers and has examined the securities and finds everything in order and in agreement with the report.

The committee also examined the report of Mr. James Mackenzie, Treasurer of the Permanent Episcopal Fund, which it found correct, and also had exhibited to them the note of \$7,200.00 of the Prosser Preparatory School secured by deed of trust for funds invested.

The committee also examined the report of Mr. H. D. Ashley, Treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Board, which was found in agreement with the books. The disbursements were verified by the vouchers. Certificates of deposit belonging to the Bishop Robertson Memorial Fund were exhibited confirming the report.

WM. MENDENHALL,

A. D. JOHNSON,

Committee.

## APPENDIX NO. 4.

**REPORT OF THE SECRETARY OF THE DIOCESAN  
MISSIONARY BOARD.**

The Board has held four meetings during the year, on May 28, October 8 and November 9, 1906, and on January 8, 1907.

The Diocese had the efficient services of the Rev. J. A. Schaad as Archdeacon from May 1, 1906, to January 1, 1907, when, with the advice and consent of the Bishop, he resigned to accept an urgent call to Grace Parish, Kansas City. Mr. Schaad's visits to missions and mission points from May to December were most helpful and encouraging in every way.

The Church Club raised last year \$600.00 for the Traveling Missionary (or Archdeacon's) Fund, which was paid over to the Board. The Board has received nothing from that fund for this year (1906-07). In addition to the Traveling Missionary Fund, the Board has paid at the rate of \$800.00 per annum for Archdeacon's services.

The "Advent Mite Box" plan suggested by the last council (see Journal of 1906, page 48), has been carried into effect. Owing to untoward circumstances, the boxes were not distributed quite so early as they should have been last fall, but the result in contributions has been quite encouraging for a beginning (see statement below). The Rev. Mr. Eckel of St. Joseph, kindly gave very efficient assistance in carrying out the plan.

The following additions to the Board's list were made during the year: The Rev. Messrs. B. J. Baxter, H. P. Chapman, Jas. Senior, J. W. Barker, D. D., C. H. Bohn, E. S. Willett.

The following clergymen on the Board's list have left the Diocese: The Rev. Messrs. W. J. Page, C. F. Carson, G. R. Messias, E. A. Neville, C. Graham Adams, E. W. Brun, R. A. Heath and H. P. Chapman.

The "apportionment" plan for the raising of funds for Diocesan Missions used for the first time this year, has been fairly successful. Some parishes and missions have given more than ever before, and it is hoped others will do better the coming year. The plan should, perhaps, be continued, with an opportunity for pledges, if desired.

Any plan, however, in order to fully succeed must have the hearty co-operation of the parishes, missions and churchmen of the Diocese. Will you give it to us? This is our HOME WORK and it needs your help.

JOHN K. DUNN.  
Secretary.

May 14, 1907.

APPENDIX NO. 5.

ADVENT MITE BOX RECEIPTS FOR DIOCESAN MISSIONS,  
1906.

NORTHERN CONVOCATION.		St. George's. . . . .	23.14
Amazonia. . . . .	\$ 2.50	St. Mark's. . . . .	10.94
Brookfield. . . . .	5.00	St. John's. . . . .	4.54
Cameron. . . . .	2.00	St. Augustine's. . . . .	2.62
Chillicothe. . . . .	4.00	Marshall. . . . .	9.11
Fayette. . . . .	2.93	Warrensburg. . . . .	4.70
Maryville. . . . .	5.00		<hr/>
St. Joseph:			\$99.34
Christ Church. . . . .	58.81	SOUTHERN CONVOCATION.	
Holy Trinity. . . . .	3.15	Joplin. . . . .	\$ 2.63
St. Luke's. . . . .	16.11	Lamar. . . . .	1.14
	<hr/>	Lebanon. . . . .	3.50
	\$99.50	Mountain Grove. . . . .	2.73
CENTRAL CONVOCATION.		Neosho. . . . .	6.26
Butler. . . . .	\$ 8.03	Nevada. . . . .	11.55
Clinton. . . . .	2.00	Springfield:	
Harrisonville. . . . .	4.72	Christ Church. . . . .	3.00
Kansas City:		St. John's. . . . .	7.70
Grace Church. . . . .	19.40		<hr/>
Grace Mission. . . . .	10.14		\$38.51
Received from Northern Convocation. . . . .		\$ 99.50	
Received from Central Convocation. . . . .		99.34	
Received from Southern Convocation. . . . .		38.51	
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Total. . . . .		\$237.35	

APPENDIX NO. 6.

PLEDGES AND APPORTIONMENTS FOR DIOCESAN MISSIONS 1907-1908.

PARISHES.	MISSIONS.
Pledges and	Aurora. . . . . 5.00
Apportionment	Butler (a). . . . . 25.00
Blackburn (a). . . . . \$ 5.00	Cameron (a). . . . . 15.00
Boonville. . . . . 50.00	Clinton (a). . . . . 20.00
Brookfield. . . . . 35.00	Harrisonville (a). . . . . 20.00
Brunswick (a). . . . . 4.00	Kansas City:
Carrollton (a). . . . . 10.00	St. Augustine's. . . . . 25.00
Carthage. . . . . 50.00	St. John's. . . . . 30.00
Chillicothe. . . . . 75.00	Lamar. . . . . 15.00
Fayette (a). . . . . 10.00	Lebanon (a). . . . . 50.00
Independence. . . . . 25.00	Lee's Summit (a). . . . . 10.00
Joplin. . . . . 40.00	Marshall. . . . . 20.00
Kansas City:	Monett. . . . . 10.00
Grace. . . . . 400.00	Mountain Grove (a). . . . . 10.00
St. George's. . . . . 200.00	Neosho. . . . . 25.00
St. Mark's. . . . . 100.00	St. Oswald. . . . . 10.00
St. Mary's. . . . . 100.00	Plattsburg (a). . . . . 5.00
St. Paul's. . . . . 450.00	St. Joseph:
Trinity. . . . . 250.00	St. Matthias. . . . . 5.00
Lexington (a) . . . . . 40.00	St. Luke's. . . . . 10.00
Maryville. . . . . 25.00	Richmond (a). . . . . 5.00
Nevada. . . . . 25.00	Savannah. . . . . 15.00
Pleasant Hill (a). . . . . 8.00	Stanberry. . . . . 5.00
St. Joseph:	Tipton (a). . . . . 1.00
Christ Church. . . . . 400.00	Trenton (a). . . . . 20.00
Holy Trinity. . . . . 40.00	Utica (a). . . . . 5.00
Sedalia (a). . . . . 100.00	Versailles (a). . . . . 5.00
Springfield:	Webb City (a). . . . . 10.00
Christ Church (a). . . . . 100.00	West Plains (a). . . . . 30.00
St. John's. . . . . 75.00	
Warrensburg. . . . . 35.00	

APPENDIX NO. 6—CONTINUED.

S. SCHOOLS, GUILDS, ETC.		PERSONAL.	
Amazonia S. S.....	3.00	Jay M. Lee. ....	5.00
Brookfield S. S.....	5.00	Rev. J. D. Ritchey .....	25.00
Joplin S. S.:		Rev. J. A. Schaad. ....	25.00
(St. Paul's Class).....	5.00	Mrs. H. Uebelmesser. ....	5.00
Kansas City:		Rev. H. L. A. Fick.....	5.00
St. John's S. S.....	5.00	Rev. J. K. Dunn.....	5.00
St. Paul's S. S. ....	25.00	Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Cobb..	10.00
St. Paul's Choir Club...	5.00	Cash. . ....	5.00
St. Paul's St. Agnes'		Phil. R. Toll. ....	25.00
Guild. . ....	5.00	Alfred Toll. ....	2.50
St. Paul's Primary De-		Emily Toll. ....	2.50
Gal 13A—Pantagraph Dioc Jrnl.C		Mary Lee Toll. ....	2.50
partment. . ....	10.00	Nancy Toll. ....	2.50
St. Mark's D. of .K.....	5.00	Mrs. Hurd. ....	5.00
St. Augustine's St. Mon-		John Gosling. ....	25.00
ica's Guild. ....	3.00	A. L. DeZeng.....	50.00
St. George's S. S. ....	10.00		
Trinity D. of K.....	5.00	(a) Parishes and Missions Ap-	
Trinity S. S. ....	10.00	portioned Without Pledges.	
Nevada S. S. ....	5.00	SUMMARY.	
St. Joseph:		Parishes. . ....	\$2,652.00
Christ Church S. S.....	60.00	Missions. . ....	406.00
St. Luke's S. S.....	20.00	S. Schools, Guilds, Etc..	181.00
		Personal. . ....	200.00
			<hr/>
		Total. . ....	\$3,439.00

APPENDIX NO. 7.

REPORT OF THE REGISTRAR.

The Registrar has received the usual number of Journals of the American church during the year. Additional shelving is much needed.

JOHN K. DUNN,  
Registrar.

May 14, 1907.



APPENDIX NO. 8.

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY  
—TO THE—  
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1907 - 1908.

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The Eighteenth Annual Meeting of the Kansas City Diocesan Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary will be held D. V., in Grace Church, Kansas City, on Thursday, May 14, 1908.

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MR. H. STRINGFELLOW.



## List of Parishes,

IN UNION WITH THE COUNCIL, WITH DATES OF ORIGINAL  
FORMATION AND OF ADMISSION TO THE DIOCESE  
OF MISSOURI OR WEST MISSOURI.

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Place.	Parish	Formed.	Admitted.
Blackburn. . . . .	*CHURCH OF THE MEDIATOR. . . . .	1856	1880
Boonville. . . . .	CHRIST CHURCH. . . . .	1835	1840
Brookfield. . . . .	GRACE. . . . .	1874	1884
Brunswick. . . . .	†ST. PAUL'S. . . . .	1851	1852
Carrollton. . . . .	ST. PAUL'S. . . . .	1870	1873
Carthage. . . . .	GRACE. . . . .	1869	1870
Chillicothe. . . . .	GRACE. . . . .	1858	1859
Fayette. . . . .	ST. MARY'S. . . . .	1836	1847
Independence. . . .	TRINITY. . . . .	1844	1855
Joplin. . . . .	ST. PHILIP'S. . . . .	1874	1891
Kansas City. . . . .	‡GRACE. . . . .	1870	1871
Kansas City. . . . .	ST. GEORGE'S. . . . .	1891	1891
Kansas City. . . . .	ST. MARK'S. . . . .	1889	1889
Kansas City. . . . .	!ST. MARY'S. . . . .	1857	1858
Kansas City. . . . .	ST. PAUL'S. . . . .	1889	1891
(Westport)			
Kansas City. . . . .	TRINITY. . . . .	1897	1897
Lexington. . . . .	CHRIST CHURCH. . . . .	1844	1846
Maryville. . . . .	ST. PAUL'S. . . . .	1857	1878
Nevada. . . . .	ALL SAINTS'. . . . .	1869	1870
Pleasant Hill. . . .	CALVARY. . . . .	1868	1868
St. Joseph. . . . .	CHRIST CHURCH. . . . .	1851	1852
St. Joseph. . . . .	HOLY TRINITY. . . . .	1869	1870
Sedalia. . . . .	CALVARY. . . . .	1868	1872
Springfield. . . . .	CHRIST CHURCH. . . . .	1859	1860
Springfield. . . . .	ST. JOHN'S. . . . .	1886	1886
Warrensburg. . . . .	CHRIST CHURCH. . . . .	1859	1868
Weston. . . . .	ST. JOHN'S. . . . .	1851	1852

Number of Parishes in the Diocese, 27.

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\*Name changed from "St. Thomas" to "Mediator" in 1880.

†Name changed from "St. Ann's" to "St. Paul's" in 1870.

‡Name changed from "St. Paul's" to "Grace" in 1863.

!Name changed from "St. Luke's" to "St. Mary's" in 1879.

**Organized Missions,**

WITH DATES OF ORIGINAL FORMATION.

Amazonia . . . . .	ST. MATTHEW'S. . . . .	1875
Aurora. . . . .	TRINITY. . . . .	1890
Butler. . . . .	ST. MARK'S. . . . .	1875
Cameron. . . . .	ST. JOHN'S. . . . .	1870
* Clinton. . . . .	ST. PAUL'S. . . . .	1875
Excelsior Springs. . . . .	ST. LUKE'S. . . . .	1905
Hamilton. . . . .	TRINITY. . . . .	1870
Harrisonville. . . . .	ST. PETER'S. . . . .	1871
Holden. . . . .	MOUNT CALVARY. . . . .	1887
Kansas City. . . . .	ST. AUGUSTINE'S. . . . .	1883
† Kansas City. . . . .	ST. JOHN'S. . . . .	1891
§    Lamar. . . . .	TRINITY. . . . .	1903
Lebanon. . . . .	TRINITY. . . . .	1872
Lee's Summit. . . . .	ST. PAUL'S. . . . .	1872
Liberty. . . . .	GRACE. . . . .	1859
Marshall. . . . .	TRINITY. . . . .	1872
Monett. . . . .	ST. STEPHEN'S. . . . .	1893
Mountain Grove. . . . .	ST. MARK'S. . . . .	1890
Neosho. . . . .	ST. JOHN'S. . . . .	1889
Oswald. . . . .	ST. OSWALD'S. . . . .	1891
Plattsburg. . . . .	ST. MARY'S. . . . .	1874
Rich Hill. . . . .	ST. LUKE'S. . . . .	1887
St. Joseph. . . . .	ST. MATTHIAS'. . . . .	1885
† Savannah. . . . .	ST. MARY'S. . . . .	1855
Stanberry. . . . .	TRINITY. . . . .	1902
Sweet Springs. . . . .	ST. JAMES'. . . . .	1888
! Trenton. . . . .	ST. PHILIP'S. . . . .	1893
Utica. . . . .	TRINITY. . . . .	1893
Webb City. . . . .	ST. PAUL'S. . . . .	1900
West Plains. . . . .	ALL SAINTS'. . . . .	1887

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\*First organized as "St. Matthew's."

†First organized as "Calvary."

‡First organized as "St. John's."

!First organized as "Christ Church."

||Not in union with Council.

§First organized as "Church of the Advent."

## Unorganized Missions,

WITH DATES OF ORIGINAL FORMATION.

Fordland. . . . .	ST. LUKE'S. . . . .	1901
Higginsville. . . . .	_____ . . . . .	1905
Kansas City. . . . .	HOLY SPIRIT. . . . .	—
Kansas City. . . . .	GRACE. . . . .	1890
Lathrop. . . . .	_____ . . . . .	1903
Milan. . . . .	_____ . . . . .	1903
Platte City. . . . .	ST. THOMAS'. . . . .	1851
Richmond. . . . .	ST. PAUL'S. . . . .	1891
Tipton. . . . .	ST. GEORGE'S. . . . .	1892
Versailles. . . . .	TRINITY. . . . .	1887

List of the Clergy.

IN THE ORDER OF THEIR CONTINUOUS RESIDENCE IN THE DIOCESE OF  
MISSOURI AND KANSAS CITY.

THE RIGHT REVEREND EDWARD ROBERT ATWILL, D. D.,  
Consecrated October 14, 1890.

NAME.	RECEIVED.	FROM.
The REV. ROBERT TALBOT. ....	Jan. 22, 1882....	By ordination.
The REV. ASHER P. CROUCH.....	May 1, 1882....	Iowa.
The REV. JOHN K. DUNN.....	Mar. 11, 1889....	Kansas.
The REV. J. STEWART-SMITH.....	Oct. 26, 1891....	Chicago.
The REV. EDWARD J. SAPHIR.....	June 24, 1893....	Huron.
The REV. CECIL P. WILSON.....	June 24, 1891....	New York.
The REV. EDWIN B. WOODRUFF.....	Dec. 20, 1899....	By ordination.
The REV. DANIEL G. MACKINNON.....	Aug. 23, 1900....	California.
The REV. EDWARD W. FLOWER.....	Sept. 20, 1901....	Albany.
The REV. CHAS. A. WEED.....	Oct. 15, 1901....	Nebraska.
The REV. HENRY L. A. FICK.....	Jan. 22, 1903....	Oklahoma.
The REV. THOMAS G. HARPER.....	Feb. 1, 1903....	England.
The REV. JOHN WILKINSON.....	April 27, 1904....	Quincy.
The REV. WILLIAM H. HAUPT.....	Feb. 16, 1905....	Colorado.
The REV. JEFFERSON D. RITCHEY.....	Feb. 18, 1905....	Kansas.
The REV. EDWARD H. ECKEL.....	Mar. 3, 1905....	Harrisburg.
The REV. FRANK A. JOSEPH.....	June 24, 1905....	Iowa.
The REV. CHAS. F. CARSON.....	Sept. 1, 1905....	Minnesota.
The REV. C. R. STEARNS.....	Jan. 11, 1906....	Southern Ohio.
The REV. JULIUS A. SCHAAD.....	May 1, 1906....	Michigan.
The REV. ARTHUR W. FARNUM.....	May 11, 1906....	Minnesota.
The REV. ARTHUR M. GRIFFIN.....	Sept. 1, 1906....	Salina.
The REV. JAMES SENIOR. ....	Sept. 15, 1906....	Nebraska.
The REV. ROBERT N. SPENCER.....	Feb. 25, 1907....	Kansas.
The REV. CHARLES H. BOHN.....	Feb. 25, 1907....	Iowa.
The REV. CARL REED TAYLOR.....	May 2, 1907....	Duluth.
The REV. EDWARD S. WILLETT.....	May 4, 1907....	Springfield.
The REV. DOUGLASS HENRY ATWILL....	June 5, 1907....	By ordination.
The REV. FREDERICK C. O'MEARA.....	April 3, 1908....	Marquette.
The REV. ROBERT J. BELT.....	May 5, 1908....	Springfield.
The REV. ANDREW J. HARPER, JR.....	May 10, 1908....	Ohio.

## List of the Clergy.

CANONICALLY RESIDENT IN THE DIOCESE OF KANSAS CITY.

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### BISHOP.

THE RIGHT REVEREND EDWARD ROBERT ATWILL, D. D.

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### PRIESTS.

- The REV. DOUGLASS HENRY ATWILL, Rector of Calvary Church, Sedalia.
- \* The REV. JOHN W. BARKER, D. D., Missionary at Butler, Lee's Summit and Pleasant Hill.
- \*† The REV. ROBERT J. BELT, Missionary at West Plains and Mountain Grove.
- The REV. CHARLES H. BOHN, Rector of All Saints', Nevada.
- \*† The REV. CHARLES F. CARSON, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.
- \*† The REV. ASHER P. CROUCH, Kirksville, Mo.
- The REV. JOHN KING DUNN, Missionary at Christ Church, Warrensburg. (P. O. Kansas City.)
- The REV. EDWARD HENRY ECKEL, Rector of Christ Church Parish, St. Joseph.
- The REV. ARTHUR W. FARNUM, Curate of Christ Church Parish, St. Joseph.
- The REV. HENRY LOUIS A. FICK, Rector of Holy Trinity, St. Joseph, and Missionary at Savannah.
- The REV. EDWARD W. FLOWER, Missionary at Amazonia, St. Oswald's, and at St. Matthias', St. Joseph.
- † The REV. ANDREW HARPER, JR., Rector of Christ Church, Springfield.
- \*† The REV. THOMAS G. HARPER, England.
- \* The REV. WILLIAM HENRY HAUPT, Curate, Grace Church, Kansas City.
- The REV. ARTHUR M. GRIFFIN, Rector of Grace Church, Chillicothe.
- \* The REV. FRANK A. JOSEPH, Missionary at Marshall and Blackburn.
- \* The REV. DANIEL G. MACKINNON, Rector of St. Mark's Church, Kansas City.
- † The REV. FREDERICK C. O'MEARA, Rector of Grace Church, Carthage and Minister in charge of St. Paul's, Webb City.
- The REV. JEFFERSON DAVIS RITCHEY, Rector of St. Paul's Church, Kansas City.
- The REV. JULIUS A. SCHAAD, Rector of Grace Church, Kansas City.
- \* The REV. JAMES SENIOR, Missionary at Lamar and Aurora.
- The REV. ROBERT N. SPENCER, Rector of St. John's Church, Springfield.

The REV. J. STEWART-SMITH, Rector of St. Mary's Church, Kansas City.

The REV. CARL REED TAYLOR, Missionary at St. John's Church, Kansas City.

The REV. ROBERT TALBOT, Rector of Trinity Church, Kansas City.

The REV. CHARLES ALBERT WEED, Rector of St. Philip's Church, Joplin.

The REV. JOHN WILKINSON, Missionary at Lebanon.

The REV. EDWIN BLANCHARD WOODRUFF, Rector of St. George's Church, Kansas City.

The REV. EDWARD S. WILLETT, Missionary at St. Augustine's, Kansas City.

#### DEACON.

\*† The REV. E. J. SAPHIR, St. Joseph.

\* Not present at Council.

† Not entitled to a seat and vote.

#### CANDIDATES FOR PRIESTS' ORDERS.

HENRY EWING BATCHELLER,

POSTULANT, DUNCAN WEEKS.

#### LAY READERS.

Mr. H. L. Arnold.....	St. Paul's, Kansas City.
Mr. C. H. Biggs.....	St. Paul's, Kansas City.
Mr. J. E. Cobb.....	St. Philip's Joplin.
Mr. L. T. Coles.....	St. Augustine's, Kansas City.
Mr. William Corse. ....	St. John's, Kansas City.
Mr. Preston Randolph. ....	Grace Church, Chillicothe.
Mr. William Eves. ....	St. John's, Neosho.
Mr. P. B. Hamlin.....	Grace Church, Brookfield.
Mr. W. W. Mantz.....	All Saints', West Plains.
Mr. W. T. Gleerup.....	West Plains.
Mr. Walter A. Landis.....	Christ Church, St. Joseph.
Doctor H. M. Pettit.....	St. Paul's, Carrollton.
Mr. Thomas M. Roberts.....	St. Paul's, Clinton.
Mr. S. W. Ravenel.....	Christ Church, Boonville.
Mr. M. E. Schmidt. ....	Christ Church, Boonville.
Mr. Geo. T. Irvine.....	Christ Church, Boonville.
Mr. H. E. Stiff.....	Mountain Grove.
Mr. C. M. Mitchell.....	Mountain Grove.
Mr. Joseph K. Tuttle.....	Christ Church, Warrensburg.
Mr. Henry T. Wright.....	Trinity, Lebanon.
Mr. De Forest Walmsley.....	Christ Church, St. Joseph.

#### SUMMARY.

Bishop, 1; Priests, 30; Officiating by Permission, 1; Deacon, 1. Total 33.	
Entitled to a seat and vote.....	23
Candidate for Priests' Orders.....	1
Postulant. . . . .	1
Lay Readers. . . . .	21

## List of Lay Delegates,

APPOINTED BY PARISHES AND MISSIONS TO THE NINETEENTH ANNUAL COUNCIL.

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*Carthage*—GRACE PARISH: \*Major H. H. Harding, \*Col. Coffee, \*D. G. Wells.

*Chillicothe*—GRACE PARISH: \*W. R. West, \*A. Leeper.

*Independence*—TRINITY PARISH: F. C. Florance.

*Joplin*—ST. PHILIP'S PARISH: \*A. E. Bendelar, \*P. C. Campbell.

*Kansas City*—ST. GEORGE'S PARISH: V. W. Gayle, M. D., \*F. M. Hayward, A. C. Stowell, \*Jno. Q. Watkins, \*Robt. Waddell.

GRACE PARISH: Jno. F. Eaton, W. R. Jacques, W. C. Goffe, \*Thos. B. Tomb, B. E. Rowe, L. R. Moore, E. P. Pratt, E. M. Clendening.

ST. MARK'S PARISH: \*A. D. Johnson, \*T. C. Bradley, \*M. Bland, \*Alfred Hamlin.

ST. MARY'S PARISH: M. G. Harman, \*E. C. Hamil, F. A. Smith, F. H. Cutler, \*Wm. Woolten, \*Harry Schroeder, A. W. Miller, \*Aubrey Deveroux.

ST. PAUL'S PARISH: Walton H. Holmes, \*Edward George, Egbert Chapman, \*Benj. B. Lee.

TRINITY PARISH: W. A. Remfry, W. H. Smith, \*W. M. Federmann, \*Jno. Gosling, C. H. Childs, J. E. Long, \*J. C. Fuller, \*A. M. White.

*Lexington*—CHRIST CHURCH PARISH: Judge Joseph F. Smith.

*Nevada*—ALL SAINTS' PARISH: M. T. Hill, Robt. Gabrielson.

*St. Joseph*—CHRIST CHURCH PARISH: F. A. H. Garlicks, \*Horace Wood, Horace Stringfellow, James Hull, \*F. E. Vancel, Wm. C. N. Willis, \*C. L. Holland, \*H. G. Buckingham, \*H. M. Hansey, \*W. E. Stringfellow.

HOLY TRINITY PARISH: \*Jno. Howe, \*Thos. J. Hendra.

*Sedalia*—CALVARY PARISH: D. H. Smith, W. J. Maltby, \*O. E. Parsons.

*Springfield*—CHRIST CHURCH PARISH: \*Geo. H. McCann, James Blain, \*C. P. Ollis, \*Harry Cooper.

ST. JOHN'S PARISH: \*M. H. Coil, \*Julius Siefert, \*X. Hawkins, \*Frederick Freeman.

*Kansas City*—ST. AUGUSTINE'S MISSION: R. T. Coles, \*W. H. Bansfield, \*C. E. Bailer, \*W. T. White.

ST. JOHN'S MISSION: \*Joseph S. Warrick, Jay M. Lee.

*Marshall*—TRINITY MISSION: \*G. A. Underwood, \*F. W. Miles.

*Neosho*—ST. JOHN'S MISSION: W. F. Eves.

*West Plains*—ALL SAINTS' MISSION: \*Wm. J. Vannix.

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\*Not present at Council.

## Contributions.

## NORTHERN CONVOCATION.

The REV. EDWARD HENRY ECKEL, Dean.

The REV. HENRY L. A. FICK,      The REV. EDWARD W. FLOWER.  
The REV. A. M. GRIFFIN,      The REV. E. J. SAPHIR,  
The REV. ARTHUR W. FARNUM.

# THE COUNTIES OF

Atchison, Holt, Nodaway, Andrew, *Worth*, Gentry, *DeKalb*, Buchanan, Clinton, Platte, Clay, Ray, Caldwell, Daviess, *Harrison*, *Mercer*, Grundy, Livingston, Carroll, Chariton, Linn, *Sullivan*, *Putnam*, and Howard.

**NOTE**—Counties in *italics* are those in which no church work is being done.

Population. . . . .	579,071
Area in square miles. . . . .	12,617
Parishes. . . . .	9
Organized Missions. . . . .	12
Clergy. . . . .	6
Unorganized Missions. . . . .	7
Communicants (estimated). . . . .	1,154



CENTRAL CONVOCATION.

The REV. ROBERT TALBOT, Dean.  
Kansas City.

CLERGY.

The REV. D. G. MACKINNON,	The REV. C. R. STEARNS,
The REV. JOHN K. DUNN,	The REV. J. STEWART-SMITH,
The REV. J. A. SCHAAD,	The REV. J. W. BARKER, D. D.,
The REV. C. R. TAYLOR,	The REV. F. A. JOSEPH,
The REV. J. D. RITCHEY,	The REV. WM. H. HAUPT,
The REV. E. B. WOODRUFF.	The REV. EDWD. S. WILLETT.

THE COUNTIES OF

Jackson, Cass, Bates, Lafayette, Johnson, Henry, *St. Clair*, Saline, Pettis,  
*Benton*, *Hickory*, Cooper, Moniteau, Morgan, *Camden*.

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NOTE—Counties in *italics* are those in which no church work is being done.

Population. . . . .	496,955
Area in square miles. . . . .	10,813
Parishes. . . . .	13
Organized Missions. . . . .	12
Unorganized Missions. . . . .	4
Clergy. . . . .	13
Communicants (estimated). . . . .	2,832

SOUTHERN CONVOICATION.

THE REV. CHARLES A. WEED, Dean.

CLERGY.

The REV. CHARLES H. BOHN,	The REV. R. N. SPENCER,
The REV. F. C. O'MEARA,	The REV. A. HARPER, JR.,
The REV. JAMES SENIOR,	The REV. JOHN WILKINSON.

THE COUNTIES OF

Vernon, Barton, Jasper, Newton, *McDonald, Cedar, Dade,* Lawrence, *Barry, Polk,* Greene, *Christian, Stone, Taney, Dallas,* Webster, Douglas, *Ozark, Laclede, Wright* and Howell.

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NOTE—Counties in *italics* are those in which no church work is being done.

Population. . . . .	467,798
Area in square miles. . . . .	13,076
Parishes. . . . .	5
Organized Missions. . . . .	7
Unorganized Missions. . . . .	5
Clergy. . . . .	6
Communicants (estimated). . . . .	1,065

## **Rules of Order.**

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1. When the President takes the chair, no member shall continue standing, or shall afterwards stand up, unless to address the Chair.

2. When the President shall have taken the chair, the minutes of the preceding day shall be read.

3. Immediately after organization of the Council, the following Standing Committees shall be appointed, viz.:

- (1) On the Admission of New Parishes.
- (2) On Constitution and Canons.
- (3) On Unfinished Business.
- (4) On Finance.
- (5) On Assessments.
- (6) On Missions.
- (7) On Christian Education.
- (8) On Sunday School Work.
- (9) On Missionaries' Traveling Expenses.
- (10) On the State of the Church.

4. All Committees shall be appointed by the President, unless otherwise ordered.

5. All resolutions shall be reduced to writing, presented to the Secretary, and by him read; and a motion shall not be considered before the house until recorded.

6. When any member is about to speak, or deliver any matter to the house, he shall, with due respect, address himself to the President, confining himself strictly to the point in debate.

7. A member shall not absent himself from the services of the house unless he have leave or be unable to attend.

8. A member other than the Chairman of a Committee, whose report is under consideration, shall not speak more than twice in the same debate, nor longer than ten minutes at a time, without leave of the house.

9. Any member of the house may call for a vote by ayes and nays.

10. When a question has once been determined, it shall stand as the judgment of the house, and shall not be again drawn into debate, except on motion for reconsideration, which must be made by a member who had previously voted in the majority, and all motions to reconsider must be made on the day the vote is taken or on the next succeeding day.

11. When a question is under consideration, a motion shall not be received, except to lay on the table, to postpone it to a certain time, to postpone indefinitely, to commit it, to divide it or amend it; and motions for any of these purposes shall have precedence in the order herein named. If a motion to lay an amendment on the table be carried, the matter before the house shall be proceeded with as if no such amend-

ment had been offered. The motions to lay on the table and adjourn shall be decided without debate. The motion to adjourn shall always be in order.

12. Debate shall not be allowed upon a resolution to refer any motion to a Committee, or to a motion to recommit any subject which has been before a committee, but the member who offers such resolution or motion may speak for five minutes for the purpose of explaining its object.

13. All amendments may be considered in the reverse order in which they are moved. When a proposed amendment is under consideration a motion to amend the same may be made. An after amendment to such second amendment shall not be in order, but when an amendment to an amendment is under consideration, a substitute to the whole may be received. A proposition, different from the one under consideration, shall not be received under color of an amendment or substitute.

14. Every member who may be in the house when any question is put, shall, on a division, be counted, unless he be excused by the Council.

15. All questions of order shall be decided in the first instance by the Chair, without debate; an appeal, however, may be made from this decision to the Council by any member of the same.

16. The Secretary may employ one or more Pages, not exceeding three, to act as messengers during the sessions of the Council.

17. The reports of all Committees shall be in writing, and shall be received, of course, and without motion for acceptance, unless recommitted by vote of the house. All reports recommending or requiring any action or expression of opinion by the house, shall be accompanied by a resolution for the action of the house therein.

18. The names of movers of resolutions shall appear upon the minutes of the Council.

The following Order of Business shall be observed:

10 A. M.—Holy Eucharist and Bishop's Address.

- (1) Roll call of Clergy.
- (2) Roll call of Lay Delegates.
- (3) Election of Secretary.
- (4) Appointment of Standing Committees.
- (5) Report of Committee on Credentials of Lay Delegates.
- (6) Resolutions pertaining to Bishop's Address.
- (7) Report of Committee on Assessment.
- (8) Report of Standing Committee.
- (9) Election of Standing Committee.
- (10) Election of Deputies to General Convention.
- (11) Election of Missionary Board.
- (12) Other Elections.
  - (a) Of Treasurer of the Diocese.
  - (b) Of Chancellor.
  - (c) Of Registrar.
  - (d) Of Trustees of Permanent Episcopal Fund.
  - (e) Of Theological Education Fund.

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- (f) Of Trustees of Disabled Clergy Fund.
    - (g) To fill vacancies.
  - (13) Report of Treasurer of Diocese.
  - (14) Report of Treasurer of Missionary Board.
  - (15) Pledges for Missions.
  - (16) Reports of Treasurers of various funds.
  - (17) Reports of Trustees of various funds.
    - (a) Of Permanent Episcopal Fund.
    - (b) Of Theological Education Fund.
    - (c) Of Disabled Clergy Fund.
    - (d) Of Parochial Trust Fund.
    - (e) Of various funds.
  - (18) Reports of Committees appointed at previous Council and Resolutions pertaining to same.
  - (19) Reports of Special Committees and Resolutions pertaining to same.
  - (20) Reports of Standing Committees and action thereon.
  - (21) New business.
  - (22) Fixing place of meeting of next Council.
20. The Rules of Order shall not be suspended, except by a two-thirds vote of the members present.

## Journal.

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### First Day.

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Grace Church, Kansas City, Mo.

Tuesday, May 12, 1908.

This being the place and time appointed for the meeting of the Nineteenth Annual Council of the Diocese of Kansas City, the Right Reverend Edward Robert Atwill, D. D., Bishop of the Diocese, and a number of the clergy and laity assembled in Grace Church, Kansas City, Missouri, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., for divine service.

The Holy Communion was celebrated for the Bishop by the Rev. Robert Talbot, President of the Standing Committee, assisted by the Rev. Messrs. Edward Henry Eckel and Charles A. Weed. The Rev. Douglas H. Atwill served as Bishop's Chaplain. The Gospel was read by the Rev. John K. Dunn, and the Epistle by the Rev. Charles A. Weed.

The Bishop's Address was read for him by the Rev. E. B. Woodruff, as follows:

### THE BISHOP'S ANNUAL ADDRESS.

*Brethren of the Clergy and Laity:*

This being the Nineteenth Annual Council of our Diocese reminds us of the rapid passage of time, for the years have quickly sped. Other years will rapidly slip away, and we should be alert to embrace every opportunity for developing and compacting the Church in the vast regions committed to our care.

This being *only* the nineteenth annual Council reminds us when we compare ourselves with Dioceses that are more than one hundred years old, that we are still laying foundations. Let us lay them deep and strong with wisdom and skill, that they who come after may find the lines right and the work so good that nothing will need to be undone.

I plead earnestly for united and zealous interest in the work of the Diocese. Each parish has its burdens, its responsi-

bilities to its own field, and its own ambitions. Absorbed in them, it may forget that it is only a fraction of the unit which is the Diocese. Attending faithfully to the duties that spring out of these, it may feel that it has done *all*, without co-operation in the efforts that we should make together for the Church in the Diocese of Kansas City.

Moreover, the parishes and the Diocese may forget that we are members of the one Catholic and Apostolic Church, and absorbed in our own interests, may give no thought or effort beyond. But for our own life and progress, as well as duty, we cannot afford to shut ourselves up within our own bailiwick.

The Bishop-co-adjutor of New York has well said the following sentences:

"The French critic, Renan, is reported to have said that what welds a people into a nation, and in each of its members forms a national type of character, a patriotic type, is the consciousness of great deeds done in common and the wish to do still more. In like manner it is the consciousness of the fellowship, the whole fellowship, the consciousness of the Church, the whole Church, of what, in all ages past, the Christian Church has done, of what in all lands it is trying now to do; the consciousness in short which we today, its members, have of what is done together, of what is done in common, and the wish to do still more that will tend to overcome, or banish and remove our personal isolations, our parochial isolations, and to weld us together consciously into a Church, and in so doing to develop a larger and a stronger type of personal character in us, an ecumenical type, more Catholic and more Christian. And that is a type of character which cannot be developed except (as going beyond bounds and limits, diocesan bounds and limits, or national bounds and limits) we put ourselves in sympathy with the ecumenical scope, the world-wide empire scope of the Church of Jesus Christ."

I commend these words to you, my brethren, as eminently timely and important. When clergy and people rise to this grand view of Christian fellowship and united action, when every parish realizes that it is only a battalion in the great army of the Lord, and that its own perfection in accoutrement, drill and personnel is not the end of its existence, then alone can we anticipate an advance that will accomplish the work we are sent here to do.

Let some such thought as this be the keynote of this Council.

Since our Council of 1907, four of our bishops have been called from their life of service in the Church Militant to the rest and rewards of the world beyond: The Right Reverend Leighton Coleman, D.D., L.L.D., Bishop of Delaware; the Right Reverend Ellison Capers, D.D., Bishop of South Carolina; the Right Reverend Henry Yates Satterlee, D.D., L.L.D., Bishop of Washington; and the Right Reverend George Worthington, D.D., L.L.D., Bishop of Nebraska.

They were godly and learned men, leaders in the Church, whose opinions carried weight in the House of Bishops.

From our own Diocese has been taken a layman highly respected and beloved, Mr. Charles A. Kelley, Warden of Christ Church, St. Joseph, a member of our Standing Committee and a member of our Diocesan Board of Missions. In the Parish and in the Diocese he was ever at hand to do his part. At considerable personal inconvenience he came with unfailing regularity to Kansas City to take part in the deliberations of the Committee and the Board, and he was an example to laymen in regular attendance upon the services of the Church. Like Mr. Gladstone, he was "twicer," not content with the morning service only. Gentle, courteous, faithful Mr. Kelley! In sadness we drop his name from our Council rolls; in hope we pray that light perpetual may shine upon him and that he may rest in peace.

There have been as usual changes among our clergy. The Reverend John R. Atwill has become Rector of St. John's Church, St. Cloud, in the Diocese of Duluth; the Reverend Benjamin J. Baxter has become Rector of the Church of the Good Shepherd, in the Diocese of Michigan; the Reverend Ezra Porter Chittenden has gone to the Diocese of Springfield; the Reverend Albert Rupert Llwyd has gone to the Diocese of Arkansas; the Reverend Robert B. Evatt has gone to the Diocese of Michigan.

The Reverend Douglas Henry Atwill has entered the staff of clergy by ordination, and has become Rector of Calvary Church, Sedalia; the Reverend Frederick C. O'Meara has come from the Diocese of Marquette, and is Rector of Grace Church, Carthage, with charge of the Mission in Webb City; the Reverend Robert J. Belt has come from the Diocese of



Springfield, and is in charge of All Saints', West Plains, and St. Mark's, Mountain Grove. The Reverend John V. Plunkett has come from the Diocese of Minnesota and is in charge of Christ Church, Lexington, and the Missions at Sweet Springs and Higginsville; the Reverend A. Harper, Jr., has come from the Diocese of Ohio and is Rector of Christ Church, Springfield.

Within the Diocese, the Reverend Charles A. Weed, Rector of St. Philip's, Joplin, has also taken charge of St. John's, Neosho; the Reverend William Henry Haupt has resigned, Trinity Church, Independence, and has become Curate at Grace Church, Kansas City.

On June 5th, 1907, in St. John's Memorial Church, Cambridge, Mass., I ordained the Reverend Douglas Henry Atwill Deacon; on December 11th, 1907, in Calvary Church, Sedalia, I advanced him to the Priesthood. On November 1st, 1907, I ordained the Reverend Robert B. Evatt, Priest.

In common with Bishops of neighboring Dioceses I am searching for Clergymen to fill vacancies, often in vain. The places now without Clergymen are Brookfield, Brunswick, Fayette, Boonville, Independence, Maryville, Weston, Cameron, Clinton, Hamilton, Harrisonville, Plattsburg, Stanberry, Carrollton, Richmond and Excelsior Springs. Of these sixteen Parishes and Missions, groups might be made so that four Clergymen might do the work. Beside the general visitation of the Diocese, I have gone to a number of the Missions and dependent Parishes several times during the year to supply them with services; but my ability to do that sort of work is limited by the pressure of other duties, and I need very much a young and energetic Clergyman whom I may keep continually at work looking after the vacant places and preparing them as soon as possible for the permanent ministrations of a Missionary.

There are some encouraging conditions to record. Grace Church, Kansas City, has paid its entire indebtedness and is preparing to do extensive institutional work. A class numbering forty-six was presented for confirmation this spring and another is in preparation for a June visitation.

St. John's, Kansas City, has been furnished with excellent pews and choir stalls, and (note this) little St. John's, with only a small floating debt, and with money in the bank, has opened a Mission of its own under a roof of its own in the northeast part of Kansas City.

I spent Easter Day in Neosho and the congregation prepared for me a delightful surprise, having carefully concealed from me improvements upon which they had been engaged for some time. There stood the little Church, newly painted without and within; on the super-altar were appropriate ornaments; above, a dossal, and above all, a beautiful new chancel window; all the windows had been redecorated, and a class of eight was presented. It was indeed a surprise and a delight. Mr. Eves, our Lay Reader, and Mr. Rathell have done splendid work there, as have others of the congregation, no doubt.

At Grace Church, Carthage, Mr. James Newel has developed the Sunday School during the vacancy until it numbers one hundred and twenty-five; business men have undertaken to solve the financial problem, and Mr. O'Meara is entering upon his Rectorate under most favorable auspices. Add to that his own zeal and energy and we have a most cheering outlook.

At length we have laid the cornerstone of the new St. Philip's, Joplin, the substantial foundation being in place and the contracts signed for the erection of the walls and the roof. No one unfamiliar with the history of that Parish can know what a triumph of patient persistency the building of this Church is. From my summer home by the lakeside I sometimes watch the children building a sphinx or a castle of the damp sand. Some of them are very skillful, and their creations are quite artistic. Then the wind rises, a few waves roll up the beach and the sphinx dissolves, the castle crumbles. Only the shifting sand remains, sliding back and forth. The work must be done again. So it has been in Joplin. The present Rector has built up a choir, a vestry, a guild in which he took honest pride, only to see them dissolve. But he heroically began to build them again. Now, at last, he has a homogeneous congregation, an excellent and loyal vestry, and permanent results are taking shape.

St. John's, Springfield, has an excellent pipe organ, recently built, and the congregation is outgrowing the little Church. Deep religious fervor characterized their Lenten services.

In other congregations where there are no new conditions or fabrics, the good work is going on, and in some quarters we hear whispering of new developments that will become noteworthy ere long.

All honor to the Clergy who will not be deterred by sparse

attendance, neglect or opposition from conducting on the Lord's Day and other Holy Days all the services the Church requires of them. More honor to those who so train their flocks, and so prepare for the evening services that they have a congregation.

Honor also to those who, while neglect is too general, take all the canonical collections pay their pledges for Diocesan Missions, the apportionment for General Missions, and the Diocesan assessment. Several Parishes have done this, among them Holy Trinity, St. Joseph; Christ Church, St. Joseph; Calvary, Sedalia.

In line with my opening appeal for united effort to accomplish a worthy end, we have organized the Kansas City Church Extension League, to stand side by side—Bishop, Clergy and people—to develop together the Church in this great and rapidly growing city by studying the new additions where the population is increasing by leaps and bounds, to search out our own people who come hither from other towns, to establish Sunday Schools, and to see to it that the increase in our communicant list does not fall behind the percentage of increase in the population. When we take up this work, not as separate Parishes, but as the *Church in Kansas City*, working with a single aim to its own development, working with the indomitable Kansas City spirit, the very united effort will dignify and strengthen us. The League is organized; two meetings have been held; with the loyal co-operation of all, success is sure.

St. Luke's Hospital is not an institution of this city, but of the whole Diocese. It is our only Diocesan institution, and should awaken the interest of our people in all parts of the field. It is distinctly a *Church Hospital*; the Bishop is President of the Board of Directors; services are conducted by two of the Clergy; the excellent head nurse is a communicant of the Church.

We have property valued at \$37,616.93, with a debt of \$16,283.43. The Hospital is located in a quiet neighborhood, but is not far from the center of the city, and is easily reached from all parts. Each of the Kansas City Parishes have furnished a room, designated by the name of the Parish. The Hospital Club of young ladies have furnished, with every convenience, a Children's Ward. A zealous Churchwoman proposes to present the Hospital with memorial vases to be filled always with flowers. It is a homelike place and the doctors say that it is the

best equipped Hospital in the city. I am most anxious that it be enlarged, and be endowed for a larger charitable work. I am sure that the people of the Diocese, when they realize that we have a true Church Hospital, will visit it to see for themselves what sort of a place it is and that in making their wills they will make bequests for it. Five thousand dollars will endow a bed for all time, and the donor may designate the Rector of any Parish, or any other person, to appropriate the bed to any patient who may be received under the rules of the Hospital.

### DIOCESAN MISSIONS.

This is a Missionary Diocese. Fifty-two of our sixty-seven congregations are Missions or dependent Parishes. The great distances between our congregations hinder us in making economical combinations. To insure services at regular times we must make appropriations amounting in some instances to three or four hundred dollars. Assuming that the appropriations by our Missionary Board will average two hundred dollars for every group of Missions and dependent Parishes, and that we employ a general Missionary, we will need for the ensuing year \$6,425. Deducting from that an appropriation of \$1,200 from the General Board, and \$600 for work among colored people, this Diocese should contribute \$4,600 for the maintenance and extension of the Church in the territory committed to our care. Will you do it? You can if you will. During the eighteen years of my Episcopate I have been handicapped by want of money to man the field. Have we arrived at the turn in the road? I hope so. I believe that you will pledge so generously for Diocesan Missions that I can say to good men, come over to West Missouri and help us. We will see that you have sufficient support. The Diocese will stand behind you. The Bishop will stand by with means to save you from anxiety.

Then we will hold together our little flocks that are now scattering; we will keep our children, who are now going to Sunday Schools where they learn to despise the Church; we will gather in the families who are waiting to see whether or no the Church is to be maintained. My friends, you do not know the opportunities open to your Bishop or you would give more generously for the extension of the Church in the sixty western counties of Missouri. Into that territory, embracing 36,720

square miles, an immense population is coming, increasing from month to month. New railways have opened new counties in the South along the Arkansas border. Congregations might be gathered there. The General Board of Missions were so impressed with the importance of that part of our field that they made an appropriation of \$500 a year for the support of a Missionary to visit the new territory, but our Diocesan Board has been hampered by delayed and insufficient offerings; there is little immediate income from the new Missions, and I have not been able to avail myself of this special appropriation. I may yet secure it if you will pledge enough to enable our Board to add \$600 or \$700 for a Missionary in those parts.

The Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions has not only sent generous offerings out of the Diocese but by their contributions to the Bishop's Purse has supplemented the stipends given our Missionaries by the Board, and has enabled me to keep open some Missions that but for its co-operation would have been closed.

The Woman's Auxiliary does not exist for offerings only, although that is one purpose of their organization, and at the General Convention in Richmond last year, they placed upon the altar \$125,000 in addition to their annual gifts of money and boxes. Even though our small congregations cannot give much, I wish that the women might join this Auxiliary. The literature they will receive, the communications from the Secretary and the studies in which they will engage, will enlarge their horizon and bring them in touch with the operations of the great Church in all the world. And again, I remind you of the courage and character developed in those who unite in the promotion of a grand and world-wide work. The isolation of our little congregations belittles them. When they realize that they are part of thirty millions of people carrying on great and successful work in the world, they grow more self-respecting, hopeful and courageous.

The Traveling Secretary of the Auxiliary is always ready to make appointments for visitations in our smaller towns, to tell the women about the Auxiliary and Missions. She goes without expense to the places she visits, and I hope she may be welcomed and heard in every place where there are a few families attached to the Church, as well as in the larger Missions and Parishes.

A council was held last January of the Executive Officers of Lay Brotherhoods in the United States, and it was agreed that they would recommend to each Brotherhood to observe the first week in Advent as a season of special prayer and effort for the extension of Christ's Kingdom among men.

This suggestion does not carry with it the proposal to have joint meetings of our Brotherhood of St. Andrew and other Brotherhoods, but only that the same week should be used by all. I heartily approve of this recommendation, and trust that the Clergy may make arrangement for a week of special services and prayer. It might be possible to have a Mission at that time, at least in our larger cities. The need for a spiritual awakening among men in our day is tremendous, and what can be grander than the thought of prayer going up to Heaven from all Christian people who, differing in some points, are united in the earnest desire that all men may be saved and brought to a knowledge of the truth.

The General Convention of last October, while most interesting to those who were present, and in many ways inspiring and instructive, was not very prolific in results. The Bishop of Albany urged in the House of Bishops the passage of a Canon based on the indissolubility of marriage by any cause but death; but it was lost in the Committee on Canons, who reported that "While in hearty sympathy with the Bishop of Albany's proposal, in the judgment of the Committee it would be unwise and inexpedient at this time to disturb the working agreement arrived at three years ago; inasmuch as we might thereby endanger the loss of the influence in the matter now exercised upon other religious bodies, and for the improvement of civil enactments throughout the land; while there would be further risk of losing the disciplinary provisions we now have, with regard to the admission to the sacraments of persons living in unlawful unions."

The proposed division of the Church into provinces was lost by the non-concurrence of the House of Deputies, but it is still in the hands of a Commission and may come up at a future convention. A change, however, was made in the boundaries of the Missionary Departments, making them coincident with the boundaries of the judicial districts. This change puts the Diocese of Kansas City into the seventh department, consisting of the Dioceses and Missionary Districts with the states of Missouri,

Arkansas, Louisiana, Texas, Kansas, Oklahoma and the Territory of New Mexico.

A preamble to the Constitution was adopted after much discussion, and is in our opinion a decided gain. It reads as follows:

“The American Church, first planted in Virginia, in the year of our Lord 1607, by representatives of the ancient Church of England, acknowledging the Holy Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments to be the Word of God, the record of God's revelation of Himself in His Son, and to contain all things necessary for salvation; holding the Catholic creeds, to-wit, the Apostles' creed and the Nicene creed, to be a sufficient statement of the Christian Faith; maintaining the orders of the Sacred Ministry in such form as from the Apostles' times they have been continued; reverently conserving the Sacraments ordained by Christ Himself, and accounting to be members of the flock of Christ, all who have been duly baptized in the name of the Father and of the Son and the Holy Ghost, has set forth and established for the furtherance of the work to which it has been called of God, the following

CONSTITUTION.”

I do not share the enthusiasm of some over the restoration of the Suffragan Episcopate; but it was demanded partly to relieve the Bishops in the South from the problems that beset the work among the negroes and partly to provide the Dioceses where there are large populations of Poles, Swedes, Finns and others. Its advocates think that it will be valuable as a training and testing place for apostolic men who may, if not found wanting, become full-fledged Diocesan Bishops. It has worked well in England. Bishop Walsham Howe, Bishop Brown of Bristol, the Bishop of Stepney and the present Bishop of London were Suffragans.

An excellent provision was the change made in manner of choosing a Presiding Bishop after the retirement of our good Bishop Tuttle (and may he live long). The Presiding Bishop is then to be elected for a term of six years, unless, meanwhile, he shall have reached the seventieth year of his age, or shall have resigned his Episcopal Jurisdiction, or with the consent of General Convention his office as Presiding Bishop, or unless for infirmity or other sufficient cause he may have been relieved of such office by the General Convention.



Bishop Tuttle's unusual vigor has enabled him to discharge the duties of a Presiding Bishop with rare efficiency, and to give his Diocese all necessary care. But the Senior Bishop is seldom favored with such strength of body and under the change in the Constitution we may always have a Presiding Bishop equal to the demands of the Office.

Amendment to Canon nineteen was made that seems to have caused serious alarm in certain quarters.

The Canon now reads as follows: "No Minister in charge of any congregation in this Church, or in case of a vacancy or absence, no Church wardens, vestrymen or trustees of the congregation shall permit any person to officiate therein without sufficient evidence of his being duly licensed or ordained a Minister in this Church; provided, that nothing herein shall be so construed as to forbid communicants of the Church to act as lay readers, or to prevent the Bishop of any Diocese or Missionary District from giving permission to Christian men, who are not Ministers of this Church, to make addresses on special occasions."

The Canon is prohibitive. It forbids the authorities of a Parish to permit any person to officiate therein unless he be a duly licensed or ordained Minister of this Church. Not a duly licensed Minister of any other communion. To officiate is to discharge the duties of an office. One of the duties of Priest and of a Deacon, if he be licensed thereto by the Bishop, is to preach the Word. The Canon seems, therefore, to forbid preaching as well as other duties of the Priestly office by any unauthorized person, and the cry over an open pulpit is not well founded.

While there may be a few Bishops or other Clergy who would break down the barriers between us, and ultra Protestants, as there are a few beckoning us to follow them into the Roman Communion, the Church in the United States has not departed from her ancient and apostolic order and the "panicky" fulmination of the extreme party in the Church seem to us unnecessary as well as unwarranted and harmful. But the Canon declares also that the extreme constructionist shall not hold it to forbid communicants of the Church to act as lay readers or Christian men, who are not Ministers of this Church, to make addresses on special occasions, not to officiate, not to preach, but make an address on an especial occasion. What is a "special occasion?"



Not one of the regular services provided in the Prayer Book; some unusual occasion when we assemble to consider a matter of general interest. This Church may have, in days gone by, been afflicted with aloofness. She may have stood afar off from questions of the day. She may have gone by on the other side when she should have taken a hand in the betterment of social conditions. It is not so now. It should not be so. If we are to gather in the people, we must take an active interest in the people, and be helpful to them. As our Lord won the men to His spiritual teaching by entering into their domestic and natural life, and by doing good, so must His Church on earth. But leaving that, there are Christian men within and without our communion who are experts in this or that, who have messages that no other can give so well. We would be willing to create a special occasion if requested to do so, that our Clergy or people might have the advantage of that man's practical knowledge, the result of his unique investigations or of his remarkable scholarship. This is the way I understand my duty as Bishop of this Diocese, and this is what I would do.

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*May 14*—At the meeting of the Council in St. Paul's Church, Kansas City, I read my annual address, celebrated the Holy Communion and presided at the business session. In the evening at the Missionary Meeting, I made an address.

*May 15*—I presided at the business session. In the evening at the meeting of the Church Club, I made an address.

*May 16*—At the meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions, I celebrated the Holy Communion.

In the afternoon I conducted the devotions and made an address.

*May 17*—Conference with a neighboring Bishop.

*May 19*—At St. Paul's, Kansas City, I preached, confirmed eleven and addressed them.

At Trinity, Kansas City, I preached, confirmed and addressed them.

At St. Augustine's, Kansas City, I preached, confirmed seven and addressed them.

*May 25*—At the meeting of the Sunday School Institute, I celebrated the Holy Communion.

*May 26*—At Warrensburg, I preached and confirmed four.

*May 29*—Received notice of the reception of the Rev. James H. Barnard, by the Bishop of Connecticut.

*June 2*—Preached at Dorchester, Mass., in the morning, and at West Cambridge in the evening.

*June 3*—Received notice of the deposition of La Grange Smith, Presbyterian, by the Bishop of Olympia.

*June 5*—In Cambridge, Mass., I ordained Douglas Henry Atwill Deacon.

*June 14*—License—Messrs. Walter A. Landis and De Forest Walmsley, Lay Readers, in Christ Church Parish, St. Joseph.

*June 16*—At Christ Church, St. Joseph, I confirmed seven.

*June 23*—In Calvary Church, Sedalia, I celebrated the Holy Communion.

In the evening in St. John's, Kansas City, I confirmed six and addressed them.

*July 7*—At Northport, Mich., I read the service and preached.

*July 14*—Service and sermon at Northport, Mich.

*July 18*—Received notice of the deposition of Ammanuel J. Paulet, Deacon, by the Bishop of Springfield.

*July 21*—Took the service at Northport, Mich. Rev. Dr. Stewart preached.

*July 28*—Service and sermon at Northport, Mich.

*August 4*—Service and address at Northport, Mich.

*August 11*—Service and address at Northport, Mich.

*August 18*—Service and address at Northport, Mich.

*August 25*—Service at Northport, Mich. Rev. Dr. Stewart preached.

*September 1*—Service at Northport, Mich.

*September 28*—Granted the Rev. J. B. Baxter letter dimissory to the Diocese of Michigan.

*September 29*—Morning prayer and service at Independence, Mo. Met the congregation afterwards, and promised to send Rev. Dr. MacKimmon to raise money to pay the debt and secure a salary.

In the evening at St. George's, Kansas City, I baptised Lucy W. Moss.

*October 7 to 19*—Attendance upon the General Convention at Richmond, Virginia.

*October 30*—Officiated at a wedding at Excelsior Springs, Mo.

*October 31*—Meeting of the Diocesan Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions, Trinity Church, Kansas City, and celebrated the Holy Communion and preached.

In the afternoon conducted the opening services and made an address.

*November 1*—In Brookfield, Mo., I ordained the Rev. R. B. Evatt, Priest, and preached the sermon.

*November 3*—At Calvary Church, Sedalia, I addressed the Sunday School, celebrated the Holy Communion and preached.

In the evening at St. Marks, Kansas City, I read the service and made an address upon the General Convention.

*November 7*—I visited Lee's Summit and inspected the improvements upon the church building.

*November 10*—At Lexington, I celebrated the Holy Communion and preached. Conferred with the people about securing a clergyman.

*November 12*—At a meeting of men at Dr. Mackinnon's residence, I introduced the Mayor, who made an address.

Attended a meeting of the Trustees of the Parochial Trust Fund and approved a loan for St. Augustine's Mission, Kansas City, and Lee's Summit.

*November 14*—At Maryville, I took the service, preached and called upon the people.

*November 15*—At St. Joseph, I confirmed a sick man, presented by Mr. Farnum.

*November 17*—At Carthage, I addressed the Sunday School, celebrated the Holy Communion and made an address.

*November 22*—I addressed the Guild of Grace Church, Kansas City.

*November 23*—At Carthage, in the evening I met the vestry and conferred with them about securing a rector.

*November 24*—At Carthage, I addressed the Sunday School, celebrated the Holy Communion and preached.

At Webb City, in the evening I read the service and preached.

*November 30*—I officiated at a wedding in Kansas City.

*December 1*—At Nevada, I celebrated the Holy Communion and preached.

In the evening I preached, confirmed seven, and addressed them

*December 2*—At Webb City, I baptised one, confirmed one, took part in the evening service, made an address, presided at a meeting of the congregation and started a subscription.

*December 8*—At Brookfield, I celebrated the Holy Communion and preached.

In the evening at Cameron, I read the service and preached.

*December 11*—In Calvary Church, Sedalia, I ordained Rev. Douglas Henry Atwill to Priesthood, and preached the sermon.

*December 15*—At Christ Church, Springfield, celebrated the Holy Communion, preached, confirmed twenty and addressed them. Dedicated a candelabra.

In the evening at St. John's Church, I preached, confirmed fourteen and addressed them.

*December 25*—Received notice of the deposition of Luther W. Doggett, Presbyter, by the Bishop of Oklahoma.

*December 29*—In Grace Church, Kansas City, I confirmed one. Took part in the service at St. George's, Kansas City.

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*January 3*—Called the Rev. John V. Plunkett to Independence and Lexington.

Received notice of the deposition of James Cash Waring, Presbyter, by Bishop Guerry.

*January 5*—At St. Paul's Church, Kansas City, I celebrated the Holy Communion.

In the evening read the service and preached.

*January 6*—Celebrated the Holy Communion at St. Paul's, Kansas City.

*January 7*—Received notice of the deposition of William E. Henkell, by Bishop Talbot.

*January 10*—Conferred with Rev. Dr. Barker about Harrisonville.

*January 12*—At Warrensburg, I took part in the service, preached and confirmed two.

In the evening I preached in Calvary Church, Sedalia.

*January 13*—At Boonville, I conferred with the people regarding differences of the Rector.

*January 14*—Received notice of the deposition of James B. Eddy, Presbyter, by Bishop Spaulding.

*January 19*—I read the service and preached at Harrisonville, and conferred with the people after service.

*January 20*—Received notice of the deposition of John P. Carter, Presbyter, by the Bishop of West Texas.

*January 26*—At Trenton, I read the service and preached.

*February 2*—In Calvary Church, at Sedalia, I addressed the Sunday School, celebrated the Holy Communion, preached twice, confirmed eight and addressed them, and met the vestry.

*February 9*—At Boonville, I read the service, preached and met the vestry.

*February 15*—Received notice of the deposition of Delbert F. Thompson, Presbyter, by the Bishop of Minnesota.

*February 16*—At St. Paul's, Kansas City, I took the early communion and mid-day service, and sermon; also took part in the evening service.

*February 19*—Addressed the auxiliary of St. Mark's Church, Kansas City, at the home of Mrs. T. C. Bradley.

*February 20*—Received notice that the sentence of deposition of John Elmer Bevington had been terminated by the Bishop of Massachusetts.

*February 23*—Took the early communion at St. Paul's Church; took the mid-day service and preached the sermon before the Sons of the Revolution.

*February 24*—At my residence, I organized a Church Extension League of Kansas City.

*March 1*—At West Plains, I celebrated the Holy Communion, preached and conferred with the people.

In the evening at Mt. Grove, I read the service, preached and met the people.

*March 2*—Received notice of the deposition of Freilius Garrettson Jewett, by the Bishop of Chicago.

*March 3*—Attended a reception at Grace Church, celebrating the payment of the debt, and made an address.

*March 8*—At Brookfield, I celebrated the Holy Communion and preached.

At Chillicothe, in the evening, I preached, confirmed six and addressed them.

*March 9*—I met with the Church Extension League and appointed committees to raise money and to look over the city.

*March 10*—Received notice of the deposition of Harry W. Jones, D.D., by the Bishop of Florida.

*March 13*—At Liberty, read the service and preached.

*March 15*—At Lamar, I celebrated Holy Communion, preached and confirmed one.

In the afternoon, I went to Webb City and conferred with the people.

*March 19*—I visited Cameron, and conferred with the people about the conditions there.

*March 20*—I received notice of the deposition of William Henry Pierce, Presbyter, and Nathan Tolles Pratt, Presbyter, by the Bishop of Connecticut.

*March 22*—At Lee's Summit, I read the morning service and preached.

In the afternoon at Pleasant Hill, I preached and confirmed six.

*March 24*—Received notice of the deposition of Henry Allen Yost, Presbyter, by the Bishop of Pennsylvania.

*April 5*—At St. George's, Kansas City, I celebrated the Holy Communion, preached, confirmed twenty-six and addressed them.

At St. Mary's, in the afternoon I preached, confirmed eight and addressed them.

*April 7*—Gave my consent to the consecration of the Rev. Frederick Locke Reece, D.D., to be Bishop of Georgia.

*April 12*—At Grace Church, Kansas City. I preached, confirmed forty-six and addressed them.

At Trinity, Kansas City, I preached, confirmed twenty-three and addressed them.

*April 15*—Received notice of the deposition of Walworth Campbell Cady, by the Bishop of Nebraska.

*April 18*—Received notice of the deposition of John George Ewens, Presbyter, by Bishop McCormick.

*April 19*—At Neosho, I celebrated the Holy Communion and preached.

In the evening I preached, confirmed eight and addressed them.

*April 20*—I officiated at the laying of the corner stone of St. Philip's Church, Joplin, and made an address.

In the evening, I confirmed six and addressed them. I baptized the child of Mr. Wallower, of Webb City.

*April 21*—At Monett, I preached, confirmed three and addressed them.

*April 22*—At Aurora, I preached, confirmed one.

In the evening at St. John's Church, Springfield, I preached, confirmed fifteen and addressed them.

*April 23*—Received notice of the deposition of Marshall Grant Ledford, Presbyter, by the Bishop of Ashville.

*April 25*—I appointed as Committee of St. John's Mission, Kansas City: Baron J. Fradenburg, Warden; J. M. Lee, Clerk; Daniel G. Murray, Treasurer; J. S. Warick, Wm. J. Edelan, Fred C. Adams, Harry G. Algeo.

*April 26*—At Christ Church, St. Joseph, I confirmed nine and preached.

At Holy Trinity I preached, confirmed two and addressed them.

*May 3*—At Trinity, Independence, I celebrated Holy Communion, preached and conferred with the people.

In the evening, at St. Mark's Church, Kansas City, I confirmed four, received one from the Catholic Apostolic Church, and addressed the class.

E. R. ATWILL,  
*Bishop of Kansas City,*

BISHOP'S SUMMARY.

Visitations. . . . .	76
Services. . . . .	76
Sermons and Addresses.....	95
Confirmed, on 26 occasions.....	253
Ordained, Deacon. . . . .	1
Ordained, Priests. . . . .	2
Postulant. . . . .	1
Candidate for Holy Orders.....	1
Corner Stone Laid.....	1

CONFIRMATIONS.

1907.

May 19, St. Paul's, Kansas City.....	11
May 19, St. Augustine's, Kansas City.....	7
May 26, Warrensburg. . . . .	4
June 16, Christ Church, St. Joseph. . . . .	7
June 23, St. John's, Kansas City.....	6
November 15, St. Luke's, St. Joseph (in private)....	1
December 1, All Saints', Nevada. . . . .	7
December 2, St. Paul's, Webb City. . . . .	1
December 15, Christ Church, Springfield. . . . .	20
December 15, St. John's, Springfield. . . . .	14
December 29, Grace Church, Kansas City.....	1

1908.

January 12, Warrensburg. . . . .	2
February 2, Calvary Church, Sedalia.....	8
March 8, Chillicothe. . . . .	6
March 15, Lamar. . . . .	1
March 22, Pleasant Hill. . . . .	6
April 5, St. George's, Kansas City.....	26
April 5, St. Mary's, Kansas City. . . . .	8
April 12, Grace Church, Kansas City.....	46
April 12, Trinity, Kansas City. . . . .	23
April 19, Neosho. . . . .	8
April 20, St. Philip's, Joplin. . . . .	6
April 21, Monett. . . . .	3
April 22, Aurora. . . . .	1
April 22, St. John's, Springfield. . . . .	15
April 26, Christ Church, St. Joseph. . . . .	9
April 26, Holy Trinity, St. Joseph. . . . .	2
May 3, St. Mark's, Kansas City.....	4

At the close of divine service the Bishop took the chair and called the Council to order in Grace Church Guild Hall.

The Secretary of the last Council called the roll of the clergy from a list furnished by the Bishop. Eighteen clergymen entitled to a seat and vote answered to their names and took their seats. (See list of Clergy, page XII.)

The Chair appointed the following committee on Credentials of Lay Delegates: James Blain, J. E. Long, M. J. Maltby.

In the absence of the Missionary Treasurer, the Chair appointed Mr. A. C. Stowell, Diocesan Missionary Treasurer *pro tem*.

On motion, the Council took a recess for lunch 'till 2:30 p. m.

### 2:30 P. M.

The Council re-assembled.

The Chair appointed Mr. D. H. Smith Diocesan Treasurer *pro tem*.

The Committee on Credentials of Lay Delegates presented their report and the roll being called, twenty-six Lay Delegates answered to their names and took their seats. (See list of Lay Delegates, page XIV.)

A canonical quorum being present, the Council proceeded to business.

The Chair announced the appointment of the following:

#### STANDING COMMITTEES.

##### *On Admission of New Parishes.*

Rev. C. H. Bohn.	Rev. E. W. Flower.
	Rev. John Wilkinson.

##### *On Constitution and Canons.*

Rev. Robt. Talbot.	Rev. C. A. Weed.
Rev. E. H. Eckel.	Mr. H. D. Ashley.
Rev. J. A. Schaad	Mr. James Blain.

##### *On Unfinished Business.*

Rev. A. W. Farnum.	Mr. W. F. Eves.
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##### *On Finance.*

Mr. A. C. Stowell	Mr. Ben B. Lee.
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*On Assessment.*

Mr. John F. Eaton.  
Mr. D. H. Smith.  
Mr. T. C. Bradley.

Mr. Egbert Chapman.  
Mr. C. H. Childs.  
Mr. Horace Stringfellow.

*On Missions.*

Rev. Arthur M. Griffin.

Rev. D. H. Atwill.

*On Christian Education.*

Rev. J. Stewart-Smith.

Rev. Carl R. Taylor.

Rev. John Wilkinson.

*On Sunday School Work.*

Rev. R. N. Spencer.

Rev. H. L. A. Fick.

*On Missionaries' Traveling Expenses.*

Mr. Jay M. Lee.

Mr. A. W. Miller.

*On the State of the Church.*

Rev. J. D. Ritchey.

Rev. E. B. Woodruff.

Mr. H. H. Embry.

On motion of the Rev. Robert Talbot, the rules were suspended and the Assistant Secretary was instructed to cast the ballot of the Council for the Rev. John K. Dunn as Secretary.

The ballot being so cast, he was elected Secretary, and announced the appointment of the Rev. C. R. Taylor as Assistant Secretary.

On motion of Mr. M. G. Harman, the Chair was requested to appoint a committee of five to consider that part of the Bishop's Address relating to St. Luke's Hospital.

The Chair appointed as such committee the Rev. Messrs. J. D. Ritchey, C. R. Taylor, and Messrs. A. C. Stowell, M. G. Harman and A. W. Miller.

On motion of Mr. John F. Eaton, so much of the Bishop's Address as referred to the late Mr. Charles A. Kelly, was referred to a committee of three. The Chair appointed as such committee, Messrs. John F. Eaton, L. R. Moore and Horace Stringfellow.

The Chair announced the appointment by the Bishop of the following delegates to the Pan-Anglican Congress: Rev. Messrs. E. H. Eckel, J. A. Schaad, Robert Talbot, D. H. Atwill, and D. G. Mackinnon.

The Rev. E. B. Woodruff read the following reports, which on motion of the Rev. E. H. Eckel were accepted.



## REPORT

OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE OF THE DIOCESE OF KANSAS CITY, 1908.

The Standing Committee has held four meetings during the year.

On August 18, 1907, consent was given to the sale of St. George's Church, Kansas City. Consent was given to the election of the Rev. William A. Guerry, to be Bishop Coadjutor of the Diocese of South Carolina.

On October 31, consent was given to the advancement of the Rev. Robert B. Evatt, Deacon, to the Priesthood, and to the shortening of the Diaconate of the Rev. Douglas H. Atwill.

On December 18, Mr. Louis T. Golding was elected to the vacancy on the Committee.

On March 4, 1908, consent was given to the election of the Rev. Frederick F. Reese, to be Bishop of the Diocese of Georgia.

E. B. WOODRUFF,  
*Secretary.*

## REPORT.

OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE PAROCHIAL TRUST FUND, 1908.

The Trustees of the Parochial Trust Fund met three times during the past year.

On November 11, 1907, and on February 18, 1908, consent was given to various Parishes or Missions, to make loans on their property.

On December 13, 1907, the rights of the Diocese of Kansas City under the contract with the American Church Building Fund Commission, were assigned and transferred to Trinity Parish, Kansas City, for its use and benefit in acquiring title to the Church property on the corner of Tracy Avenue and 10th Street and for adjusting the affair between Trinity Parish and the Building Fund Commission.

E. B. WOODRUFF,  
*Secretary.*

On motion, the Council proceeded to the election of the Standing Committee, with the following nominations:

Rev. E. B. Woodruff.	Rev. Robt. Talbot.
Rev. E. H. Eckel.	Rev. J. D. Ritchey.
Rev. J. Stewart-Smith.	Mr. Jno. T. Harding.
Mr. A. C. Stowell.	Mr. L. T. Golding.

Mr. B. E. Rowe.

The Chair appointed as tellers for the Clerical vote, the Rev. R. N. Spencer and the Rev. C. H. Bohn, and as tellers for the Lay vote, Messrs. W. C. Goffe and W. A. Remfry.

A ballot having been cast, the following were elected: Rev. Messrs. R. Talbot and E. B. Woodruff, and Messrs. A. C. Stowell, John T. Harding and L. T. Golding.

CLERICAL VOTE FOR STANDING COMMITTEE.

FIRST BALLOT.

Eighteen votes cast. Ten necessary for choice.

Rev. Mr. Talbot . . . . .	14	Mr. Stowell. . . . .	16
Rev. Mr. Woodruff. . . . .	15	Mr. Harding. . . . .	14
Rev. Mr. Eckel. . . . .	11	Mr. Golding. . . . .	12
Rev. Mr. Ritchey. . . . .	11	Mr. Rowe. . . . .	7
Rev. Mr. Smith. . . . .	2	Mr. Kelly. . . . .	2

LAY VOTE FOR STANDING COMMITTEE.

FIRST BALLOT.

Seventeen votes cast. The following names received the highest votes:

CLERGY.

Rev. Robt. Talbot. . . . .	16	Rev. J. Stewart-Smith . . . . .	5
Rev. E. B. Woodruff.....	12	Rev. Chas. A. Weed.....	1
Rev. E. H. Eckel.....	8	Rev. J. A. Schaad.....	1
Rev. J. D. Ritchey.....	7		

LAY.

Mr. Harding. . . . .	16	Mr. Golding. . . . .	11
Mr. Stowell. . . . .	13	Mr. Rowe. . . . .	9

The Rev. J. Stewart Smith withdrew his name. Six ballots were then cast for the remaining Clerical member of the Standing Committee without election, and on the eighth ballot the Rev. E. H. Eckel was elected as follows:

CLERICAL VOTE.

Rev. E. H. Eckel.....	8	Rev. J. D. Ritchey.....	7
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LAY VOTE.

Rev. E. H. Eckel.....	14	Rev. J. D. Ritchey.....	10
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On motion of the Rev. E. B. Woodruff the following resolutions were adopted:

*Resolved*, That the Trustees of the Parochial Trust Fund of the Diocese be and the same are hereby authorized and directed to clear up the titles and to secure the legal transfer to this Diocese of Church properties within its limits, that are now regarded as belonging to the Diocese of Missouri.

*Resolved*, That the Treasurer of the Diocese repay \$6.68 to the Rev. E. H. Eckel for taxes on the property of St. Matthias Mission, St. Joseph.

On motion of the Rev. A. W. Farnum it was

*Resolved*, That the Delegates to the Conference of the Seventh Missionary Department at Topeka, be elected by ballot at this Council.

The Rev. C. A. Weed moved that that portion of the Bishop's

Address relating to the Missionary work of the Diocese be referred to the Committee on Missions. Carried.

The Rev. C. A. Weed presented the following petition, and on his motion the change of the name of the Mission as therein requested was ordered by the Council:

### PETITION

TO THE ANNUAL COUNCIL OF THE DIOCESE OF KANSAS CITY.

PRO-RECTORY, LAMAR, MISSOURI, May 7, 1908.

A meeting of the Congregation of the Church of the Advent, Lamar, Missouri, was this day held in the Church, and the following resolution was unanimously passed, namely,

That a petition in the name of the congregation be presented to the Bishop and Council of the Diocese, requesting that the name of the Church or Mission at Lamar, Missouri, be changed from "The Church of The Advent" to "Trinity Church," on the ground that the name "Church of The Advent" is so awkward to use, and does sometimes suggest to those without, as if this were an Adventist (Seventh Day) Church.

Signed on behalf of the Congregation,

J. SENIOR,  
*Missionary in Charge.*

And, in the name of the Congregation, I hereby present this petition to the Bishop and Council, praying that the petition be granted.

J. SENIOR.

On motion of Mr. J. M. Lee it was

*Resolved*, That a Committee of five, consisting of three Clergymen and two laymen, be appointed to consider plans for the establishment of a Diocesan paper, and to report to this Council, suggestions to give effect to the same as soon as possible.

The Chair appointed as such committee:

Rev. J. A. Schaad.

Mr. Jay M. Lee.

Rev. C. R. Taylor.

Mr. W. C. Goffe.

Rev. E. B. Woodruff.

On motion of Rev. Robert Talbot, the rules were suspended and the Secretary was instructed to cast the ballot of the Council for Mr. Walton H. Holmes as Treasurer. The ballot being cast Mr. Holmes was elected.

On motion of the Rev. A. W. Farnum, the courtesy of the floor was extended to Clergy present not entitled to vote. The Rev. Messrs. C. F. O'Meara and A. Harper, Jr., availed themselves of the invitation.

Mr. John F. Eaton read the report of the Committee on Assessments, which, on motion, was accepted and adopted.

REPORT.

OF THE COMMITTEE ON ASSESSMENTS.

The Committee on Assessments respectfully recommends the following assessments for the coming year:

PARISHES.

Blackburn—Church of the Mediator.....	\$ 11.00
Boonville—Christ Church. . . . .	88.00
Brookfield—Grace Church. . . . .	73.70
Brunswick—St. Paul's Church.....	18.70
Carrollton—St. Paul's Church.....	22.00
Carthage—Grace Church. . . . .	187.00
Chillicothe—Grace Church. . . . .	154.00
Fayette—St. Mary's Church.....	12.10
Independence—Trinity Church. . . . .	40.00
Joplin—St. Philip's Church.....	93.50
Kansas City—	
Grace Church. . . . .	660.00
St. George's Church.....	350.00
St. Mark's Church. . . . .	154.00
St. Mary's Church. . . . .	308.00
St. Paul's Church (Westport).....	800.00
Trinity Church. . . . .	550.00
Maryville—St. Paul's Church.....	11.00
Nevada—All Saints' Church.....	66.00
Pleasant Hill—Cavalry Church.....	5.50
Sedalia—Calvary Church.....	165.00
Springfield—	
Christ Church. . . . .	181.50
St. John's Church. . . . .	137.50
St. Joseph—	
Christ Church. . . . .	1,100.00
Holy Trinity Church.....	38.50
Warrensburg—Christ Church. . . . .	60.50
Weston—St. John's Church.....	1.10
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Total on Parishes.....	\$5,288.60

MISSIONS.

Amazonia—St. Matthew's. . . . .	\$ 1.00
Butler—St. Mark's.....	5.00
Cameron—St. John's. . . . .	20.00
Clinton—St. Paul's . . . . .	50.00
Fordland—St. Luke's. . . . .	2.50
Hamilton—Trinity. . . . .	2.50
Harrisonville—St. Peter's. . . . .	20.00
Holden—Mount Calvary. . . . .	15.00

Kansas City—		
St. John's. . . . .	65.00	
St. Augustine's. . . . .	45.00	
Lamar—Advent. . . . .	10.00	
Lee's Summit—St. Paul's. . . . .	10.00	
Lebanon—Trinity. . . . .	40.00	
Marshall—Trinity. . . . .	50.00	
Monett—St. Stephen's. . . . .	10.00	
Mountain Grove—St. Mark's. . . . .	10.00	
Neosho—St. John's. . . . .	15.00	
Oswald—St. Oswald's. . . . .	20.00	
Plattsburg—St. Mary's. . . . .	5.00	
Richmond—St. Paul's. . . . .	5.00	
Rich Hill—St. Luke's. . . . .	5.00	
Savannah—St. Mary's. . . . .	10.00	
St. Joseph—St. Matthias' . . . . .	6.00	
Stanberry—Trinity. . . . .	5.00	
Trenton—St. Philip's. . . . .	15.00	
Webb City—St. Paul's. . . . .	10.00	
West Plains—All Saints'. . . . .	35.00	
Utica—Trinity. . . . .	5.00	
East Sedalia—All Saints'. . . . .	15.00	
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Total on Missions. . . . .		\$ 507.00
Total on Parishes. . . . .		\$5,288.60
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Total Assessment. . . . .		\$5,795.60

The committee also recommended the continuance of the discount plan for the prompt payment of assessments (see Journal of 1905, page 62.)

JOHN F. EATON,  
C. H. CHILDS,  
E. H. CHAPMAN,  
D. H. SMITH,  
W. F. EVES,  
HORACE STRINGFELLOW,  
Committee.

Which, on motion, was accepted and adopted.

On motion of Mr. Eaton, the Council adopted the plan of last year, and appropriated \$600.00 for the Bishop's traveling expense account. (See Journal of 1907, page 55.)

On motion of the Rev. C. A. Weed, the Council proceeded to the election of the Diocesan Missionary Board by ballot, and the following nominations were made:

## NOMINATIONS FOR MISSIONARY BOARD.

Rev. Mr. Robt. Talbot.	Mr. Horace Stringfellow.
Rev. Mr. C. A. Weed.	Mr. H. D. Ashley.
Rev. Mr. J. Stewart-Smith.	Mr. H. H. Harding.
Rev. Mr. E. H. Eckel.	Mr. J. E. Long.
Rev. Mr. J. A. Schaad.	Mr. W. A. Remfry.
Rev. Mr. J. D. Ritchey.	Mr. E. P. Pratt.
Rev. Mr. J. K. Dunn.	Mr. J. Q. Watkins, Jr.
Rev. Mr. C. R. Taylor.	Mr. Phil R. Toll.
Mr. T. B. Tomb.	

The Chair appointed as tellers for the Clerical vote, the Rev. Messrs. H. L. A. Fick and C. F. O'Meara; for tellers of the Lay vote, Messrs. B. E. Rowe and W. A. Remfry.

The following were elected on the first ballot:

The Rev. Messrs. R. Talbot, C. A. Weed, J. D. Ritchey, J. A. Schaad, J. K. Dunn, and Messrs. Horace Stringfellow, H. H. Harding and H. D. Ashley. The Rev. J. Stewart-Smith withdrew his name.

On motion the Council adjourned until 8:00 p. m. for a Missionary meeting, and until 9:30 a. m. Wednesday, for business session.

**8:00 P. M.**

A Missionary service was held, addresses made, and pledges taken for Diocesan Missions. (See Appendix.)

**Second Day.**

Wednesday, May 13th, 1908, 9:30 a. m.

Council met pursuant to adjournment.

Minutes of yesterday's session read and approved.

On motion, the calling of the roll was dispensed with.

The Council proceeded to ballot for remaining members of the Missionary Board. Two ballots were taken, on the second of which Mr. J. Q. Watkins, Jr., was elected a member of the Board. On the third ballot Mr. W. A. Remfry was elected. The Rev. E. H. Eckel withdrew his name. On the fourth ballot Mr. E. P. Pratt was elected. And on the sixth ballot the Rev. C. R. Taylor was elected.

The Rev. A. W. Farnum read the report of the Treasurer of the Permanent Episcopal fund.

## REPORT.

OF THE TREASURER OF THE PERMANENT EPISCOPAL FUND  
OF THE DIOCESE OF KANSAS CITY.*To the Diocesan Council, Diocese of Kansas City.*

GENTLEMEN:—I beg to submit the following report as Treasurer of the Permanent Episcopal Fund of this Diocese:

## RECEIPTS.

May 4, 1907, cash on hand at last report.....	\$588.76
Aug. 1, 1907, interest on loan to Prosser Prep. School.....	216.00
Sept. 12, 1907, subscription, St. John's, Kansas City.....	5.90
Feb. 1, 1908, interest on loan to Prosser Prep. School.....	216.00
Mar. 21, 1908, subscription, Calvary Church, Sedalia.....g.....	7.00
Total. . . . .	\$1,033.78

## DISBURSEMENTS.

Sept. 17, 1907, paid Treasurer of Diocese interest on Helen M. Smith fund to July 21, 1907.....	\$ 30.00
April 14, 1907, paid Treasurer of Diocese interest on Helen M. Smith fund to Jan. 21, 1908.....	30.00
May 8, 1908, cash on hand.....	973.78
Total. . . . .	\$1,033.78

I also have on hand papers in connection with the real estate loan of \$7,200.00 made to the Prosser Preparatory School, Kansas City, Missouri.

Very respectfully submitted,

JAMES MACKENZIE,  
*Treasurer.*

Rev. E. B. Woodruff presented the following:

*Resolved*, That the Missionary Board Fund be raised by the apportionment system as last year.

Rev. E. B. Woodruff, for the Secretary, read the following communication and the Council approved *seriatim* of the alterations of the Constitution by the General Convention, thereby presented:

## THE GENERAL CONVENTION.

*To the Convention (or Council) of the Diocese of Kansas City:*

In compliance with the requirement of Article XI of the Constitution, I hereby make known that the following alterations of the Constitution of the Church are proposed: to-wit, those comprised in the resolutions printed herewith, said resolutions having been constitutionally adopted by a General Convention held in the city of Richmond, in October, A. D., 1907.

HENRY ANSTICE,  
*Secretary of the House of Deputies.*

New York, April 15, A. D. 1908.

## RESOLUTIONS.

*Resolved*, That the following change be made in the Constitution, and that the proposed alteration be made known to the several Dioceses, in order that the same may be adopted at the next General Convention, in accordance with Article XI of the Constitution, as follows:

Prefix to the Constitution the following

## PREAMBLE.

This American Church first planted in Virginia, in the year of our Lord 1607, by representatives of the ancient Church of England; acknowledging the Holy Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments to be the Word of God, the record of God's Revelation of Himself in his Son, and to contain all things necessary to salvation; holding the Catholic Creeds, to-wit, the Apostles' Creed and the Nicene Creed, to be a sufficient statement of the Christian Faith; maintaining the Orders of the Sacred Ministry in such form as from the Apostles' time they have been continued; reverently conserving the Sacraments ordained by Christ Himself; and accounting to be members of the flock of Christ all who have been duly baptized in the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost, has set forth and established, for the furtherance of the work to which it has been called of God, the following

## CONSTITUTION.

*Resolved*, That the following change be made in the Constitution, and that the proposed alteration be made known to the several Dioceses, in order that the same may be adopted at the next General Convention, in accordance with Article XI of the Constitution, as follows:

Strike out Section 3 of Article I, and insert in place of it the following:

**SECTION 3.** Upon the expiration of the term of office of the Presiding Bishop, the General Convention shall elect the Presiding Bishop of the Church. The House of Bishops shall choose one of the Bishops having jurisdiction within the United States to be such Presiding Bishop, by the vote of a majority of all the Bishops entitled to vote in the House of Bishops, such choice to be subject to confirmation by the House of Deputies by vote of a majority of the Clerical and Lay Deputies of all the Dioceses entitled to representation in the House of Deputies, voting by orders.

The Presiding Bishop shall discharge such duties as may be prescribed by the Constitution and the Canons of the General Convention.

The Presiding Bishop so elected shall hold office for six years, unless meanwhile he shall have reached the seventieth year of his age, when his tenure of office shall end in any case, or shall have resigned his Episcopal jurisdiction, or, with the consent of the General Convention, his office as Presiding Bishop, or, unless, for infirmity or other sufficient cause, he may have been relieved of such office by the General Convention by the concurrent vote, first, of a majority of all the Bishops entitled to vote in the House of Bishops, and then of a majority of the Clerical and Lay Deputies of all the Dioceses entitled to representation in the House of Deputies, voting by orders.

The salary of the Presiding Bishop, as such, shall be fixed and paid



by the General Convention, as may be provided by Canon of such Convention.

When, for any reason, a vacancy in the office shall occur, or if, by reason of infirmity, the Presiding Bishop shall become disabled, the House of Bishops shall elect one of its number to act as Presiding Bishop until the next meeting of the General Convention.

*Resolved*, That the following change be made in the Constitution, and that the proposed alteration be made known to the several Dioceses, in order that the same may be adopted at the next General Convention, in accordance with Article XI of the Constitution, as follows:

Insert in Article II. as Section 4, the following, and renumber the present Section 4:

It shall be lawful for a Diocese, with the consent of the Bishop of that Diocese, to elect one or more Suffragan Bishops, without right of succession, and with seat and without vote in the House of Bishops. A Suffragan Bishop shall be consecrated and hold office under such conditions and limitations other than those provided in this Article as may be provided by Canons of the General Convention. He shall be eligible as Bishop or Bishop Coadjutor of a Diocese, or as a Suffragan in another Diocese, or he may be elected by the House of Bishops as a Missionary Bishop.

*Resolved*, That the following change be made in the Constitution, and that the proposed alteration be made known to the several Dioceses, in order that the same may be adopted at the next General Convention, in accordance with Article XI of the Constitution, as follows:

Add to the second paragraph of Article IX of the Constitution the following sentence, namely:

The General Convention may also provide by Canon for the trial of a Presbyter or Deacon in the Diocese or Missionary District in which an offense is alleged to have been committed by him.

*Resolved*, That the following change be made in the Constitution, and that the proposed alteration be made known to the several Dioceses, in order that the same may be adopted at the next General Convention, in accordance with Article XI of the Constitution, as follows:

Add to Article X, at the end thereof, the following proviso:

*And provided further*, that in editions of the Book of Common Prayer in foreign languages, such verbal alterations as may be necessary to adapt the same to local conditions may be made by the authority of the Bishop of the Diocese or Missionary District in which it is used, subject to the approval of the Presiding Bishop.

The Rev. J. D. Ritchey read the following report of the committee on the state of the Church, which was accepted and adopted.

## REPORT

### OF COMMITTEE ON THE STATE OF THE CHURCH.

The Committee on the State of the Church can confidently assert that the spirit of earnestness and aggressiveness on the part of both Clergy and Laity in the Diocese is greater than common, and gives promise of more encouraging results in the near future. But the present force, even with its most heroic efforts, is pitifully inadequate even to sustain the

work already in hand. Sixteen Parishes and Missions of the Diocese are at the time of this report without services, other than the little attention our overworked Bishop can give them.

The Committee is convinced that the most effective and most economic method of meeting the need at the present is through the services of a General Missionary or an Arch Deacon.

We therefore recommend that this Council take immediate steps for the appointment and maintenance of an Archdeacon.

Respectfully submitted,  
J. D. RITCHEY.

The Rev. E. H. Eckel read the following list of contributions, and on his motion the Council ordered the notice in the Journal changed (on the inside of the cover) as requested in an accompanying circular.

CONTRIBUTIONS	
RECEIVED FROM THE CHURCHES AND MISSIONS OF THE DIOCESE OF KANSAS CITY FROM MAY 1, 1907, TO MAY 1, 1908, FOR THE GENERAL CLERGY RELIEF FUND.	
Christ Church, St. Joseph, (\$49.35), St. Luke's Mission (\$11.75, plus \$9.59 for automatic pensions at 64—\$21.34).....	\$ 70.69
St. Paul's, Kansas City.....	58.25
St. John's, Springfield.....	20.75
Calvary, Sedalia. . . . .	18.93
Trinity, Marshall. . . . .	14.56
St. George's, Kansas City.....	13.00
Christ Church, Springfield.....	11.30
Holy Trinity, St. Joseph, (\$5.00, plus \$5.25 for automatic pensions at 64). . . . .	10.25
St. John's, Kansas City, (\$6.60, plus \$1.18 from Sunday School)..	7.78
St. Oswald's, Oswald.....	6.74
Christ Church, Warrensburg.....	5.50
Advent, Lamar. . . . .	1.75
St. Augustine's, Kansas City.....	1.67
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	\$241.17
Total subscriptions from Churches and Missions from May 1, 1907, to May 1, 1908.....	\$241.17
Grants from the General Clergy Relief Fund, same period.....	350.00
Number of Beneficiaries.....	3

The Rev. J. D. Ritchey read the following, which was accepted and adopted:

REPORT  
OF STANDING COMMITTEE ON SUNDAY SCHOOLS.

By resolution of the Diocesan Council of 1906, as recorded on page 66, Journal of 1906, a Standing Committee of five on Sunday Schools was

appointed to consider the conditions of the Sunday School work in the Diocese and to devise means of increasing its efficiency.

The undersigned Committee, appointed under the said resolution, respectfully reports as follows:

1. We recommend the wide distribution through the Officers of the Diocesan Sunday School Institute, of the General Convention Report on Sunday School Instruction, to 'all Clergymen, Superintendents, and leading Sunday School workers in the Diocese.

2. We urge upon the latter the careful study of said report, which we may take occasion herein to say, is the most comprehensive and suggestive brief monograph on Sunday School work ever officially offered our people; and, we also recommend the adoption and application to our Diocesan Sunday Schools of the recommendations of said report.

3. We recommend to the Diocesan Sunday School Institute that it consider the expediency of organizing local institutes in Kansas City, St. Joseph and Springfield, with a view to making these cities propagating centers of advanced modern Sunday School work in their respective deaneries.

4. We recommend that the Diocesan Sunday School Institute take steps to provide teachers' training courses and examinations for such Sunday School workers as may desire them, and that a suitable diploma be devised, offered, and awarded for and to such persons as have fully and satisfactorily completed such a course of training and have sustained satisfactory examinations therein.

In order to give effect to the above recommendations, your Committee offers the following resolutions:

*Resolved*, That the Standing Committee on Sunday Schools be and the same is hereby authorized and instructed to confer with the Executive Committee of the Diocesan Sunday School Institute with a view to making the recommendations of its report effective throughout the Diocese.

*Resolved*, That the Committee be continued to the next Council.

J. D. RITCHEY.

EDWARD HENRY ECKEL.

A. C. STOWELL.

ROBERT TALBOT.

On motion of the Rev. E. B. Woodruff it was

*Resolved*, That the Parishes and Missions which have not given a pledge to Diocesan Missions shall be apportioned for the ensuing year by the Bishop and Board of Missions.

On motion the foregoing resolution was reconsidered and repealed, and on motion of Mr. A. C. Stowell the following was adopted:

*Resolved*, That the Bishop and Missionary Board apportion to the Parishes and Missions an amount necessary to carry on the mission work of this Diocese; that the amounts pledged by Parishes, Individuals, Sunday Schools, Guilds, etc., from each Parish or Mission, be credited on the amount apportioned to such Parish or Mission.

Mr. Walton H. Holmes presented his annual report as follows:

REPORT

OF THE TREASURER OF THE DIOCESE OF KANSAS CITY  
FROM MAY 16, 1907, TO MAY 15, 1908.

GENERAL FUND.

RECEIPTS.

To balance as per last report.....\$1,926.79

TO DUES FROM PARISHES.

From Blackburn, Church of Mediator.....	\$	8.00	
Boonville, Christ. . . . .		79.20	
Brunswick, St. Paul's. . . . .		8.43	
Carthage, Grace. . . . .		187.50	
Chillicothe, Grace. . . . .		144.31	
Fayette, St. Mary's. . . . .		6.78	
Independence, Trinity. . . . .		47.05	
Joplin, St. Phillip's.....		91.17	
Kansas City—			
Grace. . . . .		594.00	
St. George's. . . . .		275.00	
St. Mark's. . . . .		34.65	
St. Mary's. . . . .		277.20	
St. Paul's. . . . .		814.00	
Trinity. . . . .		550.00	
Maryville, St. Paul's.....		4.95	
Nevada, All Saints'. . . . .		59.42	
Sedalia, Calvary. . . . .		165.00	
Springfield, St. John's.....		123.76	
Christ. . . . .		181.50	
St. Joseph—			
Christ. . . . .		990.00	
Holy Trinity. . . . .		34.68	
Warrensburg, Christ. . . . .		42.35	\$4,718.95
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			\$6,645.74

TO DUES FROM MISSIONS.

From Cameron, St. John's.....	\$	19.50
Clinton, St. Paul's.....		50.00
Holden, Mt. Calvary.....		13.59
Kansas City—		
St. John's. . . . .		40.52
St. Augustine. . . . .		45.00
Lamar, Advent. . . . .		9.00
Lebanon, Trinity. . . . .		32.00
Marshall, Trinity. . . . .		45.00
Monett, St. Stephen's. . . . .		10.00
Mountain Grove, St. Mark's.....		9.00

Neosho, St. John's.....	15.00	
Oswald, St. Oswald.....	18.00	
Savannah, St. Mary's.....	9.00	
St. Joseph, St. Matthias.....	5.55	
Trenton, St. Phillip's.....	14.30	
Utica, Trinity. . . . .	4.88	
Webb City, St. Paul's. . . . .	2.50	
West Plains, All Saints'.....	34.13	\$ 376.97
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		\$7,022.71
Interest received from Helen Maitland Smith Fund. . . . .		60.00
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		\$7,082.71

DISBURSEMENTS.

By	Bishop's Salary. . . . .	\$4,550.00	
	Secretary's Salary. . . . .	150.00	
	Secretary's Office Expense.....	50.00	
	Printing Journal, 1907. . . . .	225.70	
	General Convention, 33 Clergy.....	99.00	
	Printing Statements and Circulars.....	18.00	
	Letter Heads and Envelopes and Diocesan Notices, for Treasurer.....	6.00	
	Material and work for shelves for Registrar....	16.70	
	Refund over-payment Carthage, Grace, assess- ment. . . . .	.50	
	Postage stamps for Treasurer.....	4.00	
	Interest on Diocesan Note.....	36.00	\$5,155.90
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	Balance on hand.....		\$1,926.81

DISABLED CLERGY FUND.

RECEIPTS.

To	Balance as per last report.....	\$1,396.28	
	Interest on A. A. Tomlinson loan.....	\$ 168.00	
	Interest on Jas. Fennell loan.....	60.00	
	Interest on F. G. Smith loan.....	51.00	
	Interest on Diocesan note. . . . .	36.00	\$ 315.00
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			\$1,711.28

DISBURSEMENTS.

By	A. P. Crouch.....	\$ 100.00	
	Cynthia Cumings. . . . .	75.00	
	Paid interest to Lucius Waterman.....	36.00	\$ 211.00
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	Balance on hand.....		\$1,500.28

THEOLOGICAL EDUCATION FUND.

To balance as per last report.....\$ 24.63

RECEIPTS.

Contributions—

Fayette, St. Mary's.....	\$ .30	
Boonville, Christ. . . . .	1.00	
St. Joseph, Holy Trinity.....	2.05	
Kansas City, St. John's.....	4.40	
Interest on A. A. Tomlinson loan.....	72.00	\$ 79.75
		<u>\$ 104.38</u>

DISBURSEMENTS.

By Henry Ewing Batcheller, Candidate for Holy Orders in our Diocese.....	\$ 75.00	\$ 75.00
Balance on hand.....		<u>\$ 29.38</u>

EPISCOPAL RESIDENCE FUND.

To balance as per last report..... \$1,025.91

DISBURSEMENTS.

By Expenses, Rev. Edward Henry Eckel.....	\$ 3.03	
Printing 500 coupon notes, printing 500 circular letters. . . . .	8.25	
2 rubber stamps.....	.30	
Printing 500 new coupon notes.....	4.50	\$ 16.08
Balance on hand.....		<u>\$1,009.83</u>
Pledges for Episcopal Residence Fund.....	\$ 901.35	

SUMMARY.

Credit Balance of General Fund.....	\$1,926.81
Credit Balance Disabled Clergy Fund.....	1,500.28
Credit Balance Theological Education Fund.....	29.38
Credit Balance Episcopal Residence Fund.....	1,009.83
	<u>\$4,466.30</u>

INVESTMENTS.

THEOLOGICAL EDUCATION FUND.

A. A. Tomlinson, 6 per cent, real estate loan.....\$1,200.00

DISABLED CLERGY FUND.

F. G. Smith, 6 per cent real estate loan.....	\$ 850.00
A. A. Tomlinson, 6 per cent real estate loan.....	2,800.00
James Fennell, 6 per cent real estate loan.....	1,000.00
Treasurer of Diocese, 6 per cent note.....	600.00
	<u>\$5,250.00</u>

Respectfully submitted,  
WALTON H. HOLMES,  
Treasurer.

Foregoing report was accepted and referred to the Committee on Finance.

The Rev. E. H. Eckel read the report of the Committee on an Episcopal Residence, and on his motion it was made the special order for 3:00 o'clock this afternoon.

## REPORT

### OF COMMITTEE ON EPISCOPAL RESIDENCE.

The Special Committee on Episcopal Residence appointed at the last Diocesan Council to carry into effect the plan adopted by that Council for raising a sum of money sufficient to provide an Episcopal Residence, respectfully reports as follows:

1. That the Committee lost two of its members during the year, one by death, in the person of Mr. Charles A. Kelly, two months after the Council; one by resignation, in the person of the Rev. Julius A. Schaad, about four months after the Council.

2. That owing to these losses, to other causes operative during the summer, and to the financial disturbance in the fall, the Committee has not succeeded in carrying out its instructions, and deems an effort in this direction inexpedient under present conditions.

Your Committee would take this occasion however, to reiterate the importance of providing a house for the Bishop as a part of its Episcopal Endowment, and of doing this as soon as possible. As a step in this direction, and in order that the Diocese may manifest its sense of obligation to its Bishop, we therefore offer the following resolutions:

1. *Resolved*, That vacancies in the Committee be filled by appointment by the Chair, and that if any vacancies occur during the year they be filled in like manner as soon as possible.

2. *Resolved*, That the Committee be continued, with instructions to rent a suitable house in time for occupancy, upon the Bishop's return from his summer vacation, rental of said house to be considered as part of purchase price if the same can be arranged and is deemed advisable.

3. *Resolved*, That the Committee be requested to take steps to secure the payment at the earliest practicable moment of all outstanding pledges or subscriptions, or portions thereof, which may be now due or past due.

EDWARD HENRY ECKEL.

J. D. RITCHEY.

WALTON H. HOLMES.

JNO. F. EATON.

The Rev. Douglas H. Atwill read the following report of the Committee on Missions, which was accepted and adopted:

## REPORT

### OF COMMITTEE ON MISSIONS.

The Committee on Missions, having considered that portion of the Bishop's Address relating to a General Missionary, respectfully submits the following recommendations:

1. That the Missionary Board make an appropriation toward the support of a General Missionary to supplement the amount the Bishop can raise from the field.

2. That the Deans of the several Convocations make a more extensive use of Lay readers for giving services to scattered Church people in the smaller communities.

3. That where as many as three or more Church people reside in one community, neighboring rectors endeavor to organize them into Church Study classes under the care of one of their number, the rectors directing the leaders and supplying them with material such as Church periodicals, and literature of a catechetical nature.

Respectfully submitted,

ARTHUR M. GRIFFIN,

DOUGLASS ATWILL,

Committee on Missions.

The Rev. E. H. Eckel read the following report which was adopted:

#### REPORT.

##### OF COMMITTEE ON DIOCESAN SEAL.

In the Diocesan Council of 1906, as recorded on page 59, Journal of 1906, on motion of the Rev. E. A. Neville, it was

*Resolved*, That the chair be asked to appoint a committee of three of which the Bishop shall be one member, to select a design for an official seal for the Diocese of Kansas City, and that if necessary, said committee employ an expert on seals, his services to be paid by the Diocese; the committee to report at the next Council.

At last year's Council this committee was continued, the vacancy in its membership created by the removal of the Rev. Mr. Neville from the Diocese, being filled by the appointment of the Rev. Mr. Eckel.

Your committee would respectfully report that they have two or three designs in hand and are about to secure expert advice thereon. They, therefore, offer the following resolution:

*Resolved*, That the Committee on Diocesan Seal be continued to the next Council.

E. R. ATWILL,

EDWARD HENRY ECKEL.

The Rev. E. H. Eckel read the following report which was adopted:

#### REPORT

##### OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON MERGING OF DIOCESAN RELIEF FUNDS IN GENERAL CLERGY RELIEF FUND.

The undersigned, having been appointed at the last Council to communicate with the donors of funds for the relief of disabled clergy and orphans of clergy as to their wishes in regard to the transfer of their gifts to the General Clergy Relief Fund, respectfully reports that all objections and obstacles to the merging of these Diocesan Funds in the General



Clergy Relief Fund have been removed, according to information received from C. H. Nearing, Esq., of the law firm of Nearing & Townsend, Kansas City, whose letter accompanies this report and is made a part of it.

Your committee therefore offers the following resolutions:

*Resolved*, That the Treasurer of the Diocese be and the same is hereby authorized and instructed to pay to the Rev. A. J. P. McClure, Assistant Treasurer and Financial Agent of the General Clergy Relief Fund, as soon as practicable, to be merged in the said fund, the moneys and securities now held as trust funds of the Diocese for the benefit of its disabled clergy, and widows and orphans of deceased clergy, with the understanding that the income of these funds be available in accordance with the terms of the following resolution of the Trustees of the General Clergy Relief Fund, adopted January 7th, 1908:

*Resolved*, That the Trustees of the General Clergy Relief Fund accept the cash and securities in the hands of the Trustees of the Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund of the Diocese of Kansas City, and that they agree to pay the Rev. Lucius Waterman annually three per cent upon \$1,200 of this amount, and will also permit the Bishop of Kansas City to designate the beneficiaries who are to receive stipends from the interest received from the capital fund so turned over.

*Resolved*, That the Committee be discharged.

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD HENRY ECKEL.

#### LETTER RECEIVED FROM MR. NEARING.

MY DEAR MR. ECKEL:

Your favor of April 14th received during my absence from the city, hence the delay.

Mr. Waterman, one of the donors, gave his consent to the transfer of the fund.

I have never been able to find Mr. Bidwell, the other donor. The Trustees have decided to send the fund without waiting further for Mr. Bidwell.

Yours very truly,

C. H. NEARING.

On motion of Mr. W. A. Remfry, the salary of the Secretary was placed at \$150.00 for the current year.

On motion of Mr. J. M. Lee, it was

*Resolved*, That the Treasurer of the Diocese be and he is hereby authorized to borrow such an amount up to \$2,000.00 as he may find necessary to carry on the work of the Diocese during the ensuing year.

Mr. J. M. Lee presented the following report which was accepted and approved:

May 12th, 1908.

The Committee on Missionaries' Traveling Expenses, appointed at the present Council, beg to report as follows:

To amount collected from voluntary donations.....\$6.75

By expenses of two Missionaries to Council as per statements filed by them. . . . . 6.75

JAY M. LEE,  
A. W. MILLER,  
Committee.

The Rev. E. H. Eckel read the following report which was adopted:

The Special Committee on Assessment Plan, to whom was also referred the preparation of a revised form of Parochial Report, respectfully reports progress, and offers the following resolution:

*Resolved*, That the Committee be continued to the next Council.

EDWARD HENRY ECKEL,  
JNO. F. EATON.

On motion of Jno. F. Eaton, all delinquent dues on assessments previous to May 1st, 1907, were remitted.

The Rev. F. C. O'Meara invited the Council to meet in Grace Church, Carthage, May, 1909.

On motion, his invitation was unanimously accepted.

On request of the Rev. E. H. Eckel, consent was granted to take up the report of the Committee on an Episcopal Residence. It was then reported that in deference to the wishes of the Bishop, the section relating to renting a residence for him would be omitted.

The Rev. J. D. Ritchey presented the following report which was adopted:

#### REPORT

##### OF COMMITTEE ON ST. LUKE'S HOSPITAL.

St. Luke's Hospital is the one Church Institution of the Diocese. It is doing excellent work and as much charity work as the generosity of the Church and the careful management of the Institution will permit.

The report of the Institution, which is herewith submitted, shows that during the past year \$3,475.00 has been paid on the debt of the hospital, leaving the indebtedness at present \$12,033.43.

The report also shows that the work and influence of the hospital extends through all classes of people and to all Christian organizations, as, for example, during the year there have been treated in the hospital, thirty-one patients of our own communion, fifty-six Methodists and twenty-seven Roman Catholics. The hospital is constantly full, with more applications for room and treatment than can be met with. The immediate financial need, which is very pressing, is the payment on September 4th, of the present year, of a note of \$2,000.00. In the event of the failure to pay this note, \$10,000.00 immediately becomes due and must be met if the hospital is saved to the Diocese.

What is most important to the hospital is that the Church people of the Diocese become interested in its work. It is a *Church Hospital*. During the year, services have been held twice each week in the hospital by priests of the Church who have also visited and talked with the patients unable to attend the services.

To keep the hospital before the Church throughout the Diocese and at the same time to assist the work of the Institution, we recommend that every parish and mission be asked to set apart the first Tuesday in May and November of each year, as Giving Tuesday for St. Luke's Hospital, at which time articles and commodities useful to the Hospital may be gathered at the Church and then sent to the Hospital.

Respectfully submitted,

J. D. RITCHEY,  
M. G. HARMAN,  
A. C. STOWELL,  
A. W. MILLER.

ST. LUKE'S HOSPITAL.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT FROM MARCH 1, 1907, TO MARCH 1, 1908.

Patients received during the year.....	328
Of those were dismissed.....	294
Died. . . . .	18
Remaining March 1, 1908.....	16
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There were male. . . . .	120
Female. . . . .	208
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Of the above 328 patients as follows:

Of our own Communion.....	31
Methodists. . . . .	56
None. . . . .	52
Christians. . . . .	44
Presbyterians. . . . .	29
Baptists. . . . .	28
Roman Catholics. . . . .	27
Congregational. . . . .	22
Lutheran. . . . .	21
Evangelical. . . . .	15
Jewish. . . . .	3
There were medical cases. . . . .	132
Obstetrical. . . . .	8
Surgical. . . . .	188
Operations. . . . .	220
Number of days of paid treatment.....	3,840
Number of days of free treatment.....	1,612
Number of charity patients.....	34
Total cost of 5,452 days treatment.....	\$15,519.97
Total average cost one patient one day.....	\$2.84

L. ELEANOR KEELY, Supt.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

ASSETS.

Value of Hospital—	
Building. . . . .	\$25,081.41
Furniture and Equipment. . . . .	3,285.52—\$28,366.93
Sponable Bequest Endowment Fund. . . . .	9,250.00
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	37,616.93

LIABILITIES.

First Mortgage Indebtedness—	
Note payable September 4, 1908. . . . .	\$ 2,000.00
Note payable September 4, 1911. . . . .	8,000.00
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Total first mortgage. . . . .	\$10,000.00
Second mortgage, due September 4, 1911. . . . .	4,250.00
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Total mortgage indebtedness. . . . .	\$14,250.00
Floating debt. . . . .	2,033.43—\$16,283.43

Excess of assets over all liabilities. . . . .	\$21,333.50
Decrease in purchase money indebtedness during year ending	
March 1st, 1908. . . . .	\$3,475.00
Charity work done during year ending March 1st, 1908. . . . .	2,073.30

Membership dues paid to March 15th, 1909:

Armour, Mrs. K. B.	Meyer, Mrs. Emma J.
Childs, Chas. H.	Moser, Es.
Clarkson, Mrs. Annie S.	Moses, W. A.
Embry, H. H.	Murphy, Dr. Franklin E.
Emery-Bird-Thayer Dry Goods Co.	Remfry, W. A.
Fothergill, Jno.	Rule, W. A.
Gosling, John	Sachs, Charles.
Gossett, A. N.	Schloss, Nathan.
Harvey, Ford.	Sherer, Dr. J. W.
Henderson, W. B.	Teachenor-Bartberger Company.
Higginbotham, Jay W.	Taylor, Dr. L. G.
Jaccard Jewelry Co.	Wilson, L. F.

Membership fees paid for ten years, i. e., 1908 to 1918:  
Mr. and Mrs. M. W. St. Clair.

On motion of Rev. E. B. Woodruff, the Secretary was authorized to publish 600 copies of the Journal.

On motion of Mr. M. G. Harman, the Secretary was authorized to have five copies of the Journal bound, of the years 1903 to 1908 inclusive, one copy to be placed in the Public Library.

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Mr. Jno. F. Eaton, on behalf of the Committee to whom was referred so much of the Bishop's Address as related to the late Charles A. Kelly, presented the following resolutions which were unanimously adopted by a standing vote:

### RESOLUTIONS

OFFERED IN BEHALF OF CHARLES ANDREWS KELLY.

*Whereas*, In the purposes of a Divine Providence, wise where we are ignorant and kind where we are short-sighted, Charles Andrews Kelly has been called from his labors to his eternal reward, therefore be it resolved that in his death—

First, the Parish of which he was a member, Christ Church, St. Joseph, has sustained the same loss in his removal that Grace Church, Kansas City, sustained in the death of our much beloved James C. Horton;

Second, that the Standing Committee and Missionary Board have lost a member most valuable in his wise counsels, his tireless energies, and his ardent love for the extension of the kingdom of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ;

Third, that the Bishop of his Diocese has lost a friend, true and tried, and a loyal supporter of all his plans and purposes;

Fourth, that the Church at large has lost in him one who had put upon the altar of consecration, his head, his hands, his heart and his possessions;

Further be it *resolved*, that the Council of the Diocese of Kansas City in session at Grace Church, May, 1908, forward a copy of these resolutions to the Secretary of Christ Church, St. Joseph, together with a message of tender and loving sympathy, and a prayer that God, having taken away this, our brother, to fields of labor beyond, may raise up others such as he was, to carry on the work which his hands left unfinished.

JNO. F. EATON,  
HORACE STRINGFELLOW,  
L. R. MOORE, JR.

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It was moved and carried that copies of the resolutions in memory of the late Charles A. Kelly be furnished to the Church papers.

On motion, the Council proceeded to the election of Delegates to the Missionary Conference of the Seventh District at Topeka to be held January, 1909.

The Chair appointed as tellers, the Rev. Charles A. Weed, Mr. J. M. Lee.

On motion, the Council took a recess until 2:30 p. m.

### 2:30 P. M.

The Council re-assembled.

An informal ballot was taken for Delegates to the Missionary Conference of the Seventh District, at Topeka, January, 1909.

On motion of the Rev. A. M. Griffin, it was ordered that the five Clergymen and the five Laymen receiving the highest vote on the ballot be declared elected. The ballot having been taken, the following Delegates were elected:

The Rev. Messrs. J. A. Schaad, J. D. Ritchey, C. A. Weed, R. Talbot, E. H. Eckel, and Messrs. A. C. Stowell, W. F. Eves, C. H. Childs, J. M. Lee and H. Stringfellow.

The Rev. Robert Talbot read the following:

The Committee on Constitution and Canons respectfully reports that no business has been reported to it.

For the Committee,  
ROBT. TALBOT.

The Rev. Robert Talbot presented the following, which was adopted:

Your Special Committee on the Correction and Codification of the Constitution and Canons of the Diocese respectfully reports progress and offers the following resolution:

*Resolved*, That the Committee be continued to the next Council.

ROBERT TALBOT,  
EDWARD HENRY ECKEL,  
JOHN K. DUNN,  
A. C. STOWELL.

In connection with the accepting of the above report, authority was given to the Committee to publish an edition of the

Constitution and Canons of the Diocese at the earliest practicable moment.

In the absence of the Treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Board, Mr. A. C. Stowell read the following report and letter:

REPORT  
OF THE TREASURER OF THE DIOCESAN MISSIONARY BOARD FOR THE YEAR  
ENDING MAY 12, 1908.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand at Council, May, 1907..... \$ 575.61

PARISHES.

From:—	
Blackburn. . . . .	2.00
Boonville. . . . .	50.00
Carthage. . . . .	50.00
Chillicothe. . . . .	75.00
Fayette. . . . .	5.45
Joplin. . . . .	40.00
Kansas City—	
Grace Church. . . . .	400.00
St. George's. . . . .	200.00
St. Mark's. . . . .	25.01
St. Mary's. . . . .	100.00
St. Paul's. . . . .	450.00
Trinity. . . . .	36.54
Lexington. . . . .	30.00
Maryville. . . . .	25.00
Nevada. . . . .	12.50
St. Joseph—	
Christ Church. . . . .	400.00
Holy Trinity. . . . .	40.00
Sedalia. . . . .	100.00
Springfield—	
St. John's. . . . .	66.65
Christ. . . . .	33.50
Warrensburg. . . . .	30.00

MISSIONS.

Butler. . . . .	\$ 11.68
Cameron. . . . .	15.00
Kansas City—	
St. Augustine's. . . . .	.75
St. John's. . . . .	30.00
Lamar. . . . .	15.00
Lebanon. . . . .	35.05
Marshall. . . . .	20.00
Monett. . . . .	10.00

Neosho. . . . .	26.87
St. Oswald. . . . .	10.00
St. Joseph—	
St. Matthias. . . . .	5.00
St. Luke's. . . . .	12.16
Savannah. . . . .	15.00
West Plains. . . . .	30.00

## SUNDAY SCHOOLS, GUILDS, ETC.

Amazonia S. S. . . . .	\$ 3.00
Brookfield S. S. . . . .	5.00
Kansas City—	
St. John's Sunday School. . . . .	5.00
St. Paul's Sunday School. . . . .	25.00
St. Paul's Choir Club. . . . .	5.00
St. Mark's Daughters of the King. . . . .	5.00
Trinity Daughters of the King. . . . .	5.00
Marshall Sunday School. . . . .	5.00
Nevada Sunday School. . . . .	2.50
St. Joseph—	
Christ Church Sunday School. . . . .	71.90
St. Luke's Sunday School. . . . .	20.46

## PERSONAL.

Rev. J. A. Schaad. . . . .	\$ 25.00
Mrs. H. Uebelmesser. . . . .	5.00
Rev. H. L. A. Fick. . . . .	5.00
Rev. J. K. Dunn. . . . .	5.00
Cash. . . . .	5.00
Phil. R. Toll. . . . .	25.00
Alfred Toll. . . . .	2.50
Emily Toll. . . . .	2.50
Mary Lee Toll. . . . .	2.50
Nancy Toll. . . . .	2.50
Mrs. Hurd. . . . .	5.00
John Gosling. . . . .	25.00
R. L. De Zeng. . . . .	50.00

## BISHOP ATWILL'S SPECIAL APPEAL.

George Murray. . . . .	\$ 5.00
E. H. Chapman. . . . .	5.00
Theo. B. Hoagland. . . . .	25.00
Horace Stringfellow. . . . .	5.00
Wm. E. Stringfellow. . . . .	5.00
R. B. Green. . . . .	15.00
W. S. Arnett. . . . .	100.00
W. J. Smith. . . . .	20.00
C. J. Hubbard. . . . .	10.00
John Cartwell. . . . .	5.00
Elizabeth —————. . . . .	25.00
T. C. Creel. . . . .	25.00



J. D. Porter. . . . .	5.00
Patrick Martine. . . . .	5.00
Mrs. J. L. Browne. . . . .	3.00
George Wise. . . . .	2.50
C. N. Willis. . . . .	5.00
Hermann Brumback. . . . .	10.00
Mrs. Z. E. Woodstock. . . . .	5.00
Miss Lilla H. Southard. . . . .	5.00
Mrs. Anne Garth Goodlett. . . . .	10.00
Mrs. George B. Richards. . . . .	5.00
Lucy A. Bartlett. . . . .	10.00
Mrs. W. B. Norris. . . . .	5.00
Holy Trinity, St. Joseph. . . . .	2.00
Mrs. D. E. Heaton. . . . .	5.00
Mrs. E. R. Horton. . . . .	5.00
Mrs. A. S. Leman. . . . .	5.00
J. G. Strean. . . . .	5.00
W. R. Millan. . . . .	10.00
Mrs. Sarah C. Dexter. . . . .	25.00
D. H. Smith. . . . .	25.00
Mrs. A. P. Morey. . . . .	5.00
Mrs. Chas. Sombart. . . . .	25.00
Mrs. Sara Hax. . . . .	5.00
J. H. Barclay. . . . .	5.00
Mrs. E. C. Cooper. . . . .	5.00
C. A. Kessler. . . . .	5.00
Miss Irene L. Gross. . . . .	5.00
A Friend. . . . .	50.00
P. B. Swan. . . . .	10.00
G. T. Irvine. . . . .	5.00
Mrs. J. T. Johnson. . . . .	5.00
Mrs. Chas. T. Bacon. . . . .	10.00
Mrs. W. H. Powell. . . . .	10.00
Mrs. Annie H. Armour. . . . .	50.00
J. L. Houston. . . . .	2.00
Mrs. Edith Hartwig. . . . .	25.00
Judge Cosgrove. . . . .	5.00
Mrs. Lynne. . . . .	5.00
Mr. George. . . . .	5.00
St. Philip's Guild, Joplin. . . . .	14.00
Infant Class, St. Paul's, Kansas City. . . . .	10.00
W. Morey. . . . .	2.00
Mrs. Morey. . . . .	2.00
G. H. Lawton. . . . .	10.00
A. Q. Darby. . . . .	5.00
Chas. Mosser. . . . .	2.00
A. McVey. . . . .	10.00
H. F. Bostwick. . . . .	5.00
St. Ursulas Guild, Christ Church, St. Joseph. . . . .	5.00
Mrs. Furness. . . . .	15.00

Dr. L. E. Tracy. . . . .	2.00	
Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Price.....	5.00	
Mrs. M. G. Mahan.....	5.00	
Bishop Atwill. . . . .	30.00	
Offering at Council, May, 1908.....	10.35	
Certificates of Deposit National Bank of Commerce (Bishop Robertson Memorial Fund).....	1,987.74	\$5,475.61
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		\$6,051.22

DISBURSEMENTS.

Stipend paid Rev. W. H. Haupt.....	\$ 75.00	
Stipend paid Rev. B. J. Baxter.....	50.00	
Stipend paid Rev. James Senior. . . . .	325.00	
Stipend paid Rev. A. M. Griffin.....	100.00	
Stipend paid Rev. Chittenden. . . . .	75.00	
Stipend paid Rev. C. R. Stearns.....	112.50	
Stipend paid Rev. R. B. Evatt.....	150.00	
Stipend paid Rev. E. S. Willett.....	130.00	
Stipend paid Rev. J. K. Dunn.....	275.00	
Stipend paid Rev. J. H. Cloud.....	100.00	
Stipend paid Rev. Chas. H. Bohn.....	200.00	
Stipend paid Rev. H. L. A. Fick.....	200.00	
Stipend paid Rev. J. W. Barker.....	300.00	
Stipend paid Rev. F. A. Joseph.....	300.00	
Stipend paid Rev. John Wilkinson. . . . .	300.00	
Stipend paid Rev. C. A. Weed Services at Neosho....	50.00	
Stipend paid Rev. W. M. Whitely.....	37.50	
Stipend paid Rev. J. V. Plunkett.....	25.00	
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	2,805.00	6,051.22

EXPENSES.

Secretary's postage, 1907-1908.....	5.00	
Treasurer's postage and telephone message.....	7.00	
Postage, packing and delivery of mite boxes.....	5.50	
Printing mite box circulars.....	4.25	
Expenses of Committee on Bishop's Missionary Appeal.	37.75	
Six per cent loan Bishop Robertson Memorial Fund secured on property in Roanoke.....	2,000.00	4,864.50
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Balance May 12, 1908, in General Fund.....		\$1,186.72

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 6, 1908.

To the Council of the Diocese of Kansas City:

BRETHREN: As I am compelled to be in Washington, D. C., during the sitting of the Council, I beg to submit in addition to the usual report the following:

When this Diocese was organized there was turned over to me as Treasurer some \$1,600.00, being the gift of Mr. Bidwell, and known as the "Bishop Robertson Memorial Fund." The principal of this sum has

been loaned out and the interest used for the Missionary Work of the Board. By the donation of certain individuals, the fund has been increased to \$2,000 and is now in the shape of two \$1,000 bonds, bearing 6 per cent interest, being of a series of bonds for \$70,000 in the aggregate secured on property worth at least three times the amount of the bonds. This loan was obtained from J. W. Mackenzie and is a first class loan in every respect.

Our beloved fellow churchman, James C. Horton, left in his will \$2,000 par value in bonds of the Kansas City Elevated Railway Company to the Missionary Board of the Diocese of Kansas City. These bonds, I believe, bear 4 per cent interest, and are now, I believe, quoted at about 85. These bonds have not as yet been turned over by the executors of Mr. Horton's estate to me as Treasurer of the Board. I saw Mr. F. A. Faxon a few days ago about the matter, and he thought the bonds would be turned over within the next sixty days.

I sincerely regret that I shall not be able to be with you at the Council.

Sincerely yours,

HENRY D. ASHLEY, Treasurer.

The Rev. A. W. Farnum read the following report which was accepted and adopted:

Your Committee on Unfinished Business respectfully reports that in the Journal of 1907 they find no reports from the following Committees:

Admission of New Parishes.

Christian Education.

Missionaries' Traveling Expenses.

Constitution and Canons.

A. W. FARNUM,

W. F. EVES.

On motion of the Rev. A. W. Farnum, the following was adopted:

*Whereas*, Work at St. Mark's Mission, St. Joseph, has been definitely and permanently abandoned, and the Chapelry has become defunct; therefore,

*Resolved*, That the Secretary of the Diocese be requested to strike off the name of St. Mark's Mission from his list of Missions.

Mr. J. M. Lee, Secretary, presented the following report of the offerings of the Diocese to the Men's Thank Offering Fund, at Richmond, October, 1907.

*Rt. Rev. E. R. Atwill,*

*Bishop of the Diocese of Kansas City:*

DEAR BISHOP ATWILL: The District Committee appointed by you to act for the Diocese of Kansas City in the interest of the Men's Missionary Thank Offering, to be presented at the General Convention in Richmond, in October, 1907, in gratitude for three hundred years of English Christianity in America, beg to submit the following report:

The Committee organized May 16th, 1905, with the following mem-

bers and officers: Rev. Robert Talbot, Chairman; Rev. T. B. Foster, Rev. E. H. Eckel, Rev. Chas. A. Weed, Mr. S. W. Kniffin, Mr. John T. Harding, Mr. C. A. Kelly, and Mr. Jay M. Lee, Secretary. The name of Mr. A. C. Stowell was later added to the Committee.

The amounts collected, by Parishes and Missions, were as follows:

	Number	Contributing.	Amount.
Trinity Church, Kansas City. . . . .			\$ 76.24
St. Mary's, Kansas City. . . . .	46		35.35
St. Mark's, Kansas City. . . . .			34.00
St. Paul's, Kansas City. . . . .	18		113.45
Grace, Kansas City. . . . .			176.00
Grace Mission, Kansas City. . . . .	1		1.00
St. John's, Kansas City. . . . .	15		13.75
St. Augustine's, Kansas City. . . . .			9.25
Trinity, Independence. . . . .			9.00
Grace, Brookfield. . . . .			14.00
Trinity Mission, Lebanon. . . . .	6		3.65
St. John's Mission, Neosho. . . . .	1		5.00
Christ Church, St. Joseph. . . . .	55		81.60
Holy Trinity, St. Joseph. . . . .	7		7.00
St. Luke's Mission, St. Joseph. . . . .	14		9.15
St. Mark's Mission, Mountain Grove. . . . .	1		1.00
St. Paul's, Joplin. . . . .	4		5.00
St. Mary's Mission, Plattsburg. . . . .	1		1.00
St. Paul's, Brunswick. . . . .	1		1.00
Calvary, Sedalia. . . . .			12.35
St. George's, Kansas City. . . . .	30		50.60
Grace, Chillicothe. . . . .	22		16.50
Christ Church, Springfield. . . . .			12.65
St. John's, Springfield. . . . .			50.50
St. Oswald's Mission, Oswald. . . . .	13		8.45
Trinity Mission, Marshall. . . . .			4.50
Christ Church, Warrensburg. . . . .			5.00
Miscellaneous. . . . .			.10

Total offering for Diocese. . . . .	\$757.09
Printing, postage and publicity expense. . . . .	71.09
Total net offering. . . . .	\$686.00

DISBURSEMENTS.

Express and freight on literature from General Secretary in Philadelphia. . . . .	\$ 2.93
Envelopes and stationery. . . . .	1.50
Printing and postage on four circular letters sent throughout the Diocese. . . . .	62.92
Telegrams, clerk hire, and expense of traveling secretary. . . . .	3.74
	\$71.09

Remitted to Rev. Robt. Talbot, by St. Augustine's, Kansas City, and delivered by him to General Convention.....	6.25
Remitted direct to Geo. C. Thomas, Treasurer, by Holy Trinity, St. Joseph. . . . .	6.50
Personally delivered at General Convention by Rev. J. A. Schaad..	115.00
Balance remitted to George C. Thomas, Treasurer, by Secretary of Committee. . . . .	558.25
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	\$757.09

Respectfully submitted,  
ROBERT TALBOT,  
A. C. STOWELL,  
J. M. LEE, *Secretary.*  
*Of the District Committee.*

May 11th, 1908.

Since report, Mr. Thomas sent word of \$21.00 additional. This makes the total net offering \$707.00.

The Rev. H. L. A. Fick read the following:

The Standing Committee on Sunday Schools appointed by this Council two years ago, having made so excellent a report, your present Committee on Sunday Schools desires to endorse heartily said report and asks to be discharged.

R. N. SPENCER,  
H. L. A. FICK,

On motion of the Rev. H. L. A. Fick, the following was adopted:

*Resolved*, That the Secretary of the Diocesan Missionary Board be instructed to send to every Rector or Missionary-in-charge, a statement every quarter, of the pledges made for Diocesan Missions and the amounts paid on pledges or apportionments; and that the Secretary be allowed expenses from the General Fund, for office work in carrying this resolution into effect.

On motion of the Rev. H. L. A. Fick, the following was adopted:

*Resolved*, That the thanks of this Council be tendered to the Rector of Grace Church for the dignified and beautiful service at the opening of the Council.

On motion of the Rev. Robert Talbot, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

*Resolved*, That the thanks of the Council be extended to the Rector and Congregation—and especially to the ladies—of Grace Church, for the kind entertainment extended to the Delegates of this Council during its session.

The Rev. J. A. Schaad made a verbal report stating the general desire for, and the need of, a Diocesan paper, and called upon the Rev. C. R. Taylor for a further statement. Mr. Taylor reported that it was possible to make arrangements for such a paper without any financial liability, resting upon the Diocese. Parishes and organizations are to be granted space in the proposed paper in proportion to the number of paid up subscriptions.

On motion of A. C. Stowell the following was adopted:

*Resolved*, That this Council authorize and instruct the Treasurer of the Diocese, and the Treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Board, to take one page each in the Diocesan paper at the regular rate determined upon.

*Resolved*, That it is the advice of this Council that all Diocesan organizations should support this paper by taking space therein.

*Resolved*, That a Committee of three be appointed to have charge of the Diocesan paper in connection with the Standing Committee of the Diocese, with full power to act.

*Resolved*, That the Council recognize this paper as an official organ of the Diocese.

On motion the following were appointed a committee to arrange for a Diocesan paper on the plan proposed by the foregoing Committee: The Rev. Messrs. J. A. Schaad and C. R. Taylor, and Mr. A. C. Stowell.

On motion of the Rev. C. A. Weed, the Chair was requested to add one member each from the Northern and Southern Convocation. The Chair appointed as such additional members of the Committee, the Rev. Messrs. E. H. Eckel and C. A. Weed.

On motion of Mr. M. G. Harman, the Council adjourned *sine die* with the singing of the Doxology and the Bishop's Benediction.

E. R. ATWILL, *Bishop*.

Attest: JOHN K. DUNN, *Secretary*.



## Parochial Reports.

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### BLACKBURN.

(Saline County.)

#### CHURCH OF THE MEDIATOR.

Organized February 17, 1856.

Missionary, The Rev. F. A. Joseph, Marshall, Mo.

Warden, Robt. Swift, Blackburn, Mo.

Families, 1; souls, 6; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 6; communicants (male, 3; female, 3), 6; public services, 4; sermons and addresses, 4; church building; seats (free), 125; no rectory.

#### FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1908.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$10.00.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$8.00; Diocesan Missions, \$3.00.

Total expenditures for all purposes, \$21.00.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$500.00.

Total value of all Parish property, \$500.00.

No indebtedness.

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### BOONVILLE.

(Cooper County.)

#### CHRIST CHURCH.

Organized 1835.

Vacant.

Wardens, S. W. Ravenel, Senior Warden; Dr. G. A. Russell, Junior Warden.

Secretary, Fred Sombart, Boonville, Mo.

Treasurer, C. P. Gott, Boonville, Mo.

Vestrymen, S. W. Ravenel, Dr. G. A. Russell, C. P. Gott, W. S. Stephens, Major W. F. H. Godson, G. T. Irvine, Fred Sauter, J. W. Cosgrove and M. E. Schmidt.

Families, 23; souls, 90; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 83; communicants (male, 19; female, 29), 48; Sunday school (teachers, 4; scholars, 32), 36; church building; seats, 200 (free); insurance (paid in full for three years), \$3,300.00; rectory, insurance (paid in full for three years), \$1,000.00; title to the property in the rector, wardens and vestryment of the Parish; salary promised by Parish, \$600.00; salary paid to April 30th, \$600.00.

#### FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1908.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$729.23; permanent improvements, \$77.54. Total, \$806.77.



Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$79.20; Diocesan missions, \$50.00; theological education fund, \$1.00; bishop's purse, \$4.05. Total \$134.25.

General: General missions, \$27.00.

Total expenditures for all purposes, \$968.02.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$6,000.00; rectory and grounds, \$2,000.00; other property (organ and furniture), \$2,000.00.

Total value of all Parish property, \$10,000.00.

No indebtedness.

### **BROOKFIELD.**

(Linn County.)

#### **GRACE CHURCH.**

Organized 1874.

Vacant.

Wardens, J. F. McElwain, John McCartney; Secretary, M. P. Greenhalgh; Treasurer, F. W. Albert; Vestrymen, J. F. Turner, E. G. Chapman, L. E. Dewey, C. W. Green, George Johnson.

No report.

### **BRUNSWICK.**

(Chariton County.)

#### **ST. PAUL'S.**

Organized 1857.

Warden, J. M. Peery.

Secretary, George Peery.

No report.

### **CARROLLTON.**

(Carroll County.)

Organized November 4, 1872.

Vacant.

Warden, Dr. H. M. Pettit.

No report.

### **CARTHAGE.**

(Jasper County.)

#### **GRACE CHURCH.**

Organized December 28, 1869.

Rector, The Rev. Fred C. O'Meara, 820 Howard street.

Wardens, T. N. Davey and J. R. Newell; Secretary, R. W. Jay; Treasurer, R. E. Frey; Vestrymen, Dr. A. H. Coffee, Chas. Drake, D. Guy Wells, M. C. Conkey, A. M. Drake.

Families, 85; souls, 331; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure,

276; communicants (male 40, female 112), 152; communions made at Easter, 93; baptisms (infants 13, adults 1), 14; marriages, 2; burials, 1; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public \*7, in private 0), 7; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 23; sermons and addresses, 23; Sunday school (teachers 10, scholars 130), 140; church building: seats (free), 230; insurance (paid in full), \$3,000.00; rectory, insurance (paid in full), \$1,500.00; title to property in vestry; salary promised by Parish, \$1,200.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1908.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$1,076.60.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, 187.50; Diocesan missions, \$50.00. Total, \$237.50.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$1,314.10.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$8,500.00; rectory and grounds, \$2,500.00. Total value of all Parish property, \$11,000.00.

No indebtedness.

\*Services from April 1st to May 1st, 1908, the time present rector took charge.

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**CHILLICOTHE.**

(Livingston County.)

**GRACE CHURCH.**

Organized 1858.

Rector, The Rev. Arthur M. Griffin, 425 Elm street.

Wardens, A. McVey, R. W. West; Secretary, S. Nicholas; Treasurer, Frank Platter; Vestrymen, John Milbank, A. Leeper, G. C. Sherman, W. W. Voelker, C. B. Swan, Dr. L. E. Tracy, J. F. Hawley, Louis Gould, Chas. O'Neil, Fred Hawley, Mason Little.

Families, 58; souls, 186; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 177; communicants (male 35, female 82), 117; communions made at Easter, 93; baptisms (infants 1, adults 6), 7; confirmed, 6; marriages, 3; burials, 7; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public 81, in private 3), 84; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 210; sermons and addresses, 196; Sunday school (teachers 5, scholars 36), 41; church building; seats (free), 180; insurance (paid in full), \$2,200; rectory, insurance (paid in full), \$2,800; title to the property in the rector and vestry; salary promised by Parish, \$1,200.00; salary paid to April 30th, \$12,000.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1908.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$1,519.16; permanent improvements, \$108.00; Ladies' Guild, \$25.50; other expenses within the Parish, alms, \$45.00; repairs on Utica church, \$34.40; Deanery convention, \$12.34. Total, \$1,844.40.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$144.31; Diocesan missions, \$75.00; bishop's purse, \$6.50; other objects within the Diocese: hospital at Kansas City, \$10.00; solicited by bishop for Missions, \$30.00. Total, \$265.81.

General: Foreign missions, Sunday school Lenten offering, \$25.00; other objects without the Diocese, infirm clergy, \$10.00; M. T. O., \$16.50; Daughters of the King, \$10.00. Total \$36.50.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$2,171.71.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$5,000.00; rectory and grounds, \$5,000.00; other property, \$500.00. Total value of all Parish property, \$10,500.00.

Indebtedness: Floating debt, \$440.00. Total indebtedness, \$440.00.

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### FAYETTE.

(Howard County.)

ST. MARY'S.

Organized 1836.

Wardens, J. H. Pearson, John Talbot; Secretary, Harry Nutt; Treasurer, Miss Nellie Potts; Vestrymen, John Talbot, J. H. Pearson, Harry Nutt, Robert Jacobi.

#### FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1908.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), for eight months, 106.37.

Diocesan: Bishop's salary, \$6.37; Diocesan missions, \$5.00; theological education fund, \$0.30; Diocesan assessment, \$0.45.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$112.12.

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### INDEPENDENCE.

(Jackson County.)

TRINITY CHURCH.

Organized 1843.

Vacant.

Wardens, Mark S. Salisbury, R. L. Peacock, Independence, Mo.; Vestrymen, Mark S. Salisbury, R. L. Peacock, Walter Brown, F. C. Florence, R. L. Davis.

Families, 23; communicants (male 13, female 18), 31.

No financial report.

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### JOPLIN.

(Jasper County.)

ST. PHILIP'S.

Organized 1891.

Rector, The Rev. Charles A. Weed.

Wardens, Anton Bendelars, R. H. Corbin; Secretary, A. C. Shaw; Treasurer, Hayward Scott; Vestrymen, F. S. Cook, N. S. Paige, F. Campbell. Families, 78; souls, 350; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 219; communicants (male 27, female 109), 136; communions made at

Easter, 66; baptisms (infants 6, adults 3), 9; confirmed, 6; marriages, 6; burials, 4; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public 37, in private 1), 38; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 111; sermons and addresses, 136; Sunday school (teachers 4, scholars 30), 34; church building; seats (free), 130; insurance (paid in full), \$1,500; rectory, insurance (paid in full), \$1,500; title to the property in the vestry; salary promised by Parish, \$1,260.00; salary paid to April 30th, \$1,260.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1908.

Parochial: Current expense (including all salaries), \$1,349.50; permanent improvements, \$912.90; charity, \$48.91; other expenses within the Parish, Sunday school, \$46.50; Guilds, outside of amount paid vestry, \$347.14; choir expenses outside salaries, \$35.00. Total, \$2,739.95.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$91.16; Diocesan missions, \$20.00; bishop's purse, \$12.00; special appeal for Diocesan missions, \$14.00. Total, \$137.16.

General: Babies' Branch of Woman's Auxiliary, \$1.00.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$2,878.11.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$8,000.00; rectory and grounds, \$4,000.00. Total value of all Parish property, \$12,000.00.

Indebtedness: Floating debt, \$200.00.

Amount paid on bonded debt during the year, \$200.00.

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**KANSAS CITY.**

(Jackson County.)

**GRACE CHURCH.**

Organized July 20, 1870.

Rector, The Rev. Julius A. Schaad, 1707 Penn street; office, 415 West Thirteenth street.

Wardens, Henry D. Ashley, Bernard D. Rowe; Secretary, E. M. Clendenning, Commercial Club, Kansas City, Mo.; Treasurer, John F. Eaton, Junction Bldg.; Vestrymen, T. B. Tomb, W. H. Chapman, B. C. Christopher, W. M. Reid, J. W. MacKenzie, W. C. Goffe, W. R. Jacques, L. R. Moore, E. P. Pratt, W. R. Clarke.

Families (estimated), 150; baptized persons (infant and adult), in cure (estimated), 600; communicants (male 121, female 211; 332 (previous report of 400 based upon former estimates); communions made at Easter, 216; baptisms (infants 22, adults 12), 34; confirmed, 47; marriages, 10; burials, 20; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public 57, in private 7), 64; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 197; sermons and addresses, 202; Sunday school (teachers 16, scholars 175), 191; church building; seats (free 637, rented 149, assigned 14), 800; insurance (paid in full), \$42,000.00; no rectory; title to property in rector, wardens and vestrymen; salary promised by Parish, \$3,000.00; salary paid to April 30th in full.

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1908.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$6,413.80; perma-

ment improvements, \$7,500.00; charity, \$135.68; other expenses within the Parish (including Guilds and Sunday schools, interest and insurance), \$847.26. Total, \$14,896.74.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$594.00; Diocesan missions (not including personal contributions), \$515.22; bishop's purse, \$245.64; other objects within the Diocese, St. Luke's Hospital (not including personal contributions), \$39.51; "Grace Hall" (city mission), \$1,085.23. Total, \$2,479.60.

General: General missions, \$116.25; domestic missions, \$134.68; foreign missions, \$48.00; other objects without the Diocese, M. T. O., \$176.00; general clergy relief, \$56.00. Total, \$530.93.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$17,907.27.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$100,000.00; other property, organ, \$10,582.00; McLean Fund, \$10,000.00. Total value of all Parish property, \$120,582.00.

No indebtedness on church property; floating debt, \$750.00.

Amount paid on bonded debt during the year, \$7,500.00.

### ST. GEORGE'S.

Organized March 23, 1891.

Rector, The Rev. Edwin B. Woodruff, 3228 Campbell street.

Wardens, V. W. Gayle, M. D., Francis M. Hayward; Secretary, George Wise, 820 Linwood Blvd.; Treasurer, Wm. Mendenhall, 3125 Woodland avenue; Vestrymen, A. C. Stowell, W. A. Moses, B. C. Howard, J. Q. Watkins, H. J. S. Seeley, R. T. Alexander, Samuel Trotter, Robert Waddell, Charles T. Neal.

Families, 135; souls (about), 500; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 478; communicants (male 120, female 222), 342; communions made at Easter, 269; baptisms (infants 10, adults 4), 14; confirmed, 26; marriages, 6; burials, 8; Sunday school (teachers 23, scholars 170), 193; church building sold during the year; insurance on furniture (paid in full), \$1,000.00; no rectory; title to the property in rector, wardens and vestrymen of St. George's Protestant Episcopal church; salary promised by Parish, \$1,800.00; salary paid to April 30, \$1,800.00.

#### FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1908.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$3,045.52; other expenses within the Parish, bonds, \$500.00; new church lot and expenses, \$4,957.97. Total, \$8,503.49.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$275.00; Diocesan missions, \$200.00; bishop's purse, \$25.98; other objects within the Diocese, \$7.70. Total, \$508.68.

General: General missions, \$25.90; clergy relief fund, \$13.00. Total, \$38.90.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$9,051.07.

Value of church property: Church lot, \$10,000.00. Total value of all Parish property, \$10,000.00.

Indebtedness on church lot (bonded), \$1,100.00.

Amount paid on bonded debt during the year, \$4,900.00.

## ST. MARK'S.

Organized April 12, 1889.

Rector, Daniel G. Mackinnon, 510 Olive street.

Wardens, T. C. Bradley, Chas. Lawson; Secretary, H. C. Hawkins, 2618 East Eighth street; Treasurer, T. C. Bradley, 3333 St. John avenue; Vestrymen, T. C. Bradley, Alfred Hamlin, A. D. Johnson, Chas. Lawson, Fred H. Wood, W. W. Leeds, H. C. Hawkins, C. Whittaker, S. H. Kurhiss.

No report.

## ST. MARY'S.

Organized 1857.

Rector, The Rev. J. Stewart-Smith, 1307 Holmes street.

Wardens, B. E. Fryer, M. D., Thomas Pain; Secretary, M. G. Harman, 405 Hall Bldg.; Treasurer, Frederic A. Smith, 517 Long Bldg.; Vestrymen, Edward C. Hamill, A. W. Miller, Frank H. Cutler, Aubrey P. Devereux, J. S. Smith.

Baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 250; communicants (male 63, female 147), 210; communions made at Easter, 156; baptisms (infants 17, adults 9), 26; confirmed, 8; marriages, 11; burials, 15; celebration of the Holy Communion (public 414, in private 59), 473; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 668; sermons and addresses, 142; church building; insurance (paid in full); rectory, insurance (paid in full); title to the property in rector, church wardens and vestrymen; salary promised by Parish, \$1,500.00; salary paid to April 30th, \$1,500.00.

## FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1908.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$2,808.63; charity, \$104.10. Total, \$2,912.73.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$277.20; Diocesan missions, \$32.75; bishop's purse, \$16.27. Total, \$326.22.

General: Other objects without the Diocese: Thank offering, \$27.10.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$3,266.05.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$75,000.00; rectory and grounds, \$5,200.00. Total value of all Parish property, \$80,200.00.

Indebtedness on church property: indebtedness on church (bonded), \$5,150.00; indebtedness on rectory (bonded), \$2,900.00. Total indebtedness, \$8,050.00.

Amount paid on bonded debt during the year, \$300.00.

## ST. PAUL'S.

Organized May 5, 1891.

Rector, The Rev. J. D. Ritchey, 3923 Warwick Blvd.

Wardens, Walton H. Holmes, Senior; Egbert Chapman, Junior; Secretary, O. W. Pratt, 304 First National Bank Bldg.; Treasurer, F. J. Brodnax, 605 Exchange Bldg.; Vestrymen, Gardiner Lathrop, Edward George, Alfred Toll, Hale Holden, C. W. Armour, C. J. Hubbard, John G. Groves, Dr. St. Clair Street, B. B. Lee.

Families (estimated), 195; souls (estimated), 750; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure (estimated), 600; communicants (male 83, female 200), 283; communions made at Easter, 264; baptisms (infants 14, adults 6), 20; confirmed, 11; marriages, 9; burials, 7; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public 60, in private 1), 61; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 130; sermons and addresses, 152; Sunday school (teachers 17, scholars 138), 155; church building; seats (free), 50; insurance (paid in full), \$36,500.00; no rectory; title to the property in rector, wardens and vestrymen; salary promised by Parish, \$3,000.00; salary paid to April 30th, \$3,000.00.

#### FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1908.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$8,110.40; permanent improvements, \$100.00; charity, \$297.47; other expenses within the Parish, \$175.00. Total, \$8,682.87.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$814.00; Diocesan missions, \$450.00; permanent Episcopal fund, \$43.25; bishop's purse, \$160.00; other objects within the Diocese, \$45.00. Total, \$1,512.25.

General: General missions (Sunday school Lenten offering), \$72.80; domestic missions (Woman's Auxiliary), \$540.75; foreign missions (Woman's Auxiliary), \$35.00. Total, \$648.55.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$10,843.67.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$50,000.00.

Total value of all Parish property, \$50,000.

Indebtedness on church property: Indebtedness on church (bonded), \$18,000.00; floating debt, \$2,000.00. Total indebtedness, \$20,000.00.

Amount paid on bonded debt during the year, \$1,000.00.

#### TRINITY CHURCH.

Organized 1883.

Rector, The Rev. Robert Talbot, Trinity church.

Wardens, John T. Harding, John Gosling; Secretary, J. E. Long, 1400 East Tenth street; Treasurer, H. Uebelmesser, 4117 Independence avenue; Vestrymen, C. H. Childs, E. F. Swinney, R. W. Cary, H. H. Embry, W. M. Federmann, Albert White, J. C. Fuller, J. H. Ashley, J. E. Long, J. S. Tritle.

Families (about), 225; souls (about), 1,000; communicants, 500; communions made at Easter, 300; baptisms (infants 11, adults 13), 24; confirmed, 23; marriages, 23; burials, 25; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public 90, in private 10), 100; sermons and addresses, 175; Sunday school (teachers 10, scholars 100), 110; church building; insurance (paid in full); \$20,000; title to the property in American Church Building Fund Commission; salary promised by Parish, \$3,000.00; salary paid to April 30th, \$2,750.00.

#### FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1908.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$4,500.00; permanent improvements, \$400.00; charity, \$295.50; other expenses within the Parish, \$849.50. Total, \$6,045.00.

**Diocesan:** Diocesan assessment, \$550.00; Diocesan missions, \$250.00; disabled clergy fund, \$10.00; bishop's purse, \$18.10. Total, \$828.10.

**General:** General missions, \$92.57.

**Total expenditure** for all purposes, \$6,965.67.

**Floating debt,** \$1,000.00. **Total indebtedness,** \$1,000.00.

### LEXINGTON.

(Lafayette County.)

#### CHRIST CHURCH.

Organized 1840.

**Rector,** The Rev. John V. Plunkett, Lexington, Mo.

**Wardens,** Jos. F. Smith, Dr. John Perrie; **Secretary,** Lucien Lesueur; **Treasurer,** Jos. F. Smith; **Vestrymen,** Isaac G. Neal, T. B. Wiley, John Reinhard.

**Families,** 31; **souls,** 93; **baptized persons** (infant an adult) in cure, 77; **communicants** (male 10, female 27), 37; **had no Easter services** (this was on Sunday, May 1), 24; **burials,** 2; **celebrations of the Holy Communion** (public), 4; **public services** (exclusive of celebrations), 25; **sermons and addresses,** 25; **Sunday school** (teachers 4, scholars 19), 23; **church building;** seats (free), 200; **insurance** (paid in full), \$2,030.00; **no rectory** (\$1,500.00 in bank towards one); **title to the property** in rector and vestry; **salary promised by Parish,** \$500.00; **salary paid to April 30th,** \$150.00; **salary received from Diocesan Missionary Board,** \$100.00; **salary received from other sources,** \$300.00.

#### FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1908.

**Parochial:** Current expenses (including all salaries), \$250.00; permanent improvements, \$20.00; other expenses within the Parish, \$65.00. **Total,** \$335.00.

**Diocesan:** Diocesan missions, \$30.00; other objects within the Diocese, \$50.00. **Total,** \$80.00.

**General:** General missions, \$7.40.

**Total expenditure** for all purposes, \$422.40.

**Value of church property:** Church and grounds, \$4,000.00; other property, \$1,500.00. **Total value of all Parish property,** \$5,500.00.

**No indebtedness.**

### MARYVILLE.

(Nodaway County.)

#### ST. PAUL'S.

Organized March 1, 1878.

**Vacant.**

**Wardens,** E. J. Williams, Eugene Briggs; **Secretary and Treasurer,** M. J. Alderman; **Vestrymen,** F. G. Shoemaker, C. J. Alderman, Ed Signs, E. V. Morehouse, C. D. Hooker, C. A. Vansteinberg, W. G. Turner.

**No report.**



**NEVADA.**

(Vernon County.)

**ALL SAINTS'.**

Organized 1880.

Rector, The Rev. Charles H. Bohn, Nevada, Mo.

Wardens, M. T. Hill, Robert Gabrielson; Secretary, Henry Kraft, Jr.;  
Treasurer, M. T. Hill; Vestrymen, Charles Graves, Harry Mitchell, B.  
T. George.

Communicants (male 35, female 45), 80; communions made at Easter, 72;  
baptisms (infants 2, adults 6), 8; confirmed, 9; marriages, 5; burials,  
4; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public 18, in private 2), 20;  
public services (exclusive of celebrations), 82; sermons and addresses,  
120; Sunday school (teachers 4, scholars 27), 31; church building:  
seats (free), 152; insurance (paid in full), \$2,000.00; no rectory;  
salary promised by Parish, \$700.00; salary paid to April 30th, \$700.00;  
salary received from Diocesan Missionary Board, \$200.00.

**FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1908.**

Parochial: Current Expenses (including all salaries), \$759.50; permanent  
improvements, \$401.13; charity, \$10.00; other expenses within the  
Parish, \$63.75. Total, \$1,234.38.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$65.00; diocesan missions, \$15.00; dis-  
abled clergy fund, \$3.50; bishop's purse, \$6.00; other objects within  
the diocese, \$3.50. Total, \$93.00.

General: General missions, \$10.00.

Total expenditures for all purposes, \$1,337.38.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$3,000.00.

**PLEASANT HILL.**

(Cass County.)

**CALVARY.**

Organized 1868.

Missionary, The Rev. J. W. Barker, Lee's Summit, Mo.

Wardens, John Holloway, J. A. Ainsworth; Secretary and Treasurer,  
John Holloway, Pleasant Hill, Mo.

Families, 10; souls, 27; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 27;  
communicants (male 6, female 18), 24; celebrations of the Holy Com-  
munion (public), 4; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 15;  
sermons and addresses, 15; church building; seats (free), 80; no  
rectory; salary promised by Parish, \$100.00; salary paid to April 30th,  
\$54.00.

**FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1908.**

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$84.00; permanent  
improvements (sidewalk), \$30.00. Total, \$114.00.

Diocesan: Bishop's purse, don't know amount.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$1,000.00; other prop-  
erty, \$100.00. Total value of all Parish property, \$1,100.00.

No indebtedness.

**ST. JOSEPH.**

(Buchanan County.)

**CHRIST CHURCH.**

Organized 1852.

(Not including St. Luke's Mission, for which see page 94.)

Clerical staff, Rector, The Rev. Edward Henry Eckel, B. D., The Rectory.  
Curate, The Rev. Arthur Wadsworth Farnum, 10 Summit Place.

Wardens, Messrs. W. R. Millan and Horace Stringfellow; Secretary, Mr. Wilson S. Hendrick, 607 S. Seventh St.; Treasurer, Mr. Horace Stringfellow, 731 S. Fourth St.; Vestrymen, Messrs. F. A. H. Garlichs, L. T. Golding, C. E. Green, E. C. Hartwig, W. S. Hendrick, James Hull, Louis Motter, M. A. Reed, S. E. Stohr, and Horace Wood.

Families (1907), 458; souls (1907), 1,001; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure (1907), 914; communicants (1907) (male 200, female 457), 657; communions made at Easter, 406; baptisms (infants 17, adults 6), 23; confirmed, 16; marriages, 14; burials, 16; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public 115, in private 14), 129; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 463; sermons and addresses, 169; Sunday school (officers and teachers 29, scholars 171), 200; church building; seats (1907) (free 40, rented 508), 600; insurance (paid in full), \$15,000.00; rectory; insurance (paid in full), \$6,000.00; title to property in the rectory, church wardens and vestry; salary promised by Parish, \$2,860.00; salary paid to April 30th, \$2,860.00; curate, \$1,000.00, raised and paid by rector.

## FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1908.

**NOTE:**—For various reasons it is found impractical to present here a detailed financial report. Such a report for the year 1907-8 will probably form a supplement to next year's parochial report and be published in the journal. The expenditures of the year 1907-8 amounted in the aggregate to about \$9,000.00.

**HOLY TRINITY.**

Organized 1869.

Rector, The Rev. Henry L. A. Fick, 1521 South Eleventh street.

Wardens, John Howe, Edward L. Graham; Secretary, Eli Chapman, 2131 South Twelfth street; Treasurer, Charles F. Horan, 1512 South Eleventh street; Vestrymen, J. H. Allen, E. D. Ford, T. Brown, C. R. Miller, T. J. Hendra, F. D. Keys.

Families, 70; souls, 219; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 186; communicants (male 24, female 47), 71; communions made at Easter, 53; baptisms (infants 4, adults 1), 5; confirmed, 2; marriages, 1; burials, 5; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public 42, in private 3), 45; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 111; sermons and addresses, 108; Sunday school (teachers 4, scholars 45), 49; church building; seats (free), 250; insurance (paid in full), \$3,500.00; no rectory; salary promised by Parish, \$600.00; salary paid to April 30th,

\$556.40; salary received from Diocesan Missionary Board, \$200.00; salary received from other sources (St. Mary's, Savannah, Mo.), \$100.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1908.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$626.50; other expenses within the Parish, \$73.85. Total, \$700.35.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment (\$38.50 less 10 per cent discount), \$34.68; diocesan missions (including special \$2.00), \$42.00; St. Luke's Hospital, \$3.60; Theological education fund, \$2.05; bishop's purse, \$4.21. Total, \$86.54.

General: General missions (including M. T. O., \$6.50; S. S. Lenten offering, \$9.87), \$46.37; mission to Jews, \$1.30; missions to deaf mutes, \$2.15; other objects without the Diocese: Am. Ch. Building fund, \$1.55; N. Y. Bible and Prayer Book Society, \$2.66; general clergy relief, \$10.25. Total, \$64.28.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$851.17.

Value of church property: Church and grounds (including Parish house, etc.), \$8,000.00. Total value of all Parish property, \$8,000.00.

No indebtedness on church property; floating debt (including \$113.84, paving and grading), \$157.44. Total indebtedness, \$157.44.

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**SEDALIA.**

(Pettis County.)

**CALVARY.**

Organized December, 1865.

Rector, The Rev. Douglass Henry Atwill, 117 E. Broadway.

Wardens, D. H. Smith, G. D. Stanley; Secretary, W. H. Schnare, 116 W. Fourth street; Treasurer, C. C. Evans, Sedalia Trust Co.; Vestrymen, W. J. Maltby, J. W. Mellor, C. C. Evans, A. D. Stanley, E. W. Lamy, C. N. Price, D. H. Smith, O. E. Parsons, W. H. Schnare.

Families, 87; souls, 368; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 321; communicants (male 66, female 112), 178; communions (made at Easter Sunday 130, Octave 16), 146; baptisms (infants 6, adults 2), 8; confirmed, 8; marriages, 4; burials, 7; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public), 48; public services (exclusive of celebrations, 137; sermons and addresses, 136; Sunday school (teachers 9, scholars 73), 82; church building; seats (free 100, rented 200), 300; insurance (paid in full), \$9,000.00; rectory; insurance (paid in full), \$5,000.00; title to the property in Calvary Episcopal church; salary promised by Parish, \$900.00; salary paid to April 30th (since Sept. 1st, 1907), \$600.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1908.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$1,322.07; permanent improvement (set aside toward an organ), \$340.20; charity, \$7.10; other expenses within the Parish, \$44.85. Total, \$1,714.22.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$165.00; diocesan missions, \$100.00; disabled clergy fund, \$18.90; permanent Episcopal fund, \$7.06; bishop's purse, \$16.90. Total, \$307.86.

**General:** General missions, domestic missions, foreign missions (S. S. Lenten offering \$31.55, apportionment \$66.60), \$97.55.

**Total expenditures for all purposes,** \$2,119.63.

**Value of church property:** Church grounds, \$20,500.00; rectory and grounds, \$7,500.00; other property, \$2,000.00. Total value of all Parish property, \$30,000.00.

**No indebtedness on church property; indebtedness on rectory (bonded),** \$3,500.00; indebtedness on other property (bonded), \$500.00; floating debt, \$125.00. Total indebtedness, \$4,125.00.

**Amount paid on bonded debt during the year,** \$200.00.

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### SPRINGFIELD.

(Greene County.)

#### CHRIST CHURCH.

Organized 1860.

**Rector.** The Rev. Andrew Harper, Jr., 328 Kimbrough street.

**Wardens,** James Blain, Harry Cooper; **Secretary,** Ernest M. Willcox, 467 St. Louis St.; **Treasurer,** Dr. A. P. Evans, 309 Kimbrough street; **Vestrymen,** W. W. Smith, George Cooper, George H. McCann, H. Z. Williams.

**Families,** 135; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 402; communicants (male 89, female 193), 282; communions made at Easter, 110; baptisms (infants 10, adults 4), 14; confirmed, 21; marriages, 4; burials, 8; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public), 40; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 138; sermons and addresses, 89; Sunday school (teachers 6, scholars 64), 70; church building; seats (free), 300; insurance (paid in full), \$6,900.00; rectory; insurance (paid in full), \$3,000.00; salary promised by Parish, \$1,000.00.

#### FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1908.

**Parochial:** Current expenses (including all salaries), \$1,815.51.

**Diocesan:** Diocesan assessment, \$165.00; Diocesan missions, \$50.00; disabled clergy fund, \$11.30; Bishop's purse, \$7.65. Total, \$233.95.

**Total expenditure for all purposes,** \$2,049.46.

**Value of church property:** Church and grounds, \$10,000; rectory and grounds, \$4,500. Total value of all Parish property, \$14,500.

**No indebtedness on church property: Indebtedness on rectory (bonded),** \$1,400; floating debt, \$300. Total indebtedness, \$1,700.

**Amount paid on bonded debt during the year,** \$100.

### ST. JOHN'S.

Organized 1886.

**Rector,** The Rev. Robert Nelson Spencer, 1412 Benton avenue.

**Wardens,** Marcus H. Coil, X. Hawkins; **Secretary,** Louis Lapham, 666 E. Chestnut street; **Treasurer,** Julius Seifert, 225 E. Division street;

Vestrymen, M. H. Coil, X. Hawkins, Julius Seifert, J. L. Ormsbee, M. D.; E. L. Richardson, Fred'k Shires. F. B. Smith, Louis Lapham, Richard Lane.

Families, 86; Souls, 382; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 352; communicants (male 76, female 154), 230; communions made at Easter, 137; baptisms (infants 10, adults 4), 14; confirmed, 25; marriages, 9; burials, 8; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public 96, in private 8), 104; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 184; sermons and addresses, 160; Sunday school (teachers 8, scholars 80), 88; church building; seats (free), 225; insurance (paid in full), \$7,-200.00; rectory; insurance (paid in full), \$3,000.00; title of the property, church in wardens and vestrymen; rectory in Ellen A. Burge; salary promised by Parish, \$1,000.00; salary paid to April 30th, \$1,000.00.

#### FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1908.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$1,477.74; permanent improvements, \$1,500.00; charity, \$12.00. Total, \$2,989.74.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$137.50; Diocesan missions, \$66.50; disabled clergy fund, \$20.75; Bishop's purse, \$33.54; other objects within the Diocese (St. Luke's Hospital), \$13.00. Total, \$271.29.

General: Foreign missions, \$30.00; S. S. for Bp. Aves, \$5.00; other objects without the Diocese (mission to Jews), \$1.30; (men's thank offering), \$50.50; (S. S. Lenten for general missions), \$31.00. Total, \$117.80.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$3,378.83.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$12,750.00; rectory and grounds, \$4,325.00; other property (St. Andrews Chapel), \$1,000.00; total value of all Parish property, \$18,075.00.

Indebtedness on church property: Indebtedness on rectory (bonded), \$1,050.00; floating debt, \$825.00. Total indebtedness, \$1,875.00.

Amount paid on bonded debt during the year, \$50.00.

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### WARRENSBURG.

(Johnson County.)

### CHRIST CHURCH.

Organized 1868.

Rector, The Rev. John K. Dunn, 3435 Campbell street, Kansas City, Mo. Wardens, Chas. A. Shepard, Joseph K. Tuttle; Secretary, J. A. Zimmerman, Warrensburg, Mo.; Treasurer, Miss Lillian Duffield, Warrensburg, Mo.; Vestrymen, Chas. A. Shepard, Joseph K. Tuttle, J. A. Zimmerman, Ewing Cockrell, Wilbur Tuttle.

Families, 15; souls, 75; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 70; communicants (male 8, female 28), 36; baptisms (infants 2); confirmed, 6; marriages, 2; burials, 2; church building; seats (all free), 200; insurance (paid in full), \$1,500.00; rectory; insurance (paid in full), \$500.00; title to the property in rector, wardens and vestry; salary promised by Parish (and board), \$325.00; salary paid to April 30th

(and board), \$298.00; salary received from Diocesan Missionary Board, \$275.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1908.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$298.00; other expenses within the Parish, \$39.31. Total, \$337.31.  
Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$42.00; diocesan missions, \$30.00; bishop's purse, \$9.10; other objects within the Diocese (Dioc. Miss. special), \$5.00. Total, \$86.10.  
General: General missions, \$8.00; foreign missions, \$1.00; other objects without the Diocese, G. C. relief, \$5.00; men's thanks offering, \$5.00. Total, \$19.00.  
Total expenditure for all purposes, \$442.41.  
Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$5,000.00; rectory and grounds, \$1,000.00. Total value of all Parish property, \$6,000.00.  
No indebtedness on church property; Floating debt, about \$75.00.



WESTON.  
(Platte County.)  
ST. JOHN'S.  
Organized 1851.

No report.



PARISHES

From which no report has been received.

Brookfield. . . . .	Grace Church
Brunswick. . . . .	St. Paul's
Carrollton. . . . .	St. Paul's
Kansas City. . . . .	St. Mark's
Weston. . . . .	St. John's

## Organized Mission Reports.

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### AMAZONIA.

(Andrew County.)

ST. MATTHEW'S.

Organized 1885.

Missionary, The Rev. E. W. Flower, 221 N. 13th street, St. Joseph, Mo.:  
Treasurer, Mrs. Frances Thomas, Amazonia, Mo.

Families, 3; souls, 14; baptized persons (infants and adult) in cure, 14; communicants (female 2); communions made at Easter, 2; burials, 1; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public), 10; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 3; sermons and addresses, 12; Sunday school (teachers 1, scholars 15), 16; church building.

#### FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1908.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$5.90; permanent improvements, \$9.00; other expenses within the Parish (Sunday school), \$5.55. Total, \$20.45.

Diocesan: Diocesan missions, \$3.00. Total, \$3.00.

General: General missions, \$1.00. Total, \$1.00.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$24.45.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$1,000.00. Total value of all Parish property, \$1,000.00.

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### AURORA.

(Lawrence County.)

TRINITY.

Organized 1891.

Missionary, The Rev. J. Senior, Lamar, Mo.

Warden, G. C. Shaw, Aurora, Mo.; Secretary and Treasurer, G. C. Shaw, Aurora, Mo.

Families, 9; souls, 32; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 25; communicants (male 6, female 10), 16; confirmed, 1; marriages, 1; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public), 5; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 10; sermons and addresses, 15; Sunday school (scholars), 10; church building; seats (free), 75; insurance (paid in full), \$500.00; no rectory; title to the property in the bishop; salary promised by Mission, indefinite; salary paid to April 30th, \$47.00; salary received from Diocesan Missionary Board, \$100.00; salary received from other sources, \$775.00.\*

\*Traveling and incidental expenses are paid out of this.

## FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1908.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$60.00. Total, \$60.00.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$1,000.00. Total value of all Parish property, \$1,000.00.

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**BUTLER.**

(Bates County.)

ST. MARK'S.

Organized 1875.

Missionary, The Rev. J. W. Barker, Lee's Summit, Mo.

Warden, M. S. Clay; Secretary and Treasurer, Dr. H. H. Cannon, Butler, Mo.

Families, 10; souls, 39; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 39; communicants (male 6, female 19), 25; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public), 6; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 20; sermons and addresses, 20; church building; seats (free), 175; no rectory; salary promised by Mission, \$200.00; salary paid to April 30th, \$180.00; salary received from Diocesan Missionary Board, \$150.00.

## FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1908.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$180.00. Total \$180.00.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$10.00.

General: Objects without the Diocese, \$10.00.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$200.00.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$1,100.00. Total value of all Parish property, \$1,100.00.

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**CAMERON.**

(Clinton County.)

ST. JOHN'S.

Organized 1869.

Warden, Thos. E. Turney; Secretary and Treasurer, A. J. Althouse; Vestrymen, Thos. E. Turney, A. J. Althouse, Jas. A. Franklin.

No report.

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**CLINTON.**

(Henry County.)

ST. PAUL'S.

Organized July 10, 1886.

Vacant.

Warden, Richard Bowen; Secretary and Treasurer, W. L. Winsor, Clinton, Mo.; Vestrymen, Richard Bowen, T. M. Roberts, W. L. Guerner, E. T. Colt, T. J. Hutt.



Families, 19; communicants (male 4, female 31), 35; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public), 4; church building; insurance (paid in full), \$2,000.00; no rectory.

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1908.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$426.61.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$50.00.

Total expenditures for all purposes, \$476.61.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$5,000.00.

No indebtedness.

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**HARRISONVILLE.**

(Cass County.)

ST. PETER'S.

Organized 1871.

Vacant.

Warden, F. J. Clarke; Treasurer, Robert Adams, Harrisonville, Mo.; Vestrymen, A. S. Deacon, John Davis.

No report.

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**HAMILTON.**

(Caldwell County.)

TRINITY.

Organized 1870.

No report.

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**HOLDEN.**

(Johnson County.)

MT. CALVARY.

Organized 1887.

Warden, Wm. A. Mayhew.

No report.

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**KANSAS CITY.**

(Jackson County.)

ST. AUGUSTINE'S.

Organized 1882.

Missionary, The Rev. Edward S. Willett, 1016 Virginia avenue, Kansas City, Mo.

Wardens, R. T. Coles, C. E. Bailer; Secretary, C. A. Jackson, 2432 Montgall avenue; Treasurer, W. H. Bronsfield, 2030 Chestnut street; Vestrymen, W. T. White, Isaac James, F. C. Trent, J. Herndon.

Families, 24; souls, 120; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 120; communicants (male 24, female 53), 77; communions made at Easter,

55; baptisms (infants 4, adults 3), 7; confirmed, 7; marriages, 1; burials, 3; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public 112, in private 9), 121; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 214; sermons and addresses, 134; Sunday school (teachers 5, scholars 36), 41; church building; seats (free), 200; no rectory; insurance (paid in full); title to the property in the Parochial Trust Fund; salary promised by Mission, \$450.00; salary paid to April 30th, \$450.00; salary received from Diocesan Missionary Board, \$100.00; salary received from other sources, \$400.00; total, \$950.00.

#### FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1908.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$1,063.48; permanent improvements, \$160.00; charity, \$84.19; other expenses within the Parish, \$5.00. Total, \$1,312.67.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$45.00; Diocesan missions, \$25.50; disabled clergy fund, \$1.67; bishop's purse, \$5.29. Total, \$77.46.

General: Objects without the Diocese (men's thank offering), \$9.25. Total, \$9.25.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$1,399.38.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$4,000.00. Total value of all Parish property, \$4,000.00.

#### ST. JOHN'S.

517 Kensington avenue.

Organized 1889.

Rector, The Rev. Carl Reed Taylor, 4217 Independence avenue; Warden, Baron J. Fradenburg; Secretary, Jay M. Lee, 1620 East Eighth Street; Treasurer, D. G. Murray, 527 Kensington avenue; Vestrymen, J. S. Warrick, Wm. J. Edelen, Fred C. Adams, H. G. Algeo, E. M. Binnette. Families, 99; souls, 336; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 227; communicants (male 39, female 81), 120; communions made at Easter, 68; baptisms (infants 10, adults 1), 11; confirmed, 6; marriages, 2; burials, 7; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public 93, in private 3), 96; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 167; \*sermons and addresses, 144; Sunday school (teachers 12, scholars 83), 95; St. John's Chapel, 103 Oakley (teachers 3, scholars 28), 31; church building; seats (all free), 200; insurance (paid in full), \$5,600.00; no rectory; title to the property in Parochial Trust Fund; salary promised by Mission, \$800.00; salary paid to April 30th, \$800.00; salary received from other sources, \$750.00.

\*In addition to the reported services and addresses, 37 services with addresses have been held at St. Luke's Hospital.

#### FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1908.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$1,053.34; permanent improvements (chancel furniture, \$200.00; pews, \$250.00), \$450.00; charity (Guild, \$20.00; rector's fund, \$22.10), \$42.10. Total, \$1,545.44.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$51.77; Diocesan missions, \$32.50; disabled clergy fund, \$6.60; permanent Episcopal fund, \$5.96; Theological

Education fund, \$4.40; bishop's purse, \$5.30; other objects within the Diocese (St. Luke's Hospital), \$85.25. Total, \$191.78.

General: General missions (Woman's Auxilliary, \$107.00; Junior Auxilliary, \$22.79), \$129.79; domestic missions, \$8.85; foreign missions, \$11.15. Total, \$149.79.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$1,887.01.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$11,100.00; other property (Guild hall, \$300.00; endowment, \$300.00), \$600.00. Total value of all Parish property, \$11,700.00.

Floating debt, balance on pews, \$400.00.

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### **LAMAR.**

(Barton County.)

#### **CHURCH OF THE ADVENT.**

(Name changed to Trinity, May, 1908.)

Organized 1903.

Missionary, The Rev. James Senior, Lamar, Mo.

Secretary, Miss Grace Miller, Lamar, Mo.; Treasurer, Walter J. Miller,

Sr., Lamar, Mo.; Vestrymen, Mrs. W. J. Miller, Mrs. C. A. Lockwod.

Families (or parts), 12; souls, 31; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 31; communicants (male 5, female 18), 23; communions made at Easter, 17; baptisms (infants 3, adults 1), 4; confirmed, 1; marriages, 4; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public), 15; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 42; sermons and addresses, 48; Sunday school (teachers 2, scholars 4), 6; church building; seats (all free); insurance (paid in full) \$1,500.00; no rectory; title to property in Parochial Trust Fund (acquired deed this year); salary promised by Mission, \$500.00; salary paid to April 30th, \$500.00; salary received from Diocesan Missionary Board, \$300.00; salary received from other sources (General Board of Missions), \$75.00.

#### FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1908.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$500.00; permanent improvements, \$124.35. Total, \$624.35. (Rectory fund, amount in hand, \$300.00.)

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$9.00; Diocesan missions (for 1906-7, \$10.00; for 1907-8, \$15.00), \$25.00; disabled clergy fund, \$1.75; other objects within the Diocese (St. Luke's Hospital), \$1.65. Total, \$37.40.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$661.75.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$1,200.00; other property, \$300.00. Total value of all Parish property, \$1,500.

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### **LEBANON.**

(Laclede County.)

#### **TRINITY.**

Organized September, 1873.

Missionary, The Rev. John Wilkinson, Lebanon, Mo.

Warden, Chas. L. Palmer, Lebanon, Mo.; Secretary, Ed. T. Stebbins, Lebanon, Mo.; Treasurer, Henry T. Wright, Lebanon, Mo.

Families, 15; souls, 73; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 72; communicants (male 13, female 23), 36; communions made at Easter, 30; baptisms (infants 3), 3; marriages, 4; burials, 4; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public), 16; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 92; sermons and addresses, 70; Sunday school (teachers 2, scholars 12), 14; church building; seats (free); insurance (paid in full), \$1,000.00; no rectory; title to the property in the Parish; salary promised by Mission, \$273.00; salary paid to April 30th, \$270.15.

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1908.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$290.50; permanent improvements, \$4.00. Total, \$294.50.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$32.00; Diocesan missions, \$35.05; other objects within the Diocese (St. Luke's Hospital), \$3.10. Total, \$70.15.

General: General missions, \$11.61. Total, \$11.61.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$376.26.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$1,500.00.

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**LEE'S SUMMIT.**

(Jackson County.)

ST. PAUL'S.

Organized 1872.

Missionary, The Rev. J. W. Barker, Lee's Summit, Mo.

Wardens, Wm. Rogers, E. H. Graves; Secretary and Treasurer, Mrs. F. Gatrall, Lee's Summit, Mo.

Families and parts of families, 12; souls, 21; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 21; communicants (male 3, female 9), 12; communions made at Easter, 10; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public), 5; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 15; sermons and addresses, 12; church building; seats (all free), 150; insurance (paid in full), \$1,000.00; no rectory; title to the property in local trustees—Wm. Rogers, E. H. Graves and C. H. Makin; salary promised by Mission, \$175.00; salary paid to April 30th, \$160.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1908.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$180.00; permanent improvements, \$1,000.00. Total, \$1,180.00.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$10.00.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$1,190.00.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$2,000.00; other property (organ), \$70.00. Total value of all Parish property, \$2,070.00.

Indebtedness on church property: Floating debt, \$500.00.

Amount paid on bonded debt during the year, \$400.00.

**MARSHALL.**

(Saline County.)

**TRINITY.**

Organized 1874.

Missionary, The Rev. F. A. Joseph.

Secretary, J. C. Patterson; Vestrymen, Wm. Harrison, M. D., J. V. Chase.

Families, 17; souls, 60; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 51; communicants (male 9, female 29), 38; communions made at Easter, 33; Baptisms (infant), 1; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public 41, in private 1), 42; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 114; sermons and addresses, 132; Sunday school (teachers 4, scholars 16), 20; church building; insurance (paid in full until Dec. 16, 1910), \$1,200.00; rectory, insurance (paid in full until Dec. 16, 1910), \$800.00; title to the property in Parochial Trust Fund; salary promised by Mission, \$600.00; salary paid to April 30th, \$600.00; salary received from Diocesan Missionary Board, \$300.00.

**FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1908.**

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$822.44; permanent improvements, \$106.75; charity, \$1.40. Total, \$930.59.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$45.00; Diocesan missions, \$20.00. Total, \$65.00.

General: Domestic missions, \$20.00; other objects without the Diocese (general clergy relief), \$14.56. Total, \$34.56.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$1,030.15.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$2,500.00; rectory and grounds, \$3,000.00. Total value of all Parish property, \$5,500.00.

**MONETT.**

(Barry County.)

**ST. STEPHEN'S.**

Organized 1893.

Missionary, The Rev. James Senior, Lamar, Mo.

Secretary and Treasurer, Mrs. John Bingham, No. 114, Monett, Mo.

Families, 10; communicants (male 5, female 13), 18; baptisms (infants 2, adults 3), 5; confirmed, 3; burials, 1; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public), 5; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 18; sermons and addresses, 21; Sunday school (teachers 3, scholars 28), 31; church building; seats (all free); no rectory; salary promised by Mission, indefinite; salary paid to April 30th, \$56.90; salary received from other sources, \$875.00. (Traveling and hotel expenses paid out of this.)

**FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1908.**

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$56.50; other expenses within the Parish, \$97.46. Total, \$153.96.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$10.00; Diocesan missions, \$10.00; bishop's purse, \$1.60. Total, \$21.60.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$175.56.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$2,000.00.

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### MOUNTAIN GROVE.

(Howell County.)

ST. MARK'S.

Organized 1890.

No report.

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### NEOSHO.

(Vernon County.)

ST. JOHN'S.

Organized June 28, 1889.

Missionary, the Rev. Chas. A. Weed, Joplin, Mo.

Warden, Geo. W. Glenister; Secretary and Treasurer, W. F. Eves, Neosho, Mo.

Families, 12; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 58; communicants (male 10, female 31), 41; communions made at Easter (about), 35; baptisms (infants 4, adults 12), 16; confirmed, 8; burials, 3; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public), 5; public services (exclusive of celebrations) (about), 75; Sunday school (teachers 3, scholars 30), 33; church building; seats (all free), 100; insurance (paid in full), \$1,200.00; no rectory; title to the property in Parochial Trust Fund.

#### FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1908.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$144.40; permanent improvements, \$523.28. Total, \$667.68.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$15.00; Diocesan missions (including S. S. Advent offering, \$8.92), \$26.87; bishop's purse, \$5.35; other objects within the Diocese (St. Luke's Hospital), \$6.45. Total, \$53.67.

General: General missions (including S. S. Lenten offering, \$26.44), \$44.94. Total, \$44.94.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$766.29.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$2,100.00. Total value of all Parish property, \$2,100.00.

Indebtedness on church property: Floating debt, \$100.00. Total indebtedness, \$100.00.

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### OSWALD.

(Atchison County.)

ST. OSWALD'S.

Organized 1891.

Missionary, The Rev. E. W. Flower, 221 N. Thirteenth street, St. Joseph, Mo.

Warden, Isaac Tyson, Skidmore, Mo., R. F. D.; Secretary, Miss Beatrice

Huggins, Skidmore, Mo., R. F. D.; Treasurer, Wm. Bowness, Fairfax, Mo., R. F. D.; Vestrymen: John Laycock, Ed Huggins, Isaac Tyson, Wm. Bowness.

Families, 9; souls, 43; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 41; communicants (male 9, female 17), 26; communions made at Easter, 16; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public), 25; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 44; sermons and addresses, 44; Sunday school (teachers 3, scholars 15), 18; church building; seats (all free), 200; insurance (paid in full), \$1,700.00; no rectory; salary promised by Mission, \$300.00; salary paid to April 30th, \$250.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1908.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$287.80; other expenses within the Parish, \$8.65. Total, \$296.45.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$20.00; Diocesan missions, \$10.00. Total, \$30.00.

General: General missions, \$10.00; other objects without the Diocese, general clergy relief, \$6.74; men's thank offering, \$8.45. Total, \$25.19.

Total expenditure for all purposes. \$351.64.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$1,500.00; furniture and fixtures, \$200.00. Total value of all Parish property, \$1,700.00.

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**PLATTSBURG.**

(Clinton County.)

ST. MARY'S.

Organized 1874.

Secretary, Mrs. M. J. Trimble.

No report.

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**ST. JOSEPH.**

(Buchanan County.)

ST. LUKE'S.

(Supplementary to Christ Church, St. Joseph.)

Organized October, 1907.

Rector, The Rev. E. H. Eckel, B. D.; Vicar, The Rev. A. W. Farnum, 10 Summit Place.

Warden, Abraham K. Pickle, 124 East Missouri avenue; Secretary, De Forest Walmsley, 209 Virginia avenue; Treasurer, Frank E. Vancil, 209 E. Missouri avenue; Sub-Vestrymen, the above and John T. Hendra and John W. Vaughan.

Families, 19; souls, 102; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 75; communicants (male 13, female 18), 31; communions made at Easter, 28; baptisms (infants), 6; confirmed, 10; marriages, 1; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public 33, in private 5), 38; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 97; sermons and addresses, 105; Sunday school (teachers 5, scholars 45), 50; seats (free), 100; salary promised

by Mission, none; salary received from Diocesan Missionary Board, none; salary received from other sources, \$1,000.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1908.

**Parochial:** Current expenses (including all salaries), \$467.84; permanent improvements, \$60.00; charity, \$2.00; other expenses within the Parish, Good Shepherd Hospital, \$2.72; sewing school, \$2.90. Total, \$535.46.

**Diocesan:** Diocesan missions, \$12.16; bishop's purse, \$15.26; other objects within the Diocese, expenses of convocation, \$7.75; Sunday School Advent Offering Diocesan missions, \$20.46. Total, \$55.63.

**General:** General missions, \$12.00; Woman's Auxiliary (united offering), \$2.25; Sunday school Lenten offering (general missions), \$23.44; missions to deaf mutes, \$1.96; Anglican missions in Jerusalem, \$3.45; M. T. O., \$9.15; Oakes Home, Denver, Colo., \$1.00; general clergy relief (of which \$9.59 for automatic pension at 64), \$21.34. Total, \$74.59.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$665.68.

ST. MATTHIAS.

Organized 1885.

**Missionary,** The Rev. E. W. Flower, 221 N. Thirteenth street, St. Joseph, Mo.

**Warden,** Robt. L. Scott, 2205 Sylvania street; **Secretary,** Mrs. W. D. Hawkins, 1713 Angelique street; **Treasurer,** Mrs. R. L. Scott, 2205 Sylvania street.

Families, 4; souls, 19; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 19; communicants (male 3, female 4), 7; communions made at Easter, 7; burials, 9; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public 14, in private 2), 16; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 125; sermons and addresses, 120; church building; seats (all free), 50; salary promised by Mission, \$100.00; salary paid to April 30th, \$29.30; salary received from other sources (General Board of Missions), \$300.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1908.

**Parochial:** Current expenses (including all salaries), \$39.15; other expenses within the Parish (balance due on salary for previous year), \$41.35. Total, \$80.50.

**Diocesan:** Diocesan assessment, \$6.00; Diocesan missions, \$5.00; other objects within the Diocese, \$1.50. Total, \$12.50.

**General:** General missions, \$6.00. Total, \$6.00.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$99.00.

Floating debt, \$48.50. Total indebtedness, \$48.50.

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SAVANNAH.

(Andrew County.)

ST. MARY'S.

Organized 1855.

**Missionary,** The Rev. Henry L. A. Fick, 1521 South Eleventh street, St. Joseph, Mo.



Secretary, Miss Sarah Elizabeth Clasby, Savannah, Mo.; Treasurer, Miss Jane L. Frodsham, Savannah, Mo.

Families, 14; souls, 52; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 38; communicants (male 3, female 20), 23; communions made at Easter, 12; burials, 1; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public 4, in private 1) 5; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 44; sermons and addresses, 38; church building; seats (all free); insurance (paid in full), \$1,700.00; no rectory; salary promised by Mission, \$100.00; salary paid to April 30th, \$100.00; salary received from Diocesan Missionary Board, \$200.00; salary received from other sources (Holy Trinity, St. Joseph Mo.), \$600.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1908.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$137.60. Total, \$137.60.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$10.00; Diocesan missions, \$15.00. Total, \$25.00.

General: General missions, \$10.00. Total, \$10.00.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$172.60.

No indebtedness.

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**STANBERRY.**

(Gentry County.)

**TRINITY.**

Organized May, 1892.

Warden and Secretary, J. H. Price, Stanberry, Mo.

No report.

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**TRENTON.**

(Grundy County.)

**ST. PHILIP'S.**

Organized 1893.

No report.

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**UTICA.**

(Livingston County.)

**TRINITY.**

Organized 1873.

Missionary, The Rev. Arthur M. Griffin, Chillicothe, Mo.

Warden, Geo. Rice, Utica, Mo.; Secretary, E. J. Miller; Treasurer, Geo. Rice.

Families, 5; souls, 7; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 7; communicants (male 2, female 4), 6; communions made at Easter, 6; burials, 2; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public), 4; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 12; sermons and addresses, 12;

church building; seats (free), 122; insurance (paid in full), \$1,000.00; title to the property in bishop; salary received from Diocesan Missionary Board, \$100.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1908.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$5.25; permanent improvements, \$14.75; other expenses within the Parish, \$3.45. Total, \$23.45.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$5.00. Total, \$5.00.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$28.45.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$2,000.00. Total value of all Parish property, \$2,000.00.

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**WEBB CITY.**

(Jasper County.)

**ST. PAUL'S.**

(Organized November 20, 1899.)

No report.

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**WEST PLAINS.**

(Howell County)

**ALL SAINTS.**

(Organized January, 1889.)

Lay Reader, Wm. T. Gleerup, West Plains, Mo.

Warden, W. W. Mantz; Secretary and Treasurer, Wm. T. Gleerup; Vestrymen, Joe Knoerle, Chas. Brown, W. W. Mantz, W. T. Gleerup.

Families, 11; souls, 61; baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 52; communicants (male 4, female 26), 30; burials, 1; celebrations of the Holy Communion (public), 3; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 47; sermons and addresses, 41; Sunday school (teachers 4, scholars 35), 39; church building; seats (free), 155; insurance (paid in full), \$2,100; no rectory; title to the property in bishop; salary promised by Mission, \$350.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1908.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$85.68; permanent improvements, \$65.00. Total, \$150.68.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$35.00; Diocesan missions, \$30.00; bishop's purse, \$15.31. Total, \$80.31.

General: Foreign missions, \$5.53.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$236.52.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$2,500.00.

Total value of all Parish property, \$2,500.00.

ORGANIZED MISSIONS.

From which no reports have been received.

East Sedalia. . . . .	All Saints'
Hamilton. . . . .	Trinity
Harrisonville. . . . .	St. Peter's
Holden. . . . .	Mt. Calvary
Liberty. . . . .	Grace
Mountain Grove. . . . .	St. Mary's
Plattsburg. . . . .	St. Mary's
Rich Hill. . . . .	St. Luke's
Stanberry. . . . .	Trinity
Sweet Springs. . . . .	St. James'
Trenton. . . . .	St. Phillip's
Webb City. . . . .	St. Paul's

**Unorganized Mission Report.**

KANSAS CITY.

HOLY SPIRIT, DEAF MUTE MISSION.

From May 1, 1907 to May 1, 1908.

Missionary, The Rev. James H. Cloud, 2606 Virginia Ave., St. Louis, Mo.  
Communicants (male 7, female 8), 15; public celebrations of the Holy  
Communion, 5; public services exclusive of celebrations, 12; sermons  
and addresses, 15; infant baptisms, 3; salary received from Diocesan  
Missionary Board, \$100.00.  
Parochial offering for Missionary's traveling expenses.



# Summary of Parochial and Mission Reports, May 1st, 1908.

## STATISTICAL.

For further particulars see pages 71 to 'X.

		Families.	Souls.	Baptized Persons.	Communicants	Easter Communions	BAPTISMS.		Confirmations	Marriages.	Burials.	Holy Communion.	Other Services.	Teachers.		Church Sittings	CHURCH PROPERTY.					
							Infants	Adults						SUNDAY	SCHOL.		Value of Church and Grounds.	Value of Other Property.	Debt on Church and Grounds.	Debt on Other Property.	Floating Debt.	Total Indebtedness.
Blackburn	Mediator	1	6	6	6								4			125	\$ 500	\$	\$	\$	\$	
Boonville	Christ Church	23	60	83	48									4	32	200	6,000	2,000				
Brookfield	Grace	* 16	* 125	* 130	* 52									*	* 30	175	5,500		1,000		1,000.00	
Brunswick	St. Paul's Church	* 4	* 10		* 6											75	200					
Carrollton	"	* 4	* 15		* 4											150	2,000					
Carthage	Grace	85	331	276	152	93	13	1	2	1	7	23	210	10	130	230	8,500	2,500				
Chillicothe	"	58	186	177	117	93	1	6	3	7	94	210		5	36	180	5,000	5,500				
Fayette	St. Mary's	* 9	* 35	* 33	* 21											100	3,000					
Independence	Trinity	23	350	219	136	60	6	3	6	4	38	119		4	30	130	5,000					
Joplin	St. Philip's	78	750	600	332	216	22	12	42	20	64	197				400	8,000	4,000	1,000	200.00	1,200.00	
Kansas City	Grace	150	750	600	332	216	22	12	42	10	20	64	197			400	100,000	21,582		750.00	750.00	
"	St. George's	135	500	478	342	269	10	4	26	6	8			23	170	240	10,000		1,100		1,100.00	
"	St. Mark's	* 134	* 497	* 490	* 334									*	* 14	* 130	250	10,000				
"	St. Mary's		220	210	156	17	9	8	11	15	473	668		17	138	400	75,000	5,200	5,150	2,900	200.00	1,200.00
"	St. Paul's	195	750	600	283	264	14	6	11	9	7	60	130	10	100	600	50,000		18,000		200.00	750.00
"	Trinity	225	1000	700	500	300	11	13	23	23	25	100		4	19	460	4,000	1,500			1,000.00	1,000.00
Lexington	Christ	31	93	77	37					2	4	25					2,000					
Maryville	St. Paul's	* 19	* 65	* 55	* 35					4	20	82		4	27	150	2,000					
Nevada	All Saints'				80	72	2	6	9	5	4					152	3,000					
Pleasant Hill	Calvary	10	27	27	24								15			80	1,000	100				
St. Joseph	Christ	458	1001	914	657	406	17	6	16	14	16	129	463	29	171	600	20,000	13,700				
"	Holy Trinity	70	219	186	71	53	4	1	2	1	5	45	111	4	45		8,000				157.44	157.44
Sedalia	Calvary	87	368	321	178	146	6	2	8	4	7	48	137	9	73	300	20,500	9,500	4,000	125.00	4,125.00	
Springfield	Christ	135	402	282	230	110	10	4	21	4	8	40	138	6	64	300	10,000	4,500	1,400	300.00	1,700.00	
"	St. John's	86	382	352	230	137	10	4	25	9	8	104	181	8	80	225	12,750	5,325	1,050	895.00	1,875.00	
Warrensburg	Christ	15	75	70	36		2		6	2	2					200	5,000	1,000		75.00	75.00	
Weston	St. John's	* 20	* 15													200	5,000					

**MISSIONS  
AND MISSION POINTS.**

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\* Not reported this year; estimated from last report received, or other information.

† Reported by the Bishop.

† Not fully reported.

# Summary of Parochial and Mission Reports, May 1st, 1908.

## FINANCIAL.

For further particulars see pages 71 to 74.

## EXPENDITURES.

PARISHES	PAROCHIAL.				DIOCESAN.						GENERAL.					Value of Property and Incubedness.
	Current Expenses and Salaries	Permanent Improvements.	Charity	Other Expenses	Assessment.	Missions.	Disabled Clergy Fund.	Permanent Episcopal Fund.	Theological Education Fund.	Bishop's Purse.	Other Objects.	General Missions.	Domestic Missions.	Foreign Missions.	Other Objects.	Total Expenditure.
Blackburn	10 00	77 54			8 00	3 00			1 00	4 05		27 00				21 00
Boonville	729 23				79 20	50 00										904 02
Carthage	1076 60				147 50	50 00				6 50	40 00				61 50	1314 10
Chillicothe	1519 16	108 00			144 31	5 00			30							2171 71
Fayette	108 37	912 90	48 91	428 64	91 16	34 00				12 00	1124 74	116 25	134 68	44 00	1 00	2878 11
Joplin	1349 50	7500 00	135 68	847 26	944 00	515 22				245 64	7 70	25 50			232 00	17907 27
Kansas City	3045 52			5457 97	275 00	200 00				25 98	16 27	25 50			13 00	9451 07
"	2808 63		104 10	175 00	277 20	32 75				164 00	45 00	72 80	540 75	35 00	27 10	3206 05
"	4110 40	100 00	297 47	849 50	814 00	450 00	10 00	43 25		18 10	50 00	92 57				10842 67
"	4500 00	400 00	295 50	65 00	550 00	30 00						7 40				6965 67
Lexington	250 00	20 00			65 00	15 00	3 50			6 00	3 50	10 00				422 40
Nevada	759 50	401 13	10 00	63 75												1337 38
Peasanti Hill	84 00	30 00														114 00
St. Joseph	7550 00				100 00	450 00			2 05	4 21	3 60	49 82			14 46	9000 00
"	626 50			73 85	34 68	42 00										851 17
St. Joseph	1322 07	340 20	7 10	44 85	165 00	100 00	18 90	7 06		16 00		97 55				2119 63
St. John's	1815 51				165 00	50 00				7 65						2049 46
St. John's	1477 74	1500 00	12 00		137 50	66 50	20 75			33 54	13 00	67 30			50 50	3378 83
St. John's	298 10			27 31	42 00	30 00				0 10	5 00	8 00		1 00	10 00	442 41

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## MISSIONS.

MISSIONS.	5 90	9 00	10 40	84 29	49 83	27 19	74 47	56 27	7 75	614 05	13 98	825 62	707 24	104 13	489 05	85015 42
Amazonia	5 90	9 00	10 40	84 29	49 83	27 19	74 47	56 27	7 75	614 05	13 98	825 62	707 24	104 13	489 05	85015 42
Aurora	60 00															24 45
Butler	180 00															60 00
Clinton	426 61														10 00	200 00
Kansas City	1063 48	160 00	84 19	5 00	45 00	25 50	1 67	5 96	4 40	5 29	85 25	129 79	8 85	11 15	9 25	476 61
"	1053 34	450 00	42 10		51 77	32 50	6 60			5 30	1 65					1399 38
Lamar	500 00	124 35			9 00	25 00	1 75				3 10	11 61				1887 01
Lebanon	290 50	4 00			32 00	35 05										661 75
Lee's Summit	180 00	1000 00			10 00											376 26
Marshall	822 44	106 75	1 40		45 00	20 00							20 00		14 56	1190 00
Monett	56 50			97 46	10 00	10 00				1 60						1030 15
Nensho	144 40	523 28			15 00	26 87				5 35	6 45	44 94				175 56
Oswald	287 80			8 65	20 00	10 00						10 00			15 19	766 29
St. Joseph	467 84	60 00	2 00	5 62		32 62				15 26	7 75	37 69	2 96	3 45	30 49	351 64
"	39 15			41 35		5 00					1 50	6 00				665 68
St. Matthias	137 60				6 00							10 00				99 00
Savannah					10 00	15 00										172 60
Utica	5 25	14 75		3 45	5 00											28 45
West Plains	85 68	65 00			35 00	30 00				15 31				5 53		236 52
Total	49659 02	13406 90	1040 45	8429 45	4983 77	2719 01	74 47	56 27	7 75	614 05	1398 24	825 62	707 24	104 13	489 05	85015 42

SEE PRECEDING TABLE.

**SEE PRECEDING TABLE.**

\* Details not given.



# APPENDIX No. 1. FOOTINGS OF THE NINETEEN ANNUAL REPORTS.

	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898	1899	1900	1901	1902	1903	1904	1905	1906	1907	1908
Clergy .....	27	36	33	40	35	34	33	34	32	34	31	34	33	34	32	31	31	33	30
Parishes .....	24	26	26	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27
Organized Missions ..	28	30	34	32	28	28	27	25	27	25	26	27	30	30	28	31	30	31	30
Unorganized Missions..	2	8	6	6	16	13	12	13	13	13	13	11	8	9	10	11	13	10	10
Souls .....	*	*	7,381	8,156	7,615	8,001	8,240	8,683	9,417	9,608	17,834	18,425	17,232	18,072	17,701	18,936	18,005	18,135	18,212
Communicants .....	3,150	3,676	3,953	3,871	3,497	3,821	4,085	4,391	4,441	4,480	4,604	4,839	4,906	4,973	4,827	5,034	5,051	5,002	5,183
S. S. Teachers .....	192	244	273	301	296	320	322	318	334	298	259	282	282	261	233	203	241	226	206
S. S. Scholars .....	1,902	2,239	2,135	2,205	2,226	2,301	2,364	2,371	2,499	2,281	1,924	2,141	2,098	1,989	1,907	1,697	1,855	1,743	1,650
Services .....	*	*	5,276	6,105	6,047	5,000	5,277	6,186	5,559	4,227	4,803	5,080	5,090	3,498	4,240	3,387	4,035	3,536	3,657
Communion .....	*	*	1,242	1,065	1,504	1,409	1,452	1,696	1,614	1,614	1,503	1,574	1,646	1,793	2,003	1,683	1,750	1,497	1,642
Baptisms .....	400	426	371	401	305	265	264	340	326	275	280	336	303	297	278	294	280	286	276
Confirmations .....	249	305	253	259	241	257	245	276	279	225	323	350	317	310	297	278	368	287	253
Marriages .....	96	87	96	88	83	81	88	103	77	92	95	94	105	111	111	117	120	113	122
Burials .....	120	118	139	129	103	92	109	111	131	143	123	123	147	147	191	154	164	157	170
Value of Property .....	*	*	\$459,152	408,905	494,525	491,675	480,815	385,495	442,790	451,447	348,950	400,265	417,675	409,094	408,125	435,549	479,674	508,888	512,239
Debts .....	*	*	136,921	150,273	145,500	137,500	127,282	69,413	52,748	48,628	47,052	44,992	41,664	29,656	35,680	34,638	52,675	57,965	41,315
Disbursements:																			
Parochial .....	8 88,857	77,638	66,230	58,915	55,978	57,641	65,421	59,595	78,390	51,421	60,760	58,340	57,389	73,335	60,151	63,057	111,514	78,648	73,035
Diocesan .....	5,094	4,688	6,671	7,171	5,928	5,844	6,608	6,444	6,748	6,037	6,742	7,750	7,576	8,083	8,300	8,691	9,034	9,446	9,853
Extra Diocesan .....	697	777	841	1,386	1,036	353	941	1,114	1,372	1,280	1,166	1,239	1,943	1,997	3,059	2,323	3,045	2,448	2,126

\* Not reported in 1890-91.

† Not fully reported.

APPENDIX NO. 2.

BISHOP'S PURSE.

1907.		Dr.
May	Auxiliary. . . . .	\$125.80
May 19	St. Augustine's. . . . .	5.38
May 19	St. Paul's, Kansas City.....	39.33
June 13	Grace Church S. S., Kansas City.....	3.74
June 24	Auxiliary. . . . .	111.95
July 19	Auxiliary. . . . .	5.00
July 24	Auxiliary. . . . .	10.00
May 15	H. F. Bostwick.....	10.00
Sept. 21	Sedalia. . . . .	4.10
Oct. 8	Auxiliary. . . . .	31.00
Oct. 30	Auxiliary. . . . .	17.00
Nov. 3	Sedalia. . . . .	7.90
Nov. 6	Auxiliary. . . . .	197.75
Nov. 10	Lexington. . . . .	5.20
Nov. 17	Carthage. . . . .	13.06
Nov. 17	Webb City. . . . .	4.15
Nov. 14	Maryville. . . . .	2.50
Dec. 1	Nevada. . . . .	4.41
Dec. 8	Brookfield. . . . .	3.00
Dec. 8	Cameron. . . . .	4.30
Dec. 11	Sedalia. . . . .	5.41
Dec. 15	Christ Church, Springfield. . . . .	10.05
Dec. 15	St. John's. . . . .	9.40
Dec. 23	Auxiliary. . . . .	25.00
Dec. 5	Auxiliary. . . . .	87.50
1908.		Dr.
Jan. 17	Auxiliary. . . . .	10.00
Feb. 2	Sedalia. . . . .	9.50
Feb. 1	Wm. Mosher. . . . .	108.00
	Infant Class, St. Paul's, Kansas City.....	30.00
Mar. 1	West Plains. . . . .	5.00
Mar. 1	Mountain Grove. . . . .	4.50
Mar. 1	Mr. Stiff. . . . .	5.10
Mar. 6	Auxiliary. . . . .	30.00
Mar. 9	Brookfield. . . . .	7.46
Mar. 9	Chillicothe. . . . .	7.56
Mar. 22	Lee's Summit. . . . .	3.65
Mar. 22	Pleasant Hill. . . . .	4.50
Apr. 2	Auxiliary. . . . .	55.00
Apr. 3	St. Luke's, St. Joseph.....	5.90
Apr. 3	Auxiliary. . . . .	40.00
Apr. 3	Trinity. . . . .	15.00

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Apr. 5	St. George's, Kansas City.....	25.98
Apr. 15	St. Mary's, Kansas City.....	6.72
Apr. 15	Trinity, Kansas City.....	18.10
Apr. 19	Neosho. . . . .	5.35
Apr. 20	Joplin. . . . .	12.34
Apr. 22	Monett. . . . .	1.71
Apr. 23	St. John's, Springfield.....	6.52
Apr. 26	Holy Trinity, St. Joseph.....	4.50
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		\$1,268.82

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Stipends. . . . .	\$	335.00
Missionaries' Expenses. . . . .		246.00
Church Repairs. . . . .		50.00
Church Building. . . . .		50.00
Church Debt. . . . .		112.20
Sundries. . . . .		55.00
Literature and Printing.....		24.68
Paid Self. . . . .		250.00
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		\$1,122.88

## APPENDIX NO. 3.

**REPORT OF THE SECRETARY OF THE DIOCESAN  
MISSIONARY BOARD.**

The board has held three meetings during the last year, on May 27 and November 23, 1907, and on March 23, 1908. These meetings were all well attended and a commendable degree of interest was manifested.

The board wishes to express its deep sorrow in the death of its two most valuable members, Mr. J. C. Horton of Kansas City, and Mr. Charles A. Kelly of St. Joseph. They were both deeply interested in its work, and most faithful in attendance. We shall always miss them sorely. May God raise up other faithful and generous men to take their places.

The following names have been added to the missionary list: The Rev. Messrs. W. M. Whitely, R. J. Belt, J. V. Plunket, and C. A. Weed (the last for services at Neosho). The Rev. Mr. Senior is also doing additional work at Monett. The following missionaries have either left the Diocese or taken other work.

The Rev. Messrs. E. P. Chittenden, R. B. Evatt, B. J. Baxter, W. H. Haupt, C. R. Stearns and W. M. Whitely.

The Advent mite boxes were used this year, but not with the same success as the previous year, owing to various causes.

The Bishop's "special appeal" has been quite successful in keeping up the funds of the board during the year, enabling it to pay its missionaries promptly every quarter. (See Treasurer's report on page 62.)

The Diocese needs men for this its home work, and money to pay them. Let us constantly pray for the one, and freely give the other. See collect for "stir-up" Sunday (next before Advent).

For the Board,

JOHN K. DUNN,  
Secretary.

May 12, 1908.

## APPENDIX NO. 4.

**REPORT OF THE REGISTRAR.**

The Registrar has received the Journals of most of our American Dioceses during the year. Agreeable to the instructions of the last Diocesan Council, additional shelving has been placed in Trinity Church which will suffice for some time to come.

JOHN K. DUNN,  
Registrar.

May 12, 1908.

APPENDIX NO. 5.

ADVENT MITE BOX RECEIPTS FOR DIOCESAN MISSIONS.  
1907.

Sedalia. . . . .	\$ 8.02	Butler. . . . .	1.68
Holy Trinity, St. Joseph.....	6.56	St. Matthias, St. Joseph...	1.21
Blackburn. . . . .	2.00	St. Mark's Sunday School,	
Lebanon. . . . .	3.05	Kansas City. . . . .	7.00
Joplin. . . . .	5.00	Lexington. . . . .	1.00
St. John's Sunday School,		Trinity, Kansas City.....	8.54
Springfield. . . . .	8.65	Christ Church Sunday	
St. Luke's Sunday School,		School, St. Joseph.....	31.90
St. Joseph. . . . .	20.46	Warrensburg. . . . .	5.00
Neosho. . . . .	8.92		
Marshall. . . . .	10.00		
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			\$128.99

## APPENDIX NO. 6.

## APPORTIONMENTS FOR DIOCESAN MISSIONS 1908-1909.

PARISHES.		MISSIONS.	
Blackburn. . . . .	\$ 5.00	Aurora. . . . .	\$ 5.00
Boonville. . . . .	50.00	Butler. . . . .	25.00
Brookfield. . . . .	35.00	Cameron. . . . .	15.00
Brunswick. . . . .	4.00	Clinton. . . . .	30.00
Carrollton. . . . .	10.00	Harrisonville. . . . .	20.00
Carthage. . . . .	100.00	Kansas City :	
Chillicothe. . . . .	75.00	St. Augustine's. . . . .	25.00
Fayette. . . . .	10.00	St. John's. . . . .	30.00
Independence. . . . .	25.00	Lamar. . . . .	15.00
Joplin. . . . .	40.00	Lebanon. . . . .	50.00
Kansas City :		Lee's Summit. . . . .	10.00
Grace. . . . .	450.00	Marshall. . . . .	20.00
St. George's. . . . .	200.00	Monett. . . . .	10.00
St. Mark's. . . . .	100.00	Mountain Grove. . . . .	10.00
St. Mary's. . . . .	100.00	Neosho. . . . .	25.00
St. Paul's. . . . .	450.00	St. Oswald. . . . .	10.00
Trinity. . . . .	250.00	Plattsburg. . . . .	5.00
Lexington. . . . .	40.00	St. Joseph :	
Maryville. . . . .	25.00	St. Matthias. . . . .	5.00
Nevada. . . . .	25.00	St. Luke's. . . . .	10.00
Pleasant Hill. . . . .	8.00	Richmond. . . . .	5.00
St. Joseph :		Savannah. . . . .	15.00
Christ Church. . . . .	500.00	Stanberry. . . . .	5.00
Holy Trinity. . . . .	40.00	Tipton. . . . .	1.00
Sedalia. . . . .	75.00	Trenton. . . . .	20.00
Springfield :		Utica. . . . .	5.00
Christ Church. . . . .	100.00	Versailles. . . . .	5.00
St. John's. . . . .	75.00	Webb City. . . . .	10.00
Warrensburg. . . . .	35.00	West Plains. . . . .	30.00
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	\$2,827.00		\$416.00

## APPENDIX NO. 7.

## AUDITING REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

Kansas City, Mo., August 10, 1908.

*To the Rt. Rev. E. R. Atwill, D. D.,**Bishop of the Diocese of Kansas City.*

The Committee on Finance, appointed at the last Diocesan Council, has examined the accounts of Mr. Walton H. Holmes, Treasurer of the Diocese of Kansas City, Mr. James Mackenzie, Treasurer of the Permanent Episcopal Fund and Mr. H. D. Ashley, Treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Fund, and finds everything in strict agreement with the reports of the Treasurers.

BENJAMIN B. LEE,

A. C. STOWELL,

Committee.

APPENDIX NO. 8.

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY.

Officers of the Branch of the Diocese of Kansas City,  
1908-1909.

Mrs. E. R. Atwill.....President  
3207 Highland Avenue, Kansas City.

VICE-PRESIDENTS.

Mrs. Theodore Gowdy, Kansas City.  
Mrs. H. L. A. Fick, St. Joseph.  
Mrs. L. A. Smith, Brookfield.  
Miss Mary Bryan, Springfield.  
Mrs. F. C. O'Meara, Carthage.

Mrs. S. E. Woodstock.....Recording Secretary  
2654 East 29th Street, Kansas City.

Mrs. A. A. Maloney.....Assistant Recording Secretary  
The Woodlea, Kansas City.

Mrs. Donald Mosher.....Treasurer  
3622 Thompson Avenue, Kansas City.

Miss Grace Waldron.....Corresponding Secretary  
3508 Baltimore Avenue, Kansas City.

SPECIAL TREASURERS.

Mrs. H. F. Turner.....Custodian of Mite Boxes  
1324 Lafayette Street, St. Joseph.

Mrs. C. H. Nearing.....United Offering  
3564 Jefferson Street, Kansas City.

Mrs. C. H. Nearing.....Little Helpers  
3564 Jefferson Street, Kansas City.

The Nineteenth Annual Meeting of the Kansas City Diocesan Branch  
of the Woman's Auxiliary will be held D. V., in Grace Church, Carthage,  
on Thursday, May 13, 1909.





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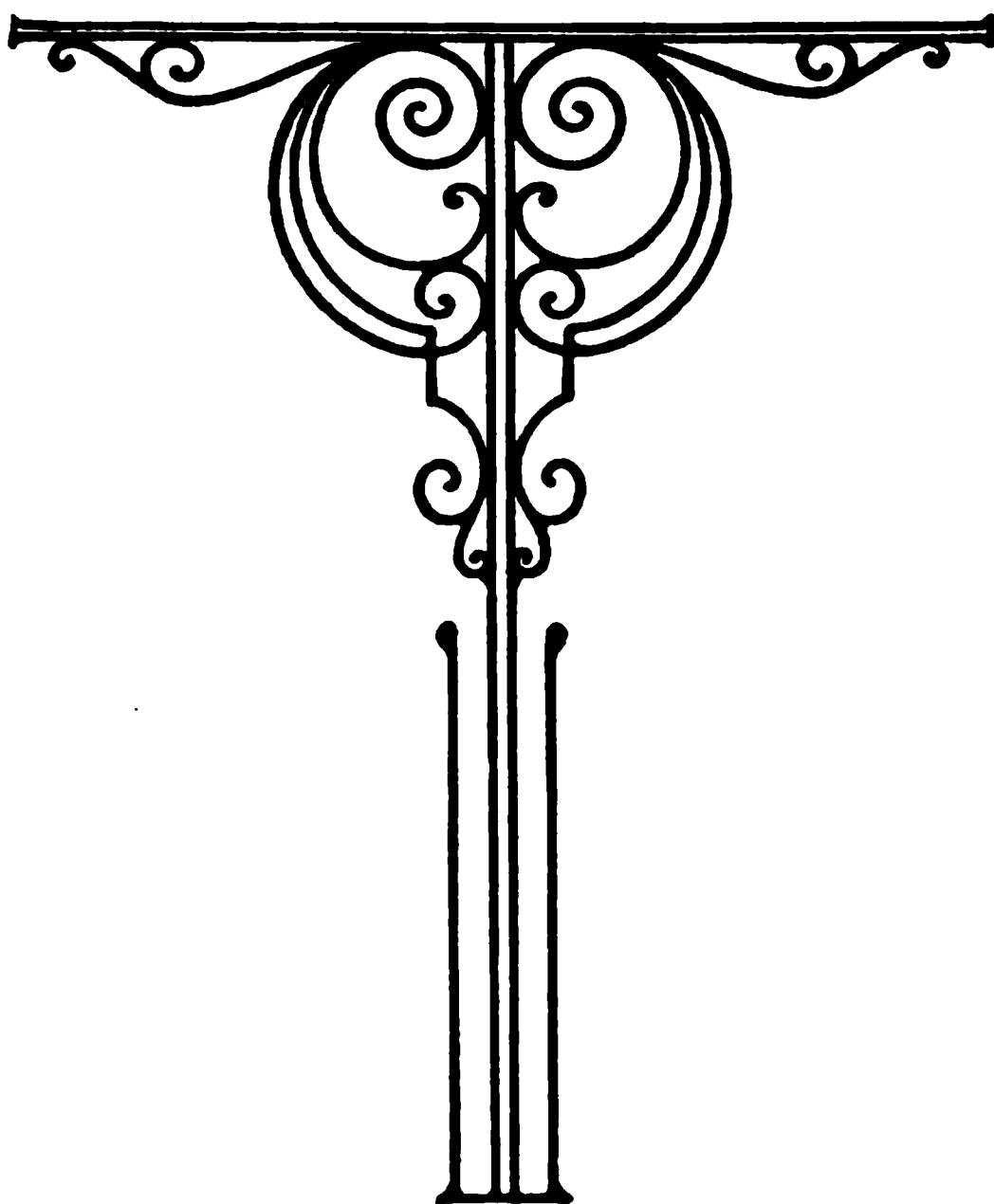




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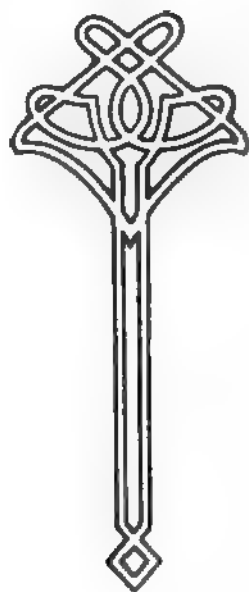
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## List of Parishes

IN UNION WITH THE COUNCIL, WITH DATES OF ORIGINAL  
FORMATION AND OF ADMISSION TO THE DIOCESE  
OF MISSOURI OR WEST MISSOURI.

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Place.	Parish.	Formed.	Admitted.
Blackburn. . . . .	*CHURCH OF THE MEDIATOR. . . . .	1856	1880
Boonville. . . . .	CHRIST CHURCH. . . . .	1835	1840
Brookfield. . . . .	GRACE. . . . .	1874	1884
Brunswick. . . . .	†ST. PAUL'S. . . . .	1851	1852
Carrollton. . . . .	ST. PAUL'S. . . . .	1870	1873
Carthage. . . . .	GRACE. . . . .	1869	1870
Chillicothe. . . . .	GRACE. . . . .	1858	1859
Fayette. . . . .	ST. MARY'S. . . . .	1836	1847
Independence. . . .	TRINITY. . . . .	1844	1855
Joplin. . . . .	ST. PHILIP'S. . . . .	1874	1891
Kansas City. . . . .	‡GRACE. . . . .	1870	1871
Kansas City. . . . .	ST. GEORGE'S. . . . .	1891	1891
Kansas City. . . . .	ST. MARK'S. . . . .	1889	1889
Kansas City. . . . .	!ST. MARY'S. . . . .	1857	1858
Kansas City. . . . .	ST. PAUL'S. . . . .	1889	1891
( Westport )			
Kansas City. . . . .	TRINITY. . . . .	1897	1897
Lexington. . . . .	CHRIST CHURCH. . . . .	1844	1846
Maryville. . . . .	ST. PAUL'S. . . . .	1857	1878
Nevada. . . . .	ALL SAINT'S. . . . .	1869	1870
Pleasant Hill. . . .	CALVARY. . . . .	1868	1868
St. Joseph. . . . .	CHRIST CHURCH. . . . .	1851	1852
St. Joseph. . . . .	HOLY TRINITY. . . . .	1869	1870
Sedalia. . . . .	CALVARY. . . . .	1868	1872
Springfield. . . . .	CHRIST CHURCH. . . . .	1859	1860
Springfield. . . . .	ST. JOHN'S. . . . .	1886	1886
Warrensburg. . . .	CHRIST CHURCH. . . . .	1859	1868
Weston. . . . .	ST. JOHN'S. . . . .	1851	1852

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\*Name changed from "St. Thomas" to "Mediator" in 1880.

†Name changed from "St. Ann's" to "St. Paul's" in 1870.

‡Name changed from "St. Paul's" to "Grace" in 1863.

!Name changed from "St. Luke's" to "St. Mary's" in 1879.

## Organized Missions

WITH DATES OF ORIGINAL FORMATION.

Amazonia. . . . .	ST. MATTHEW'S. . . . .	1875
! Aurora. . . . .	TRINITY. . . . .	1890
Butler. . . . .	ST. MARK'S. . . . .	1875
Cameron. . . . .	ST. JOHN'S. . . . .	1870
*Clinton. . . . .	ST. PAUL'S. . . . .	1875
! Excelsior Springs. . . . .	ST. LUKE'S. . . . .	1905
Hamilton. . . . .	TRINITY. . . . .	1870
Harrisonville. . . . .	ST. PETER'S. . . . .	1871
Holden. . . . .	MOUNT CALVARY. . . . .	1887
Kansas City. . . . .	ST. AUGUSTINE'S. . . . .	1883
†Kansas City . . . . .	ST. JOHN'S. . . . .	1891
§ Lamar. . . . .	TRINITY. . . . .	1903
Lebanon. . . . .	TRINITY. . . . .	1872
Lee's Summit. . . . .	ST. PAUL'S. . . . .	1872
Liberty. . . . .	GRACE. . . . .	1859
Marshall. . . . .	TRINITY. . . . .	1872
!Monett. . . . .	ST. STEPHEN'S. . . . .	1893
Mountain Grove. . . . .	ST. MARK'S. . . . .	1890
Neosho. . . . .	ST. JOHN'S. . . . .	1889
!Oswald. . . . .	ST. OSWALD'S. . . . .	1891
Plattsburg. . . . .	ST. MARY'S. . . . .	1874
Rich Hill. . . . .	ST. LUKE'S. . . . .	1887
St. Joseph. . . . .	ST. MATTHIAS'. . . . .	1885
†Savannah. . . . .	ST. MARY'S. . . . .	1855
Stanberry. . . . .	TRINITY. . . . .	1902
Sweet Springs. . . . .	ST. JAMES'. . . . .	1888
!Trenton. . . . .	ST. PHILIP'S. . . . .	1893
Utica. . . . .	TRINITY. . . . .	1893
Webb City. . . . .	ST. PAUL'S. . . . .	1900
West Plains. . . . .	ALL SAINTS'. . . . .	1887

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\*First organized as "St. Matthew's."

†First organized as "Calvary."

‡First organized as "St. John's."

!First organized as "Christ Church."

Not in union with Council.

§First organized as "Church of the Advent."

Unorganized Missions

WITH DATES OF ORIGINAL FORMATION.

Fordland. . . . .	ST. LUKE'S. . . . .	1901
Higginsville. . . . .	—————. . . . .	1905
Kansas City. . . . .	HOLY SPIRIT. . . . .	———
Kansas City. . . . .	GRACE. . . . .	1890
Lathrop. . . . .	—————. . . . .	1903
Milan. . . . .	—————. . . . .	1903
Platte City. . . . .	ST. THOMAS'. . . . .	1851
Richmond. . . . .	ST. PAUL'S. . . . .	1891
Tipton. . . . .	ST. GEORGE'S. . . . .	1892
Versailles. . . . .	TRINITY. . . . .	1887

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The REV. ROBERT N. SPENCER.....	Feb. 25, 1907.....	Kansas.
The REV. CHARLES H. BOHN.....	Feb. 25, 1907.....	Iowa.
The REV. CARL REED TAYLOR.....	May 2, 1907.....	Duluth.
The REV. EDWARD S. WILLETT.....	May 4, 1907.....	Springfield.
The REV. DOUGLASS HENRY ATWILL.....	June 5, 1907.....	By ordination.
The REV. FREDERICK C. O'MEARA.....	April 3, 1908.....	Marquette.
The REV. ROBERT J. BELT.....	May 5, 1908.....	Springfield.
The REV. WM. A. PEARMAN.....	Oct. 8, 1908.....	Southern Ohio.
The REV. GILES H. SHARPLEY.....	Nov. 4, 1908.....	Minnesota.
The REV. C. T. BRADY, L. L. D.....	Nov. 10, 1908.....	Ohio.
The REV. JAY C. HATHAWAY.....	Dec. 15, 1908.....	Chicago.
The REV. SILAS C. WALTON.....	Dec. 16, 1908.....	Quincy.

## List of the Clergy

CANONICALLY RESIDENT IN THE DIOCESE OF KANSAS CITY.

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### BISHOP.

THE RIGHT REVEREND EDWARD ROBERT ATWILL, D. D.

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### PRIESTS.

- The REV. DOUGLASS HENRY ATWILL, Rector of Calvary Church, Sedalia.  
 The REV. ROBERT J. BELT, Missionary at West Plains and Mountain Grove.  
 †The REV. CHARLES H. BOHN, Rector of Christ Church, Lexington.  
 †The REV. CYRUS TOWNSEND BRADY, L. L. D., Rector of St. George's Church, Kansas City.  
 †\*The REV. CHARLES F. CARSON, Oklahoma City, Okla.  
 †\*The REV. ASHER P. CROUCH, Kirksville, Mo.  
 The REV. EDWARD HENRY ECKEL, Rector of Christ Church, St. Joseph.  
 The REV. ARTHUR W. FARNUM, Rector of St. Mark's Church, Kansas City.  
 The REV. EDWARD W. FLOWER, Missionary at Amazonia, St. Oswald's and St. Matthias', St. Joseph.  
 The REV. ARTHUR M. GRIFFIN, Rector of Grace Church, Chillicothe.  
 The REV. JAY C. HATHAWAY, Rector of St. Paul's Church, Maryville.  
 The REV. WILLIAM HENRY HAUPT, Independence, Mo.  
 The REV. FREDERICK C. O'MEARA, Rector of Grace Church, Carthage.  
 The REV. WM. A. PEARMAN, Missionary at Clinton and Harrisonville.  
 The REV. JEFFERSON DAVIS RITCHEY, D. D., Rector of St. Paul's Church, Kansas City.  
 The REV. JULIUS A. SCHAAD, Rector of Grace Church, Kansas City.  
 The REV. JAMES SENIOR, Missionary at Lamar and Aurora.  
 The REV. GILES H. SHARPLEY, Curate of Christ Church, St. Joseph.  
 The REV. ROBERT N. SPENCER, Rector of Trinity Church, Kansas City.  
 The REV. J. STEWART-SMITH, Rector of St. Mary's Church, Kansas City.  
 †\*The REV. C. R. STEARNS, Cincinnati, Ohio.  
 The REV. CARL REED TAYLOR, Missionary at St. John's Church, Kansas City.  
 The REV. SILAS C. WALTON, Rector of Christ Church, Boonville.  
 \*The REV. CHARLES ALBERT WEED, Rector of St. Philip's Church, Joplin.  
 The REV. EDWIN BLANCHARD WOODRUFF, Institutional Director of Grace Church, Kansas City.  
 The REV. EDWARD S. WILLETT, Missionary at St. Augustine's, Kansas City.  
 †\*The REV. CECIL P. WILSON, New York.

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\*Not present at Council.

†Not entitled to a seat and vote.

**CANDIDATE FOR PRIEST'S ORDERS.**

HENRY EWING BATCHELLER.

**POSTULANTS.**

DUNCAN WEEKS.

JOHN FREDERICK SLICHTER.

EDWARD HENRY ECKEL, JR.

**LAY READERS.**

MR. H. L. ARNOLD, St. Paul's, Kansas City.  
 MR. C. H. BIGGS, St. Paul's, Kansas City.  
 MR. J. E. COBB, St. Philip's, Joplin.  
 MR. L. T. COLES, St. Augustine's, Kansas City.  
 MR. WILLIAM CORSE, St. John's, Kansas City.  
 MR. W. T. GLEERUP, West Plains.  
 MR. F. A. G. GOMPERS, St. John's, Springfield.  
 MR. WILLIAM EVES, St. John's, Neosho.  
 MR. WALTER A. LANDIS, Christ Church, St. Joseph.  
 MR. P. B. HAMLIN, Grace Church, Brookfield.  
 MR. J. E. HERRIFORD, St. Augustine's, Kansas City.  
 MR. GEORGE T. IRVINE, Christ Church, Boonville.  
 MR. JOSEPH F. LANGTON, St. John's, Kansas City.  
 MR. W. W. MANTZ, All Saint's, West Plains.  
 MR. C. M. MITCHELL, Mountain Grove.  
 MR. EDWARD J. MUMBY, St. Philip's, Joplin.  
 DOCTOR H. M. PETTIT, St. Paul's, Carrollton.  
 MR. PRESTON RANDOLPH, Grace Church, Chillicothe.  
 MR. S. W. RAVENAL, Christ Church, Boonville.  
 MR. M. E. SCHMIDT, Christ Church, Boonville.  
 MR. GEORGE SESSENS, All Saints', West Plains.  
 MR. CHARLES A. SHEPARD, Christ Church, Warrensburg.  
 MR. CURRAN C. SPENCER, St. Philip's, Joplin.  
 MR. JOSEPH K. TUTTLE, Christ Church, Warrensburg.  
 MR. DE FOREST WALMSLEY, Christ Church, St. Joseph.  
 MR. HENRY T. WRIGHT, Trinity, Lebanon.

**SUMMARY.**

Bishop, 1; Priests, 27; Officiating by Permission, 1. Total, 29.  
 Entitled to a seat and vote.....24  
 Candidate for Priests' Orders..... 1  
 Postulants. . . . . 3  
 Lay Readers. . . . .27

## List of Lay Delegates

APPOINTED BY PARISHES AND MISSIONS TO THE NINETEENTH ANNUAL COUNCIL.

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### PARISHES.

*Boonville*—CHRIST CHURCH: \*Samuel W. Ravenell, \*T. I. Irving.

*Carthage*—GRACE: \*H. H. Harding, \*A. M. Drake, \*Ton Davey.

*Joplin*—ST. PHILIPS: \*A. E. Bendelan, \*Hans Malin.

*Kansas City*—GRACE: W. R. Jacques, W. C. Goffe, B. E. Rowe, L. R. Moore, Jr., E. P. Pratt, H. D. Ashley.

ST. GEORGE'S: A. C. Stowell, F. M. Hayward, J. Q. Watkins, B. C. Howard, H. J. S. Seeley.

ST. MARK'S: T. C. Bradley, Alfred Hamlin, Ross Hawkins.

ST. MARY'S: F. H. Cutler, E. C. Hamill, M. G. Harmon, H. R. Schroeder.

ST. PAUL'S: H. L. Arnold, B. B. Lee, T. J. Brodnax, Walton H. Holmes.

TRINITY: Robt. W. Cary, C. H. Childs, J. T. Harding, Albert White, J. E. Long.

*Lexington*—CHRIST CHURCH: \*J. F. Forster.

*Maryville*—ST. PAUL'S: \*Merrill Aldeman.

*St. Joseph*—CHRIST CHURCH: F. A. H. Garlichs, \*L. T. Golding, Horace Stringfellow, F. E. Vancil, \*Horace Wood.

HOLY TRINITY: Chas. Compton.

*Sedalia*—CALVARY: D. H. Smith, \*A. D. Stanley, \*J. W. Mellor.

*Springfield*—CHRIST CHURCH: \*Geo. H. McCann, Jas. Blain, \*H. Z. Williams.

*Springfield*—ST. JOHN'S: \*M. H. Coil, \*Julius Seifert, \*Dr. J. L. Ormsben, \*J. E. Hicks.

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### MISSIONS.

*Clinton*—ST. PAUL'S: H. H. Williams.

*Harrisonville*—ST. PETER'S: J. A. Davis.

*Kansas City*—ST. AUGUSTIN'S: R. T. Coles, W. H. Bousfield.

ST. JOHN'S: B. J. Fradenburg, Jay M. Lee, \*Jos. S. Warrick.

*Lebanon*—TRINITY: E. F. Stebbins.

*Marshall*—TRINITY: Dr. Wm. Harrison.

*Neosho*—ST. JOHN'S: W. F. Eves.

*Stauberry*—TRINITY: \*J. H. Price.

*Webb City*—ST. PAUL'S: Mr. J. E. Cobb.

*West Plains*—ALL SAINTS': \*Joseph Knoerle.

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\*Not present at Council.

# Convocations

## NORTHERN CONVOCATION.

The REV. EDWARD HENRY ECKEL, Dean.

St. Joseph.

### CLERGY.

The REV. A. M. GRIFFIN,

The REV. EDWARD W. FLOWER,

The REV. JAY C. HATHAWAY.

The REV. G. H. SHARPLEY.

### THE COUNTIES OF

Atchison, Holt, Nodaway, Andrew, *Worth*, Gentry, *DeKalb*, Buchanan, Clinton, Platte, Clay, Ray, Caldwell, Daviess, *Harrison*, *Mercer*, Grundy, Livingston, Carroll, Chariton, Linn, *Sullivan*, *Putnam*, and Howard.

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NOTE—Counties in *italics* are those in which no church work is being done.

Population. . . . .	579,071
Area in square miles. . . . .	12,617
Parishes. . . . .	9
Organized Missions. . . . .	12
Clergy. . . . .	5
Unorganized Missions. . . . .	7
Communicants (estimated) . . . . .	1,154



CENTRAL CONVOCATION.

The REV. J. D. RITCHEY, D. D., Dean.  
Kansas City.

CLERGY.

The REV. A. W. FARNUM,	The REV. J. A. SCHAAD.
The REV. C. H. BOHN,	The REV. C. R. TAYLOR,
The REV. S. C. WALTON,	The REV. E. B. WOODRUFF,
The REV. WM. A. PEARMAN,	The REV. J. STEWART-SMITH,
The REV. R. N. SPENCER,	The REV. WM. H. HAUPT.
The REV. C. T. BRADY, L. L. D.,	The REV. EDWD. S. WILLETT.
The REV. D. H. ATWILL,	

THE COUNTIES OF

Jackson, Cass, Bates, Lafayette, Johnson, Henry, *St. Clair*, Saline, Pettis,  
*Benton*, *Hickory*, Cooper, Moniteau, Morgan, *Camden*.

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NOTE—Counties in *italics* are those in which no church work is being done.

Population. . . . .	496,955
Area in square miles. . . . .	10,813
Parishes. . . . .	13
Organized Missions. . . . .	12
Unorganized Missions. . . . .	4
Clergy. . . . .	14
Communicants (estimated) . . . . .	2,832

**SOUTHERN CONVOCATION.**

The REV. CHARLES A. WEED, Dean.  
Joplin.

**CLERGY.**

**THE REV. F. C. O'MEARA.**

The REV. JAMES SENIOR.

The REV. R. J. BELT.

## THE COUNTIES OF

**Vernon, Barton, Jasper, Newton, McDonald, Cedar, Dade, Lawrence, Barry, Polk, Greene, Christian, Stone, Tancy, Dallas, Webster, Douglas, Ozark, Laclede, Wright and Howell.**

NOTE—Counties in *italics* are those in which no church work is being done.

Population. . . . .	467,798
Area in square miles. . . . .	13,076
Parishes. . . . .	5
Organized Missions. . . . .	7
Unorganized Missions. . . . .	5
Clergy. . . . .	4
Communicants (estimated) . . . . .	1,065

## Rules of Order

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1. When the President takes the **chair**, no member shall continue standing, or shall afterwards stand up, **unless** to address the **Chair**.

2. When the President shall have **taken** the chair, the minutes of the preceding day shall be read.

3. Immediately after organization of **the** Council, the following Standing Committees shall be appointed, viz.:

- (1) On the Admission of New Parishes.
- (2) On Constitution and Canons.
- (3) On Unfinished Business.
- (4) On Finance.
- (5) On Assessments.
- (6) On Missions.
- (7) On Christian Education.
- (8) On Sunday School Work.
- (9) On Missionaries' Traveling Expenses.
- (10) On the State of the Church.

4. All Committees shall be appointed by the President, unless otherwise ordered.

5. All resolutions shall be reduced to writing, presented to the Secretary, and by him read; and a motion shall not be considered before the house until recorded.

6. When any member is about to speak, or deliver any matter to the house, he shall, with due respect, address himself to the President, confining himself strictly to the point in debate.

7. A member shall not absent himself from the services of the house unless he have leave or be unable to attend.

8. A member, other than the Chairman of a Committee, whose report is under consideration, shall not speak more than twice in the same debate, nor longer than ten minutes at a time, without leave of the house.

9. Any member of the house may call for a vote by ayes and nays.

10. When a question has once been determined, it shall stand as the judgment of the house, and shall not be again drawn into debate, except on motion for reconsideration, which must be made by a member who had previously voted in the majority, and all motions to reconsider must be made on the day the vote is taken or on the next succeeding day.

11. When a question is under consideration, a motion shall not be received, except to lay on the table, to postpone it to a certain time, to postpone indefinitely, to commit it, to divide it or amend it; and motions for any of these purposes shall have precedence in the order herein named. If a motion to lay an amendment on the table be carried, the matter before the house shall be proceeded with as if no such amendment has been offered. The motions to lay on the table and adjourn

shall be decided without debate. The motion to adjourn shall always be in order.

12. Debate shall not be allowed upon a resolution to refer any motion to a Committee, or to a motion to recommit any subject which has been before a committee, but the member who offers such resolution or motion may speak for five minutes for the purpose of explaining its object.

13. All amendments may be considered in the reverse order in which they are moved. When a proposed amendment is under consideration a motion to amend the same may be made. An after amendment to such second amendment shall not be in order, but when an amendment to an amendment is under consideration, a substitute to the whole may be received. A proposition, different from the one under consideration, shall not be received under color of an amendment or substitute.

14. Every member who may be in the house when any question is put, shall, on a division, be counted, unless he be excused by the Council.

15. All questions of order shall be decided in the first instance by the Chair, without debate; an appeal, however, may be made from this decision to the Council by any member of the same.

16. The Secretary may employ one or more Pages, not exceeding three, to act as messengers during the sessions of the Council.

17. The reports of all Committees shall be in writing, and shall be received, of course, and without motion for acceptance, unless recommitted by vote of the house. All reports recommending or requiring any action or expression of opinion by the house, shall be accompanied by a resolution for the action of the house therein.

18. The names of movers of resolutions shall appear upon the minutes of the Council.

The following Order of Business shall be observed:

10 A. M.—Holy Eucharist and Bishop's Address.

- (1) Roll call of Clergy.
- (2) Roll call of Lay Delegates.
- (3) Election of Secretary.
- (4) Appointment of Standing Committees.
- (5) Report of Committee on Credentials of Lay Delegates.
- (6) Resolutions pertaining to Bishop's Address.
- (7) Report of Committee on Assessment.
- (8) Report of Standing Committee.
- (9) Election of Standing Committee.
- (10) Election of Deputies to General Convention.
- (11) Election of Missionary Board.
- (12) Other Elections.
  - (a) Of Treasurer of the Diocese.
  - (b) Of Chancellor.
  - (c) Of Registrar.
  - (d) Of Trustees of Permanent Episcopal Fund.
  - (e) Of Theological Education Fund.
  - (f) Of Trustees of Disabled Clergy Fund.

## RULES OF ORDER.

- (g) To fill vacancies.
- (13) Report of Treasurer of Diocese.
- (14) Report of Treasurer of Missionary Board.
- (15) Pledges for Missions.
- (16) Reports of Treasurers of various funds.
- (17) Reports of trustees of various funds.
  - (a) Of Permanent Episcopal Fund.
  - (b) Of Theological Education Fund.
  - (c) Of Disabled Clergy Fund.
  - (d) Of Parochial Trust Fund.
  - (e) Of various funds.
- (18) Reports of Committees appointed at previous Council and Resolutions pertaining to same.
- (19) Reports of Special Committees and Resolutions pertaining to same.
- (20) Reports of Standing Committees and action thereon.
- (21) New business.
- (22) Fixing place of meeting of next Council.

19. The Rules of Order shall not be suspended, except by a two-thirds vote of the members present.

## Journal

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### First Day.

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Grace Church, Kansas City, Mo., Tuesday, June 1st, 1909.

This being the place and time appointed for the meeting of the 20th Annual Council of the Diocese of Kansas City. The Right Rev. Edward Robert Atwill, D. D., Bishop of the Diocese, and a number of the Clergy and Laity assembled in Grace Church, Kansas City, Mo., at 10:30 o'clock A. M., for Divine service.

The Holy Communion was celebrated for the Bishop by the Rev. J. A. Schaad, assisted by the Rev. Messrs. Edward Henry Eckel, Gospeler, and J. S. Smith, Epistoler. The Rev. Douglas H. Atwill served as Bishop's Chaplain.

The Bishop delivered the following address:

### THE BISHOP'S ANNUAL ADDRESS.

Dear Brethren of the Clergy and Laity:

For the first time since I became Bishop of this Diocese, I have used the power given me by the Constitution to change both the time and place of the meeting of the Council. With much regret, after having discovered at almost the last moment that we could not rely upon a quorum at Carthage, we decided to abandon the meeting in that delightful city and to forego the generous hospitality we anticipated from its citizens.

The legality of the Bishop's action in making these changes has been duly considered by our Chancellor and declared unquestionable.

We are therefore convened in the See City the guests of Grace and of other parishes here.

The First Council of the Dioceses met here in the early days of June in the year 1890, and in that point of view it seems a happy coincidence that this Twentieth Council meets here in the early days of June in the year 1909.

We are entering upon the Twentieth year of our diocesan life and I am sure you will agree with me in the desire and de-

termination to undertake at this Council some notable work to be developed and completed before our Twentieth anniversary.

May the Holy Spirit inspire and guide us and make it a year of unusual progress and of supreme effort that we may celebrate next spring the accomplishment of something that will definitely promote the progress of the church here where civic conditions are ranking our state among the most favored in the Union.

Before proceeding with my address I will in accordance with very general custom, recall in reverent and loving recognition those of our Bishops who have died since our meeting last year.

The Right Reverend Edward Jennings Knight, D. D., Bishop of Western Colorado, was a young man of great promise and of noble enthusiasm. As Rector of Christ Church, Trenton, New Jersey, and as head of the Associate Mission in that city he had made a notable record. He was consecrated December 19th, 1907. Entering upon his Episcopate with characteristic ardor he proceeded to the visitation of his difficult field and on his final journey walked twelve miles to keep an appointment, his conveyance having broken down.

The Right Reverend George de Normandie Gillespie, D. D., Bishop of Western Michigan, died at the end of an Episcopate of thirty-four years. All who knew him well loved and respected him. In his latter years especially he devoted himself chiefly to his own diocese, with minute care looking after the interests of each parish and mission, but his influence extended far beyond. I remember well on one occasion when a question was being hotly discussed in the House of Bishops and arguments were advanced with unseemly ardor, that he rose in his place and bade his brethren to prayer. When they rose from their knees the light of battle had gone out of their eyes and the spirit of the Master prevailed.

The Right Reverend Henry Codman Potter, D. D., L. L. D., D. C. L., Bishop of New York, graceful, courtly, wise, and gifted with the qualities that make statesmen, was known in his unique personality in America and abroad. Some of his utterances and especially his charges to his clergy, and among his charges pre-eminently that entitled Law and Loyalty, I commend to the study of the clergy of this or any diocese.

Not a Bishop, but a friend of Bishops and chief among the benefactors of the Church, was Mr. George C. Thomas, Treasurer

of the General Board of Missions. It has been frequently said that he gave to the Church not only his money but himself. He was the personal friend of young men, he visited and prayed with the families of his parish when they were in trouble. He was superintendent of a Sunday School made largely through his wisdom and personal attention one of the best in the American Church. Why should there not be men of that sort in this diocese?

And here at home, we miss some who were with us last year. The Reverend E. J. Saphir, a Deacon residing at St. Joseph, retired from active work in the ministry, had served faithfully at St. Oswald's, Savannah, and elsewhere in the diocese. He was born in Jerusalem, and speaking Arabic, he exerted some influence for good among the Orientals in his neighborhood.

The Reverend John King Dunn, had been a priest of this diocese since its erection in 1890. He had been our faithful secretary and registrar since 1895, and was also secretary of the Board of Missions. He was guileless, lovable, devoted to duty. Although stricken with the infirmities that proved fatal, he was busy when I left him last summer upon the Journal of last year's Council. His eyes were dim and his hand trembled as he bent over the tables that summarized the year's work, but he had set his heart upon completing them, and with the aid of his loving wife he did complete them before he died.

Mr. John F. Eaton was ever ready to lend a hand. He was a minute man when the call to service came from his parish, his diocese, or his city. Men turned to him when in need of a messenger to accomplish an end that required diplomacy in its best sense, and the good offices of a brotherly man. For eight years he was Chairman of the Assessment Committee, guiding wisely the division of the burden of diocesan support among the parishes and missions, restoring discontented delegates to amiable assent in the decisions of the committee, discharging with unfailing courtesy and tact the duties of the most difficult post in the council. None had more friends than he—none will be more widely missed. Last year he was Chairman of the Committee to prepare for the Council an appreciation of Mr. Charles A. Kelly and their sorrow for his death. This year someone must discharge that duty for him. So, one by one, they who have stood by our side drop from the ranks, reminding us of the shortness and uncertainty of human life. Let us do well our part while our day



of opportunity sheds its light upon our path, for the night cometh and no man can work.

Letters Dimissory have been granted to the following clergy:

The Reverend Robert Talbot to the Diocese of Washington.

The Reverend Henry Louis Austin Fick to the Diocese of Iowa.

The Reverend John Wilkinson to the Diocese of Missouri.

The Reverend John Barker to the Diocese of Kansas.

The Reverend Daniel G. Mackinnon to the Diocese of Pennsylvania.

The Reverend Andrew Harper, Jr., to the Diocese of Vermont.

The following clergy have been received:

The Reverend J. C. Hathaway from the Diocese of Chicago.

The Reverend W. A. Pearman from the Diocese of Southern Ohio.

The Reverend Cyrus Townsend Brady from the Diocese of Ohio.

The Reverend Silas Cook Walton from the Diocese of Quincy.

The Reverend Giles H. Sharpley from the Diocese of Minnesota.

Within the Diocese the Reverend Robert N. Spencer has resigned St. John's, Springfield, and has become Rector of Trinity Parish, Kansas City. Rev. A. W. Farnum has ceased to be curate in Christ Church, St. Joseph, and has become rector of St. Marks, Kansas City.

Mr. John Frederick Slichter and Mr. Edward Henry Eckel, Jr., have applied to be received as postulants, and it has given me pleasure to accept them.

The general canon "Of the duties of Bishops requires me to make at this time a statement of the affairs of the diocese since our last meeting, to give you the names of the churches that I have visited, the number of persons confirmed, the names of those who have been received as candidates for Holy Orders, and of those who have been ordained, of those who have been by me suspended or deposed from the ministry, the changes by death, removal or otherwise, which have taken place among the clergy, and all matters tending to throw light upon the affairs of the Diocese." I quote these provisions of the canon for the benefit of laymen who may ask why one of the features of our Council is always this address by the Bishop.

The following is my Journal giving in detail the report of official acts.

### **Bishop's Journal.**

*May 12-13*—In attendance upon the Annual Council of the Diocese.

*May 14*—Annual meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions.

*May 24*—At St. John's, Kansas City, I confirmed ten. At St. Augustine's, Kansas City, I confirmed fourteen.

*May 17*—Preached the "Flower Sermon" in the Cathedral in St. Louis.

*June 7*—In St. Paul's, Kansas City, I confirmed twenty-seven.

*June 10*—I officiated at a wedding in Kansas City.

*June 11*—In Grace Church, Kansas City, I confirmed five and addressed them.

Some appointments abandoned on account of illness.

During July and August I officiated on Sundays at Northport Point, Michigan.

*October 18*—In attendance upon the Sunday School Institute.

*October 27*—I officiated at a wedding in Nevada.

*October 28*—Visited Butler and made arrangements for services.

*October 31*—To West Plains. Called on the people.

*November 1*—I celebrated the Holy Communion and preached. Confirmed four and addressed them.

At Mountain Grove I preached and met the people. New lot for a church has been purchased.

*November 5*—Presided at meeting of the Missionary Board. Licensed Messrs. Curran C. Spencer and Edwin J. Mumby Lay Readers at St. Phillip's, Joplin.

*November 7*—To Butler. Make calls.

*November 8*—At Butler I celebrated the Holy Communion and preached.

*November 12*—At St. Oswald's, I confirmed three and addressed them.

*November 15*—At Clinton I preached and confirmed nine.

*November 25*—I officiated at a wedding in Kansas City.

*November 29*—At Sedalia I preached, confirmed ten and addressed them. Preached in the evening.

*December 6*—At St. John's, Kansas City, I preached, confirmed five and addressed them. In the afternoon visited St. John's Mission and addressed them. In the evening I visited St. Augustine's Mission, confirmed four and addressed them.

*December 9*—I renewed the Lay Reader's license for Mr. Wm. F. Eves at Neosho.

*December 13*—I visited St. Phillip's, Joplin, and preached. In the afternoon I preached at Webb City and confirmed one. In the evening at Carthage I dedicated the organ, pulpit and chancel rail. I preached, confirmed ten and addressed them.

*December 16*—At Boonville I instituted the Reverend Silas Cook Walton and preached.

*December 20*—I visited Trinity, Lebanon, celebrated the Holy Communion and preached. In the evening at St. John's, Springfield, I preached, confirmed eleven and addressed them.

*December 25*—At St. George's, Kansas City, I celebrated the early and mid-day Communion, read morning prayer and preached.

*December 27*—At Butler I took part in the service and preached.

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*January 2*—To Springfield, conference about conditions there.

*January 3*—At Mountain Grove I celebrated the Holy Communion and preached. Conferred with the people about the proposed new church; conditions very encouraging.

*January 5-7*—In attendance upon the meetings of the Missionary Department of the Southwest. Took part in some of the services and made an address upon our Diocese.

*January 10*—At St. George's, Kansas City, I took the early Communion service, the mid-day service and the sermon.

*January 11*—Attended the meeting of our Diocesan Church Club and made an address.

*January 16*—To Harrisonville. Called upon most of the people.

*January 17*—At Harrisonville I celebrated the Holy Communion and preached.

*January 22*—I licensed Mr. F. A. G. Gumphers, Lay Reader in the Parish of St. John's, Springfield.

*January 24*—At Liberty I celebrated the Holy Communion and preached.

*January 25 to 28*—Presided at the Mid-winter Convocation of the Clergy of the Diocese in Kansas City.

*January 29*—At a meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions I celebrated the Holy Communion.

*January 31*—At Monett I celebrated the Holy Communion, preached, and confirmed one. In the evening I preached at Aurora.

*February 1*—To Lebanon to prepare for celebrating Twenty-first Anniversary of the Consecration of the Church.

*February 2*—In Lebanon I celebrated Holy Communion, took part in the services and made an address.

*February 11*—Presided at a meeting of the Directors of St. Luke's Hospital.

*February 12*—I added Mr. McLean to the Committee of St. Paul's, Clinton.

*February 14*—At St. Paul's, Maryville, I instituted Reverend J. C. Hathaway, Rector of the Parish, and preached. In the evening I preached at Stanberry.

*February 16*—I made an address at the Missionary Meeting in Kansas City.

*February 21*—At Brookfield I celebrated the Holy Communion and preached. In the evening at Chillicothe I preached and confirmed four.

*February 28*—At Lexington I celebrated the Holy Communion and preached.

*February 5*—Celebrated the Holy Communion at Richmond and confirmed one.

*February 7*—At Warrensburg I read the service, celebrated the Holy Communion and preached. In the afternoon service and sermon.

*February 8*—I licensed Mr. H. T. Wright, Lay Reader at Lebanon.

*February 10*—At St. Joseph I conferred with the Vestry of Holy Trinity about plans for the services.

*March 4*—At Higginsville I read service and preached.

*March 7*—At Boonville I preached, confirmed twelve and addressed them.

*March 10*—At Grace Church, Kansas City, I made an address in the evening, preached at St. Paul's.

*March 14*—At Trenton I celebrated the Holy Communion and preached. In the evening I read service and preached at Cameron.

*March 16*—At Fayette I preached, confirmed two and addressed them.

*March 17*—I preached in Sedalia.

*March 18*—I dedicated a room in St. Luke's Hospital.

*March 21*—I preached at St. Mark's, Kansas City, and confirmed one.

*March 22*—I licensed Mr. J. E. Hereford, Lay Reader at St. Augustine's, Kansas City.

*March 28*—At St. John's, Springfield, I read service and preached. In the evening at Christ Church I preached, confirmed six and addressed them.

*March 29*—At Mountain Grove I preached, confirmed four and addressed them.

*March 30*—At West Plains I preached, confirmed five and addressed them.

*April 2*—I licensed Joseph F. Langton Lay Reader at St. John's, Kansas City. Addressed the Guild of St. Paul's Kansas City.

*April 4*—At Sedalia I celebrated the Holy Communion, preached, and confirmed two. In the evening at Warrensburg I read service and preached.

*April 7*—At St. Paul's, Kansas City, I read service and made an address. In the evening at St. Augustine's, Kansas City, I preached, confirmed nine and addressed them.

*April 11*—At Neosho I celebrated the Holy Communion, preached twice, baptized one in private, confirmed six and addressed them.

*April 15*—At Independence I read service, preached, confirmed four and addressed them.

*April 17*—I appointed the Committee for St. John's, Kansas City, and licensed Mr. George Sessens Lay Reader at West Plains.

*April 18*—At Christ Church, St. Joseph, I addressed the Sunday School, made a separate address for the Primary Department, celebrated the Holy Communion, preached, confirmed eight, and addressed them. In the afternoon at St. Mathias' Mission I preached, confirmed two and addressed them. In the evening at Holy Trinity I preached and confirmed two.

*April 25*—At Trinity, Kansas City, I confirmed seven and addressed them. In the evening at Grace Church I preached, confirmed eighteen and addressed them.

*April 28*—At Plattsburg I preached and confirmed one.

*April 29*—At Plattsburg I celebrated the Holy Communion and baptized two.

*May 2*—At Independence I celebrated the Holy Communion and preached. At St. George's I made two addresses, confirmed twenty-one.

*May 7*—At Cameron I made an address, baptized six.

*May 9*—At Cameron I confirmed two, celebrated the Holy Communion and preached.

*May 11*—I presided at a meeting of the Directors of St. Luke's Hospital.

*May 12*—At Grace Church, Kansas City, I confirmed one.

I have since the last Council visited all the parishes and organized missions except four, where the appointments were changed for good reasons to later dates. In several places I have gone two, three or four times as occasion required.

I have found the conditions in the diocese more encouraging than in the past, the people waking up to their responsibilities, new enterprises undertaken, more effort on the part of some mission congregations to help themselves. Parishes putting their shoulders to the wheels in dead earnest.

Looking out upon the field in the several convocations we perceive that many of them are well cared for and fruitful, although some suffer for lack of husbandmen, and some are improving themselves, without much culture.

In the Northern Convocation the people of Christ Church, St. Joseph, are rejoicing because the Rector was not lured away by the attractive appointment offered him. His energetic, systematic and godly administration stimulates his own parish, the work in St. Joseph and the whole Convocation. St. Luke's, South St. Joseph, have purchased a lot for \$3,000.00, in a most favorable site and are preparing to build a church.

Maryville has now its own Rector, who is making it a center for energetic work in neighboring towns.

Rev. A. M. Griffin has begun work at Braymer under most encouraging auspices.

In the Missionary Circuit embracing Cameron, Trenton and Plattsburg we note decided progress and a clergyman has accepted the appointment as Missionary.

At Liberty the Mission for several years dormant has revived, new life has come with new people. A lot has been purchased and a church is to be built.

At Chillicothe, additional lots have been purchased giving the parish a splendid property and improvements have been made.

We have good hope of the Central Convocation under its new Dean, the Reverend Doctor Ritchey. The Parish of Calvary, Sedalia, is harmonious, progressing and all is going well. The Parish of Christ Church, Boonville, under its new Rector is gathering itself for a forward movement. The Rectory is to be enlarged, the church building to be improved and there are abundant indications of spiritual growth. The Parish of Grace Church, Kansas City, has received costly and beautiful memorials. The pulpit, in memory of Mr. W. B. Clarke, for years our

courteous diocesan treasurer, a Rood screen in memory of Mr. A. R. Meyer, noted in his lifetime for his generosity and public spirit, the chapel altar in memory of Mr. John F. Eaton, to whom we have already referred.

Most gratifying also is the neighborhood congregation attracted by the wise administration of the Reverend J. A. Schaad, and the Institutional work at Grace Hall under the charge of Rev. E. B. Woodruff. The parish has passed through a crisis. Few men could have retained the loyal devotion of former generous parishoners and also have gathered new recruits from the neighborhood that has suffered such a remarkable change. By the blessing of God the Rector has accomplished this.

St. Paul's made a noble offering toward the payment of the debt and plans are maturing for the establishment of a mission.

Trinity Parish having been relieved of part of its obligation to the Church Building Fund Commission has bravely set out to pay the balance and its debt. The new Rector was greeted with enthusiasm and is leading on his people wisely and well.

St. Mark's has not as some thought gone into a decline. It is well and happy. Eastertide brought them many encouragements and it is a very active member of the church family.

St. John's, before emerging itself from the missionary stage, has established a mission of its own and is fruitful in all good works.

The Rector of St. Mary's from the massive and beautiful tower of his church will need a strong glass to discern the distant homes to which his parishoners have fled, but the good work goes on, and the Parish thanks God, and takes courage because they have not lost their leader.

St. George's has surprised itself and its friends by the latent force already brought out and its courage in undertaking great things for the future.

In St. Augustine's Mission I have confirmed at three visitations twenty-eight candidates. There are other encouraging indications in the work among the colored people of Kansas City, and I commend them in their efforts most heartily to the benevolence of our church people.

Now, having noted the encouragements in the See City, may I ask our clergy, church men and church women here to suffer the word of exhortation. Ye have done well, but I would that ye abound more and more. Our city has gone forward since the

diocese was organized by leaps and bounds. The population has twice doubled, the city has now a larger area than the city of Boston. Its bank clearings rank it fifth among the cities. Its business radiates into an agricultural region as fertile as any on the globe. The population settles down here and there in the new suburbs like the wild birds on the ponds in autumn. Today all is quiet. Tomorrow the noise of multitudinous life. He is watchful indeed whose knowledge keeps pace with the growth of the new neighborhoods. The Church has been taken by surprise. Our preparations are inadequate to watch over and gather in, our own people coming from the farms, coming from the smaller towns. Some of them are lost in the highways and byways of the city. I met not long ago a young woman whom with others I confirmed several years ago in a small town. They live here now and I said "Where do you go to church?" She said, "we belong to no parish." I fear there are hundreds of the same sort. The clergy have tried to watch for them. Grace Church has invited them to make themselves known there. The Rector of St. Paul's has invited them to make themselves known there. The Rector of St. Mark's has published a request that they report their names to him that he may bring them in touch with the nearest parish. Still many of them are lost to the Church.

Several years ago I recommended the planting of a cordon of Sunday Schools extending through the suburbs of the city within a child's walking distance of each other. I still think it desirable. We do not need new parishes until those we have are stronger in members and means, but those little out-lying missions each with a Sunday School and some services would catch in the meshes of the net many who now escape. To care for those missions we would need a city missionary, responsible as our other missionaries are to the Bishop and to the Missionary Board.

More than a year ago, I called together the clergy and delegates of each congregation in the city to form a Church Extension League for Kansas City. Some meetings were held, committees were appointed to search for locations for new missions and to solicit funds. Conditions not being quite favorable for the prosecution of that work the League has taken a too-long vacation, but I still hope for good results from it.

I have dwelt on the work in Kansas City not in a spirit of boasting but because the whole diocese is interested in it. To

strengthen the center is to provide for your people who drift in hither, and to provide better for the maintenance of our missions without. Much that I have said of the work in Kansas City is also true of the work in St. Joseph.

In the Southern Convocation the Rector of St. Phillip's, Joplin, is making a thrilling effort to complete his new church, that his parish may be properly equipped to take its place among the forty thousand people of that thriving mining city. I know of no more heroic effort, in spite of the instability of his congregation and in face of difficulties that would have dismayed a less courageous man, he has persisted, and seems on the eve of success.

At Carthage the Rector reports about \$8,000.00 given during the conciliar year for material improvements, they have a new organ, a new parish house, other new equipments and best of all new interests, new spirit, new life.

At other points in these three Convocations, while there may be no extraordinary events to chronicle all is going quietly and well under our faithful and efficient clergy. More might be done had we more means at our command and more clergy, for the opportunity is here. We need especially an arch-deacon. In dioceses bordering upon our own, in Kansas, in Arkansas, in Missouri, and others, the arch-deacons are considered indispensable, and here, where the conditions are similiar, our force should be re-inforced by a wise, energetic clergyman who would search for our scattered people, instruct and build up our small congregations and prepare for the visitation of the Bishop. In some instances the Bishop has to be his own advance agent, going before the regular visitation to awaken the people, to make arrangements for the choir, dust the altar, clean the church, duties not enumerated in the order for the consecration of the Bishop.

To provide appropriations for dependent congregations and an arch deacon we should place in the treasury of the Missionary Board for the current year sixty-five hundred dollars. To insure this amount there must be not only generous parochial pledges, but unusually large pledges by wealthy individuals. How shall we secure them? By more searching and individual labor than can be made at the Missionary Session of the Council, when very few indeed of those able to make large gifts are present. By some method, we must bring knowledge concerning our missions and their needs to the individual, and persuade the individual to



lend a hand. This end can only be accomplished when the clergy take pains to inform their people concerning the work, or when they welcome some authorized representative of the Board who visits the parish to tell about the work to be done and to take pledges. But the clergyman's interest is divided between two; his parish is building a church, paying a debt, or undertaking some work of local importance. He has difficulty in securing all he needs for that. He recognizes his duty to the missionary work in the diocese, but shall he say much about it? Will not his people if incited to missionary zeal and gifts lag in their interest in the church or the rectory or in paying the debt? Well, brethren, it is not easy to overcome this apprehension and to enter without reserve upon the campaign for a church extension, and, not only the clergy stand at the parish gates, but there are the watchful wardens, the cautious treasurers and the vigilant vestrymen. Many a time having canvassed the parish, they have found it most difficult to gather funds. They, too, look askance at the advocate of church extension.

All honor to the laymen who give their time and thought to the financing of the parish, but after all, the fear less a strong interest in church extension should diminish the receipts of the parish treasury is not well founded. Experience proves the opposite. Parochial prosperity keeps pace with the growth of interest in church extension. Church extension is God's work, for which every parish exists. "Give and it shall be given unto you." It is high time that the people of this great diocese rise to take up with thankfulness to Almighty God the splendid work that this field offers and claims. The wise course in matters relating to the church is illustrated by the thrift and wisdom of men who succeed in material affairs. In the north part of this diocese on the Iowa border is an immense and prosperous ranch. The owner of that ranch, beginning life in poverty, is now a millionaire. His policy has been always to purchase the best machinery, to employ the best men, to carry on his affairs with all the newest improvements. This means the outlay of large sums of money, but the liberal expenditure has brought the princely return. Had he carried on his business in a small way he would have been a small farmer still. The same rule holds in dioceses. As long as we farm in a small way the results will be meagre. When we, without losing sight of wise economies, set about the work on a large scale it will begin to give such returns that it

will develop itself. We have the field, our people easily make large donations to any object that appeals to them. Why should not the development of this diocese appeal to them? I am sure it will if it is brought home to them. I appeal to the clergy to bring it before them by reading portions of the Bishop's address which otherwise reaches very few, and by subordinating parochial interests and conditions to the broader interests of the whole diocese.

### **The Church Club.**

The Church Club, diocesan in its scope, was organized to bring the churchmen of the diocese together for mutual acquaintance and good fellowship, and that by listening from time to time to speakers whose broad culture, theological acquirements, or experience in the mission fields qualified them to instruct, the men might get knowledge and enthusiasm that would train them to be more efficient in their parishes. Whether or not it would be wise for the club to take up definite work other than this has been frequently debated. Some attempts have been made by the club for the support of a diocesan missionary and for the support of noon-day meetings during Lent, but it was finally decided that it would be better for it to return to its original plan, leaving to some other organization the gathering of funds for any specific undertaking. The new president of the Church Club has in mind some plans for corporate work that may engage the attention of the men and be fruitful in good results.

### **St. Luke's Hospital.**

St. Luke's Hospital was described at some length in my address last year. I must again remind you, however, that it is distinctly a church hospital doing as much charitable work as its income permits, that it is not a Kansas City institution, but the child of the diocese, upon which the interests and gifts of every part of the diocese should be concentrated. Many patients come from outside Kansas City, and sometimes so much charitable work has been done for patients from other parts of the diocese that it has caused remark. I ask for gifts and bequests therefore, not only from Kansas City but from St. Joseph and Joplin, from West Plains and Maryville, and from all parts of the diocese. There have been some donations from other people but Kansas City hitherto has given more than all. It is right that Kansas City should give generously to this noble institution for it is able to

do it. But others too should have their share in this good work. The hospital is gradually but surely developing and gaining favor among physicians and the people. It has the best nurses in the city. Plans are now being made for an enlargement of the building that will about double its capacity.

### **The Diocese of Kansas City.**

This is the name of our new diocesan paper. An excellent monthly designed to convey to each reader news from all the parishes. In it are published tables showing the amount contributed by each congregation for our diocesan missions, and on the assessments made. The Woman's Auxillary to the Board of Missions has its page. The Bishop has his. By a novel plan originating with one of our clergy, space is taken for each congregation and for each department to be paid for in bulk, so that the paper is not dependent upon the subscriptions of individuals, but is on a much more satisfactory financial basis.

### **Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions.**

This has been always one of the most satisfactory of our organizations, and now has more members enrolled than ever before. New interest has been awakened by the efficient work of the traveling secretary and new branches are springing up. While, as the name indicates, the society is primarily auxiliary to the Board of Missions our own great needs and the small appropriation from the Board have been indulgently allowed to excuse considerable contributions for our own field through the Bishop's purse. In this way clergy have been kept at some posts who would have been driven away by the needs of their families. Some mission doors have been opened that would have remained closed. Some congregations have been stimulated by timely donations, to pay debts that would have discouraged them.

I commend you as deserving more of our interest and help than it has received in the past the work among deaf mutes. The deaf mute mission of the Holy Spirit has for several years occupied Grace Church, Kansas City, but the missionary residing in St. Louis and having a school there was not able to devote as much time as he thought necessary.

The Reverend J. M. Koehler, an excellent clergyman of large experience, has now become general missionary of the western Church Mission to deaf mutes, and will make his home in this diocese. I ask for him your sympathy and generous gifts.

The General Pension Fund Commission of the Church in America has undertaken to raise \$5,000.00 for the automatic pensioning of the clergy at the age of sixty-four, and prior thereto if incapacitated for service by accident or diseases incurred in the discharge of duty.

We have a committee in this diocese to promote this most desirable object, of which the Reverend Edward Henry Eckel is chairman. They should have the hearty cooperation of our clergy and laity in the effort to place our diocese abreast of other dioceses in the same class in the furtherance of the good work.

The New York Bible and Common Prayer Book Society celebrated on April 14th of this year the end of its first century of achievement. Its work has been of a more general character than its name indicates, for every diocese has received gifts of books from it. It has, during the century distributed four millions of copies of the Bible and Prayer Book, this diocese having been the recipient of large donations. I suggest that in recognition of their bountiful appropriations an offering be sent to the society from each of our congregations during the present year.

The General Board of Missions grants us aid for our work among white and colored people; and we should contribute more generously than we have done in the past to help on the grand efforts for church extension in all the world. I am ashamed of some of our congregations who have given little or nothing. I am ashamed of some of the clergy who from year to year never lift their voices to tell their people about the labors of their brethren in the mission fields, or to make a definite, ringing appeal for sympathy, prayers and money.

Whitsuntide is here with its story of power from on High; its story of the young church springing into life and good works; its story of the men filled with the Holy Ghost who spake with other tongues as the Spirit gave them utterance. To each of us my brethren of the clergy a solemn voice said one day, "Receive the Holy Ghost for the Office and work of a Priest," to one the voice said, "Receive the Holy Ghost for the Office and work of a Bishop." Over each of you my brethren of the laity the Bishop said as he laid his hands upon your head, "Defend, O, Lord, this Thy child with Thy heavenly grace," and to you then the Holy Ghost was given for the work of a layman in the Church of God. Should not this gift produce fruits similar to those evident of the Day of Pentecost, the uplifting and inspiration of life, devotion

to the cause of Christ, the missionary spirit, deeply anxious for the salvation of the world, willing to spend and be spent for this, willing to give and to pray for this?

Let us indeed take heed that we neglect not the gift that is in us for in that is the secret of compelling power, of world-wide evangelization. Going forth as men filled with the Holy Ghost we shall go forth to conquer, to carry forward the banners of the Prince of Peace.

Confirmations.

Boonville. . . . .	12	Clinton. . . . .	9
Brunswick. . . . .	1	St. Augustine's, Kansas City..	27
Carthage. . . . .	11	St. John's, Kansas City.....	15
Chillicothe. . . . .	4	Monett. . . . .	1
Fayette. . . . .	2	Mountain Grove. . . . .	4
Independence. . . . .	4	Neosho. . . . .	6
Grace, Kansas City.....	26	St. Oswald's. . . . .	3
St. Mark's, Kansas City.....	4	Plattsburgh. . . . .	1
St. Paul's, Kansas City.....	27	Richmond. . . . .	1
Trinity, Kansas City.....	7	St. Matthias, St. Joseph.....	4
Christ Church, St. Joseph.....	10	St. Luke's, St. Joseph.....	1
Holy Trinity, St. Joseph.....	2	Webb City. . . . .	1
Sedalia. . . . .	12	West Plains. . . . .	9
St. John's, Springfield.....	11		
Christ Church, Springfield....	6		208

At the close of Divine service the Bishop took the chair and called the Council to order at Grace Church Guild Hall. The roll of clerical and lay delegates was called, and Secretary Woodruff declared a quorum present.

The Rev. Carl Reed Taylor was unanimously elected secretary. The secretary appointed the Rev. E. B. Woodruff and Mr. W. F. Eves as assistants.

It was moved by Jay M. Lee that the Bishop be requested to appoint a committee of three to consider that portion of the Bishop's address relating to St. Luke's Hospital. Seconded and carried.

The Bishop appointed as such committee, Jay M. Lee, J. Q. Watkins and M. G. Harman.

The Rev. E. H. Eckel moved that a committee of three be appointed to prepare suitable resolutions on the deaths of Rev. Messrs. John K. Dunn, Edward J. Saphir and Mr. John F. Eaton. Seconded and carried.

The Bishop appointed Rev. E. H. Eckel, Rev. J. A. Schaad and Mr. F. M. Hayward.

It was moved by the Rev. A. W. Farnum that—

*Whereas*, Canon 52, Article VIII, Section 3, requires that every parish and congregation of this Church shall make at least one annual offering for the necessary work conducted by the Board of Missions, and

*Whereas*, on the back of the Journal of Council of this Diocese such offerings are designated as "recommended but not obligatory." Be it

*Resolved*, that the Secretary of the Diocese in printing the Journal of this Council be instructed to state that an offering for General Missions is obligatory by the terms of Canon 52 of the General Convention.

Seconded and carried.

The Rev. E. B. Woodruff read the following report of the Standing Committee for 1909:

The Standing Committee has held three meetings during the year, June 15, October 15, and December 31, 1908.

Canonical consent was given to the Consecration of the Bishop Coadjutor-elect of Virginia, the Bishop-elect of Delaware and the Bishop-elect of Washington.

E. B. WOODRUFF,  
*Secretary.*

#### REPORT OF THE PAROCHIAL TRUST FUND.

The Trustees of the Parochial Trust Fund have held one meeting during the year to grant permission to Christ Church, Springfield, to execute a note for \$450.00.

The following resolution was passed by the Council of 1908:

*Resolved*, That the Trustees of the Parochial Trust Fund of the Diocese be and the same are hereby authorized and directed to clear up the titles and to secure the legal transfer to this Diocese of Church properties within its limits, that are now regarded as belonging to the Diocese of Missouri.

In accordance with that restriction, I have corresponded with the Secretary of the Parochial Trust Fund of the Diocese of Missouri and he asserts that a resolution was passed authorizing the transfer of all titles at the division of the Diocese. He also says that he has no deeds, abstracts or other papers belonging to the limits of the new Diocese, and that while there is no record of any transfers in his minutes, yet the lack of any papers shows that the resolution was obeyed.

I find the following properties of which we have descriptions or titles:

Atchison County. In E. R. Atwill.

Brookfield. Deed from P. T. F. of Mo. to the P. T. F. of West Mo., which seems to be the only transfer of title which we have.

Carrollton.

Fayette. Deed to Bishop Tuttle and successors.

Harrisonville.

Kansas City. St. Mark's. Deed to Bishop Tuttle and his successors.

Lamar.

Lec's Summit. To local trustees.

Lexington. Deed to lot next to the Church.

Mansfield.

Neosho. To J. E. Rathell, Warden.

Richmond.

Springfield. St. John's Church. Quit claim deed and deed of trust.

Trenton. To local trustees.

Webb City. Abstract.

Marshall reports title in P. T. F. but we have no deed or abstract.

West Plains reports title in the Bishop.

The following missions and small parishes make no report of title as required in the parochial reports: Blackburn, Butler, Cameron, Clinton, Hamilton, Independence, Monett, Plattsburg, Pleasant Hill, St. Joseph (St. Mathias), Savannah, Utica.

The Secretary suggests that the Council authorize any expense incurred in tracing down the title to every piece of property owned by any parish or mission in the Diocese and that when the proper descriptions and titles have been found they shall be recorded in a property book. We shall then have our titles listed accurately to date and all future purchases can be recorded and any property information for the whole Diocese will be readily at hand.

*Resolved*, That the Council authorize the Trustees of the Parochial Trust Fund to incur any legitimate expense in finding the descriptions and titles of all Church property in the Diocese and that they be instructed to record all titles and descriptions in a property book for the use of the Diocese.

The Chair then appointed the following:

#### STANDING COMMITTEES.

##### *On the Admission of New Parishes.*

Rev. C. H. Bohn.

Rev. R. J. Belt.

##### *On Constitution and Canons.*

Rev. E. H. Eckel.

J. T. Harding.

Rev. J. A. Schaad.

H. D. Ashley.

Rev. C. A. Weed.

James Blain.

##### *On Unfinished Business.*

Rev. E. W. Flower.

Ben. C. Howard.

##### *On Finance.*

A. C. Stowell.

T. J. Brodnax.

##### *On Assessments.*

W. C. Goffe.

C. H. Childs.

H. L. Arnold.

James Blain.

Horace Stringfellow.

D. H. Smith.

##### *On Missions.*

Rev. E. B. Woodruff.

Rev. D. H. Atwill.

Rev. J. C. Hathaway.

*On Christian Education.*

Rev. A. M. Griffin.

Rev. William H. Haupt.

*On Sunday School Work.*

Rev. C. R. Taylor.

Rev. A. W. Farnum.

*On Missionaries' Traveling Expenses.*

Rev. James Senior.

Rev. F. C. O'Meara.

*On the State of the Church.*

Rev. J. Stewart Smith.

Rev. W. A. Pearman.

Rev. G. H. Sharpley.

On motion the Council took a recess until 2 p. m.

**2:00 P. M.**

The Council re-assembled.

The Council proceeded to the election of the Standing Committee with the following nominations:

Rev. J. A. Schaad.

Rev. J. D. Ritchey, D.D.

Rev. E. H. Eckel.

Rev. J. S. Smith.

Rev. C. R. Taylor.

J. T. Harding.

A. C. Stowell.

L. T. Golding.

B. J. Fradenburg.

The Chair appointed as Tellers for the Clerical Vote:

Rev. F. C. O'Meara.

Rev. A. W. Farnum.

As Tellers for the Lay Vote:

Ben C. Howard.

W. F. Eves.

A ballot having been cast, the following were declared elected:

Rev. Messrs. J. D. Ritchey, D.D., and E. H. Eckel.

Messrs. J. T. Harding and A. C. Stowell.

**FIRST BALLOT.****Clerical Vote.**

Rev. J. A. Schaad.....13

J. T. Harding.....14

Rev. J. D. Ritchey.....11

A. C. Stowell.....13

Rev. E. H. Eckel.....10

L. T. Golding.....12

Rev. J. S. Smith..... 7

B. J. Fradenburg..... 3

Rev. C. R. Taylor..... 4

**Lay Vote.**

Rev. J. A. Schaad..... 9

J. T. Harding.....25

Rev. J. D. Ritchey.....17

A. C. Stowell.....24

Rev. E. H. Eckel.....20

L. T. Golding.....15

Rev. J. S. Smith.....26

B. J. Fradenburg.....16

Rev. C. R. Taylor..... 2



On motion of Rev. E. H. Eckel the following resolution was carried:

*Whereas*, By the removal of the Rev. Robert Talbot from the Diocese of Kansas City in March of this year to become Rector of St. Paul's Parish, Washington, D. C., this Diocese has lost a priest whose whole ministry from the time of his ordination, January 22, 1882, up to the time of this change, a period of twenty-seven years, was spent in the one Diocese, namely, the Diocese of Missouri, till its division in 1889, and the Diocese of Kansas City since then; therefore

*Resolved*, That this Council place upon record its appreciation of the genial and helpful personality of the Rev. Mr. Talbot; of his faithful and successful ministry as the first Rector of Trinity Parish, Kansas City; and especially of his long and valued services as President of the Standing Committee, member of the Missionary Board, Clerical Deputy to the General Convention, and upon many important committees during the quarter of a century of his connection with the Diocese; and that we take this occasion to express to him our hearty Godspeed in the work of his new field of labor.

The Rev. J| A. Schaad gave notice that he would present the following amendment to Canon X tomorrow:

Proposed addition to Canon X to be known as Section 6. "Whenever a parish which has been admitted into union with the Council shall for three consecutive years fall below the minimum numerical and financial strength which is canonically required for admission into the union with the Council it shall, *ipso facto*, be placed upon the Ecclesiastical and Canonical basis of a mission.

"The Bishop and Standing Committee, acting together and upon official reports, shall be and hereby are empowered to decide when such conditions exist, and they shall give written notice of their decision to the parish effected thereby.

"Nothing in this section shall be construed so as in any way to effect title to property or the chartered rights given to parishes by the State."

Read and referred to Committee on Constitution and Canons.

The Rev. E. H. Eckel gave notice that he would introduce the following Amendments to Article XV and Canon XIX:

#### ARTICLE XV.

SECTION 2. The Council shall have power to fix by Canon the terms and conditions upon which any parish or mission may be forever released from the whole or a part of its annual assessment for the Diocesan Fund.

#### CANON XIX.

SECTION 5. Any parish or mission which shall have contributed any sum of money or securities to the Permanent Episcopal Fund of the Diocese, or in whose name or for the benefit of which parish or mission any such sum of money or securities shall have been contributed by any person, guild or other donor, shall be credited upon the amount of its annual assessment with the actual net income derived from the investment of

said funds; and the same shall forever accrue to the benefit of said parish or mission, and be applied to the Diocesan Fund of the Diocese in which said parish or mission may be.

In the event of a division of the Diocese, the whole amount of the principal sum or sums thus given to the Permanent Episcopal Fund of the Diocese shall, without division or diminution, be transferred to the Permanent Episcopal Fund of the Diocese in which said parish or mission may be after said division of the Diocese.

Read and referred to the Committee on Constitution and Canons.

The Rev. E. H. Eckel introduced the following report:

### **REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON DIOCESAN SEAL.**

As recited in last year's report of progress, the Committee on Diocesan Seal was first appointed in 1906, on motion of the Rev. Mr. Neville, to "Select a design for an official seal for the Diocese of Kansas City," and was authorized to "employ an expert on seals," if necessary, "his services to be paid for by the Diocese."

Your committee has carried out its instructions, and herewith presents to the Council as part of its report (1) a water-color design for adoption as the official coat of arms of the Diocese, and (2) a black-and-white design for adoption as the official seal of the Diocese.

We were fortunate in securing the expert services of Mr. Pierre de Chaignon La Rose of Cambridge, Mass., the colleague of Mr. R. A. Cram, of the firm of Cram, Goodhue & Furguson, of Boston, who has described him as "perhaps the greatest authority on ecclesiastical heraldry, certainly in America." Mr. La Rose is the designer of the arms and seals officially adopted by the Dioceses of Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Pennsylvania, Harrisburg, Lexington, Oregon, Quincy, Springfield, Cuba and some others.

The technical blazon of the coat of arms herewith submitted would be "Azure, between, in chief, a crescent argent, and, in flanks, two pendent ears of maize leaved and slipped, or, a pairle of the second, thereon four crosses gules."

An excerpt from one of the artist's letters will explain the significance of the design in untechnical language, as follows:

"My first desire was, if possible, to introduce some symbol from the arms of the State of Missouri, which consist (apart from the impalement of the United States arms) of a crescent on a blue field, in chief, and a bear on a red field, in base. I have chosen the crescent, (1) because by its position 'in chief' it is the more important figure heraldically; (2) because it has a religious significance on an ecclesiastical coat, being one of the symbols of the Blessed Virgin Mary; (3) because the bear has little ecclesiastical meaning, except as a symbol of St. Bernard or of the animals which devoured the revilers of the prophet.

"Looking at the map of Missouri it struck me as interesting to note that at Kansas City the Missouri and Kansas rivers meet in the form of an heraldic charge, viz., the 'pairle' (or pall) Y. This as an heraldic charge should not be confused with the actual pallium which appears on

the arms of the see of Canterbury, which last is the pallium as actually worn, whereas the 'pairle' is simply an abstract form following the same lines, and which, while it suggests the vestment, yet has not archiepiscopal significance. I have placed, then, a silver pairle on a blue field, with the silver crescent in chief, as a very definite representation, in the recognized abstract forms of heraldry, of *Kansas City in Missouri*.

"In the flanks I have placed pendent ears of maize to indicate that the Diocese is situated in the midst of a great corn-growing district. As precedents for these pendent ears, one can refer to the colonial seal of the Province of East Jersey, and to the present arms of the Diocese of Athabasca, on both of which appear ears of maize in this pendent position.

"Finally, I have placed on the pairle four small St. George crosses, just as the Canterbury pallium is charged with four black crosses 'pattes.' By these St. George crosses we can definitely indicate the Anglican Communion in Kansas City, Mo., and we use four of them as the old Canterbury number (and there is nothing to prevent one from considering the number to represent the Lambeth Quadrilateral).

"This shield, ornamented with mitre, key, and crozier, will be at once good heraldry and good decoration; simple, very definite in significance, and easily made out at a distance if, for instance, in a window."

Of the "external ornaments"—mitre, key, and crozier—it may be remarked that they appear on the first Episcopal seal in America, that of Dr. Seabury, first Bishop of Connecticut.

With reference to the black-and-white design for the seal, Mr. La Rose says: "It is drawn coarsely, in the manner of a wood-cut, so that it will reduce clearly in an electrotpe plate. On the shield I have followed the ancient heraldic convention of indicating blue by horizontal lines, red by vertical, gold by dots, silver being left blank."

The seal consists of the coat of arms above described, and the "external ornaments," all enclosed in a vesica bearing upon its border the legend: "*Sigillum Dioecesis Kansanopolitanae. MDCCCLXXXIX.*"

Your Committee respectively recommends the adoption of the arms and seal above described, and offers the following resolutions:

*Resolved*, That the coat of arms and seal designed by Mr. Pierre de Chaignon La Rose and recommended by the Committee be, and the same is hereby adopted as the official arms and seal of the Diocese of Kansas City.

*Resolved*, That the drawings of the said arms and seal be placed and remain in the custody of the Bishop of the Diocese and his successors in office.

*Resolved*, That the Secretary of the Council be and is hereby authorized and requested to have an embossing press of the seal design made for use on official papers; also an electrotpe plate of a suitable size for use on the cover and title page of the diocesan Journal, and two smaller electroplates, one of which shall be retained in his custody for use in official printing, and the other transmitted to the publishers of *The Living Church Annual* for use in its proper place in that periodical; the cost of said embossing press and electroplates to be paid by the Treasurer of the Diocese.

*Resolved*, That the Treasurer of the Diocese be and is hereby authorized to pay Mr. Pierre de Chaignon La Rose for his professional services.

*Resolved*, That the Committee be discharged from further duty.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

E. R. ATWILL.

EDWARD HENRY ECKEL.

HENRY D. ASHLEY.

Moved and seconded that it be adopted. Carried.

H. D. Ashley introduced the following resolution:

*Be It Resolved* by the Annual Council of the Diocese of Kansas City in convention assembled, that the Treasurer of the Diocese of Kansas City is hereby authorized and directed to pay the sum of seventy-five (\$75.00) dollars to Mrs. J. K. Dunn in settlement of the balance due the late Rev. John K. Dunn for his services and expenses as Secretary of the Diocese of Kansas City, and in the publication and distribution of the Journal of the Diocese for 1908, it appearing that said amount is due for services rendered and expense incurred by Mr. Dunn as Secretary of the Diocese up to the time of his death.

Seconded and carried.

The Rev. E. H. Eckel presented the following report:

#### REPORT OF THE DIOCESAN COMMITTEE FOR THE GENERAL CLERGY RELIEF FUND.

The Diocesan Committee for the General Clergy Relief Fund respectfully reports for the Trustees that the following contributions have been received from Parishes and Missions in the Diocese of Kansas City from May 1, 1908, to May 1, 1909:

Christ Church, St. Joseph (\$54.03). St. Luke's Mission (\$2.50, plus \$8.30 for automatic pensions at 64—\$10.80).....\$	64.83
St. Paul's, Kansas City.....	54.50
St. Mark's, Kansas City (\$20.79, plus \$2.91 for automatic pensions at 64). . . . .	23.70
St. John's, Springfield. . . . .	22.75
St. George's, Kansas City.....	20.00
Grace, Carthage. . . . .	13.90
Trinity, Kansas City.....	10.00
St. John's, Kansas City.....	8.50
Christ Church, Springfield.....	6.40
Calvary, Sedalia. . . . .	6.04
St. Oswald's, Oswald. . . . .	5.50
Christ Church, Warrensburg.....	5.00
St. Augustine's, Kansas City.....	2.15
Trinity, Lamar. . . . .	1.50
St. Phillip's, Joplin. . . . .	1.40

St. Mark's, Mountain Grove.....	1.05
All Saint's, West Plains.....	1.00
Diocesan Funds. Interest on Smith loan.....	25.50
Diocesan Funds. Permanent Fund.....	6.018.48
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	\$6.292.20

Total contributions from Churches and Missions May 1, 1908 to May 1, 1909.....	\$248.22
Grants from the General Clergy Relief Fund for same period.....	536.00
Number of Beneficiaries.....	4

These figures show an increase of \$7.05 over last year in the amount contributed of \$186.00 in the grants from the G. C. R. to beneficiaries of this Diocese, and an increase of one in the number of beneficiaries.

The Trustees also desire to make known through us the following resolution:

*"Resolved,* That the Trustees desire to express their gratitude and appreciation of the action of the General Convention in appointing a Commission to endeavor to secure the sum of five million dollars for Permanent Endowment for pension and relief, and would commend the matter to the Church as one of the greatest importance, and they hereby pledge themselves to do all in their power to aid the Commission in their work. At the same time they would call attention to the necessity of continuing the annual offerings for pension and relief, also recommended by the General Convention, in order that the Trustees may be able to continue their work as at present conducted."

They also call attention to the fact that offerings can be designated as follows:

- For Current Pension and Relief.
- For Automatic Pension of the Clergy at 64.
- For the Permanent Fund.
- For Special Cases.

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD HENRY ECKEL.  
HENRY D. ASHLEY.

A. C. Stowell presented the following report:

### **"THE DIOCESE OF KANSAS CITY."**

Your Committee appointed to publish a Diocesan paper beg leave to submit the following report of their work since the Council of 1908:

Inasmuch as the entire Diocese is familiar with the monthly results of our work, and has doubtless passed regular judgment upon its merits, we shall offer only a financial statement at this time.

It will be noted that the management has conducted the affairs of this paper strictly upon a business basis. Often the temptation came to incur obligations in order to increase either the beauty or efficiency of the paper; but it was steadfastly maintained that disbursements should always

be kept within the actual present resources. This fact may explain some of the deficiencies which you have undoubtedly observed and which we freely acknowledge.

J. A. SCHAAD.  
CARL REED TAYLOR.  
A. C. STOWELL.

### REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF THE DIOCESAN PAPER,

Received from Subscriptions. . . . .	\$455.85	
Received from Advertising. . . . .	241.00	
Received from Interest on Deposits. . . . .	.22	
Paid for Printing the Paper. . . . .		\$525.67
Paid for Engraving. . . . .		16.60
Paid for Postage. . . . .		67.10
Paid for Labor. . . . .		6.00
Paid for Printing Subscription Cards. . . . .		4.00
Cash on hand June 1, 1909. . . . .		77.70
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	\$697.07	\$697.07

A. C. STOWELL, *Business Manager.*

On motion of Mr. J. E. Long it was

*Resolved.* That the Committee on the publication of the Diocesan paper, "The Diocese of Kansas City" be commended for the excellent results of their first year's work.

*Resolved,* that the Council recommends the continuance of the paper under the same plan of management as last year, that the Council recognizes it as the official organ of the Diocese; and instructs the Treasurer of the Diocese and the Treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Board to continue rental spaces in the paper as last year.

*Resolved,* that the Council urges all Diocesan organizations to support the paper by taking space therein.

Seconded and carried.

It was moved by Jay M. Lee that the proceedings of this Council be printed in the next issue of the Diocesan paper, and that the Council appropriate the sum of Ten Dollars to pay for the necessary space.

Seconded and carried.

The Rev. J. A. Schaad introduced the following for the committee:

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**MINUTE OF APPRECIATION OF THE REV. JOHN KING  
DUNN, THE REV. EDWARD JOHN SAPHIR, AND  
MR. JOHN F. EATON.**

Forasmuch as during the past year "the fatal asterisk of death" has been set against the names of two of our clergy of long connection with this diocese, the Rev. John King Dunn, for 20 years a priest of this Diocese and since 1895 its Secretary and Registrar, and the Rev. Edward John Saphir, for 16 years a deacon of this Diocese; and forasmuch as with the names of these clergy must be linked that of Mr. John F. Eaton, a faithful and devoted layman whose earnest and intelligent labors were ever given to the interests of the Diocese without stint or self-consideration, even when the pressure of disease and physical distress were upon him; therefore this Council desires to express its profound sorrow and the sense of loss occasioned by the passing of these our faithful brethren and servants of the Lord; bears testimony to their fidelity to the trust committed to them; and tenders to their afflicted families a message of heartfelt sympathy, with the prayer that the God of consolation may abundantly sustain and comfort with His grace the widows and orphans of these brethren called to the rest and refreshment of Paradise.

"Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord; and light perpetual shine upon them."

"May the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace."

E. H. ECKEL.  
F. M. HAYWARD.  
J. A. SCHAAD.

Report received by rising vote.

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The Rev. E. H. Eckel moved the following amendment to Article III, Section 1, of the Constitution. Resolved that Article III, Section 1, of the Constitution, be amended by the substitution of the words "Bishop and Standing Committee" for "Ecclesiastical Authority" and by the substitution after the word "Provided" of the words, "that due notice of such change shall be given as long before the Constitutional date as practicable under the circumstances," instead of the words, "however that at least ten days notice of such change shall be given," so that the Section, as amended, shall read:

SECTION 1. The Council of the Church in this Diocese shall annually assemble on the Tuesday after the second Sunday in May at such place as shall have been appointed by the preceeding Annual Council; but in case of the prevalence of infectious or epidemic disease at the appointed time and place of meeting, or for other sufficient cause, the Bishop and Standing Committee of the Diocese shall have power to change the time or place, or both as the emergency may require, provided that due notice of such change shall be given as long before the Constitutional date as practicable under the circumstances, to every clergyman and to the warden of every parish and mission not under the charge of a clergyman.

Referred to Committee on Constitution and Canons.

### **REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON THE CORRECTION AND CODIFICATION OF CONSTITUTION AND CANONS.**

The Rev. E. H. Eckel introduced the following report:

The Special Committee on the Correction and Codification of Constitution and Canons respectfully reports as follows:

The Diocesan journals of all the years since 1899, when the last revision of the constitution and canons was made, having been carefully reviewed, it is found that the following changes should be made:

1. The name of the Diocese has been changed from "West Missouri" to "Kansas City" in the Title and Article I of the Constitution and wherever it occurs in the canons (Journals of 1903, pp. 29 and 60; 1904, pp. 26 and 77; and 1905, p. 54).

2. Canon II, Section 2, has been amended so as to read as follows (Journal of 1906, p. 69):

"The Secretary of the Council shall furnish every Parish and Mission, through its Rector or Minister in charge (if there be one, otherwise through one of its Wardens), a duplicate form of said certificate, the same to be filled in and returned to him by mail not later than five days before the meeting of the Diocesan Council; and shall, from the same, make up his roll of Lay Delegates prior to said meeting, which roll (including names both of principals and alternates) he shall call by towns and Parishes in alphabetical order immediately after the roll of the Clergy;



and shall thereupon report to the Chair whether or not a canonical quorum of both orders is present. The original certificates of election of Lay Delegates shall be given the Secretary when the Council convenes. No reference to the Committee on Credentials shall be necessary, except in the case of contested seats."

3. Canon XX, Section 1, item "*Second*" has been amended by the addition of the following words (Journal of 1904, p. 26) :

"And shall be transmitted to the Treasurer of the General Clergy Relief Fund."

4. Canon XXII has been wholly repealed (Journal of 1904, p. 26), with the consequent necessity of renumbering all the succeeding canons.

5. The "Order of Business" adopted in 1907 (Journal, p. 59) replaces the old "Rules of Order."

These are all the changes made during the last ten years.

Occasion might here be taken to recommend a number of minor changes in the Constitution in phraseology, capitalization, and punctuation, for the purpose of improving the style, clearing up the meaning, correcting typographical errors, securing uniformity and consistency, or conforming to the language and style of the Constitution of the General Convention. Your committee is prepared to submit a schedule of such changes. We are convinced, however, after a careful study of our Diocesan laws that they need revision rather than correction, and this in the interest of brevity, of economy in printing, and of conformity to the Digest of the General Convention. We therefore recommend that such a revision be made, and offer the following resolutions :

*Resolved*, that the report of the Special Committee on the Correction and Codification of the Constitution and Canons be accepted, and the committee discharged.

*Resolved*, that the Secretary of the Council be directed to print as an appendix to this year's journal such articles or parts of articles, and such canons or parts of canons, as in the judgment of the Bishop and Committee on Canons are most needful for the information and guidance of the clergy and lay officers of the diocese, parishes, and missions in the administration of the same.

*Resolved*, that the Committee on Canons be directed to report to the next annual Council a revised Constitution and Canons.

EDWARD HENRY ECKEL,  
ALBERT C. STOWELL.

Resolutions of the committee carried seriatim.

The second, third, fourth and fifth ballots were cast for remaining members of the Standing Committee without any election. On the sixth ballot the Rev. J. Stewart Smith and Mr. L. T. Golding were elected.

The Council now proceeded to the election of the Missionary Board. The chair appointed the Rev. Messrs. A. M. Griffin and S. C. Walton as Tellers for the Clerical vote, and Messrs. B. J.

Fradenburg and J. E. Cobb as Tellers for the Lay vote. The following were placed in nomination:

REV. R. N. SPENCER,  
REV. C. A. WEED,  
REV. E. H. ECKEL,  
REV. C. R. TAYLOR,  
B. C. HOWARD,  
HORACE STRINGFELLOW,  
ALBERT WHITE,  
H. H. HARDING,  
J. Q. WATKINS,

REV. J. A. SCHAAD,  
REV. J. D. RITCHEY, D. D.,  
REV. D. H. ATWILL,  
REV. F. C. O'MEARA,  
H. D. ASHLEY,  
B. R. CLARKE,  
F. A. H. GARLICHs,  
B. J. FRADENBURG.

The Rev. R. J. Belt on behalf of the Committee on Admission of Parishes and Missions reported no business before the committee.

Report of the committee on unfinished business:

The Rt. Rev. E. R. Atwill, D. D.

Your Committee on Unfinished Business find on pp. 49-50 of 1908 Journal a report of Standing Committee on Sunday Schools, which Committee was continued to the Council of 1909. Also, on page 55 a report of Committee on Diocesan seal, and the Committee was continued to Council of 1909. On page 61 the Special Committee on Correction and Codification of the Constitution and Canons of the Diocese asked to be continued to this Council, which request was granted.

Respectfully submitted.

E. W. FLOWER,  
B. C. HOWARD.

Moved and seconded that the Assessment Committee make report at missionary meeting to be held at St. Paul's Church at 8 p. m. Carried.

A. C. Stowell introduced the following:

*Whereas*, the zealous support and promotion of the cause of the aged and infirm clergy and of the widows and orphans of deceased clergymen is one of the chief objects of piety before the American Church to-day; and

*Whereas*, the effective prosecution of this object requires the corporate co-operation of every Diocese with the Trustees of the General Clergy Relief Fund created under the authority of the General Convention; therefore be it

*Resolved*, that a Canon to be known as Canon XXII, "Of the G. C. R. Diocesan Commission," be enacted as follows:

#### CANON XXII.

Of the G. C. R. Diocesan Commission.

SECTION 1. A standing committee, to be known as the "General Clergy Relief Diocesan Commission," composed of one Clergyman and

two Lay Communicants of the Diocese, together with the Bishop and Treasurer of the Diocese *ex officio*, shall be elected at each Annual Council. Any vacancies occurring during the recess of the Council may be filled by appointment of the Bishop.

SECTION 2. It shall be the duty of this Commission to serve as the nexus between the Diocese and the Trustees of the G. C. R. Fund, to speak and act within the Diocese for and in behalf of the said Trustees, to transmit to the Council statements and reports of the latter, and in general to promote the prosperity of the fund and secure contributions for the same within the Diocese.

*Resolved*, That upon the passage of this Canon all other Diocesan Committees relating to the G. C. R. be abolished.

The Tellers reported the following elected on the first ballot for members for the Missionary Board:

REV. R. N. SPENCER,  
REV. C. A. WEED,  
REV. E. H. ECKEL,  
B. C. HOWARD,  
B. J. FRADENBURG,

REV. J. A. SCHAAD,  
REV. J. D. RITCHEY, D. D.,  
REV. C. R. TAYLOR,  
H. D. ASHLEY,  
F. A. H. GARLICH.

Moved and seconded that the Secretary be instructed to cast the vote for Council for the two candidates having the highest number of votes in the first ballot. Carried.

The Secretary cast a ballot for the Clergy for B. R. Clarke and H. H. Harding.

The Assistant Secretary, W. F. Eves, cast the ballot for the Laity for B. R. Clarke and H. H. Harding.

Moved, seconded and carried to adjourn until tonight at 8 p. m. at St. Paul's Church.

#### 8 P. M.

Meeting called to order at St. Paul's Church.

D. H. Smith for the Committee on Assessments reported a list of the Assessment, together with the Committee's recommendations on the same.

It was moved that the Assessment Report be referred back to the Committee to report at 11 o'clock tomorrow morning.

At the close of the business meeting Missionary Addresses were made and pledges taken for Diocesan Missions.

#### Second Day.

Wednesday, June 2nd, 1909, 9:30 a. m.

The Council met pursuant to adjournment.

On the motion of the Rev. A. W. Farnum the Council dispensed with the reading of the minutes of the previous day.

W. H. Holmes was re-elected Treasurer by motion that ballot be dispensed with and he be elected by acclamation.

The Bishop nominated John T. Harding for Chancellor

On motion of J. M. Lee, Mr. Harding was elected.

The Bishop nominated Rev. C. R. Taylor for Registrar.

On motion Mr. Taylor was elected.

The Bishop re-appointed the old Board of Trustees of the Permanent Fund for the Support of the Episcopate.

The old Board of Trustees for the Fund for Theological Education was re-appointed with the exception of the Rev. Robert Talbot. In his place the Bishop appointed the Rev. R. N. Spencer.

The Report of the Treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Board was presented by H. D. Ashley.

**REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF THE DIOCESAN MISSIONARY BOARD FOR THE YEAR ENDING  
JUNE 1, 1909.**

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand at Council May, 1908.....\$1,186.72

From:

Boonville . . . . .	\$ 50.00
Carthage . . . . .	68.00
Chillicothe . . . . .	25.00
Joplin . . . . .	20.00
Kansas City—	
Grace . . . . .	337.50
St. George's . . . . .	100.00
St. Mark's . . . . .	100.00
St. Mary's . . . . .	50.00
St. Paul's . . . . .	450.00
Trinity . . . . .	20.00
Lexington . . . . .	30.00
Maryville . . . . .	25.00
St. Joseph—	
Christ Church . . . . .	400.00
Holy Trinity . . . . .	40.00
Sedalia . . . . .	50.00
Springfield—	
Christ Church . . . . .	53.00
Warrensburg . . . . .	35.00

MISSIONS.

Aurora . . . . .	1.50
Cameron . . . . .	9.50

Clinton . . . . .	30.00	
Harrisonville . . . . .	20.00	
Kansas City—		
St. John's . . . . .	30.00	
St. Augustine's . . . . .	4.00	
Lamar . . . . .	15.00	
Lee's Summit . . . . .	5.00	
Liberty . . . . .	3.00	
Marshall . . . . .	20.00	
Monett . . . . .	10.00	
Mountain Grove . . . . .	4.00	
Neosho . . . . .	25.00	
St. Oswald . . . . .	10.00	
St. Joseph—		
St. Matthias . . . . .	5.00	
St. Luke's . . . . .	10.00	
Savannah . . . . .	15.00	
Webb City . . . . .	10.00	
West Plains . . . . .	30.00	
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	\$2,160.50	\$1,186.72
Brought forward . . . . .	\$2,160.50	\$1,186.72

## OTHER OFFERINGS.

Christ Church Sunday School, Boonville.....\$	7.00	
St. Luke's Sunday School, St. Joseph.....	5.00	
Daughters of the King, Trinity, Kansas City.....	5.00	
Christ Church Sunday School, St. Joseph.....	43.10	
(\$16.90 of pledge of \$60.00 paid last year.)		
Christ Church Juniors, St. Joseph.....	1.00	
Trinity Church Juniors, Kansas City.....	5.00	
Rev. H. L. A. Fick.....	5.00	
Napton "Three Sisters".....	10.00	
Rev. J. A. Schaad.....	10.00	
Church Club. . . . .	30.91	
Interest on funds in bank.....	16.93	
Interest on two South Highlands Land & Improvement Company bonds. . . . .	120.00	
Interest on two Kansas City Elevated Railway bonds...	130.00	2,549.44
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		\$3,736.16

## DISBURSEMENTS.

Stipend paid Rev. J. V. Plunkett.....\$	246.66
Stipend paid Rev. J. K. Dunn.....	137.50
Stipend paid Rev. J. Senior. . . . .	400.00
Stipend paid Rev. J. H. Cloud.....	100.00
Stipend paid Rev. J. W. Barker.....	187.50
Stipend paid Rev. R. J. Belt.....	200.00
Stipend paid Rev. C. H. Bohn.....	237.50

Stipend paid Rev. John Wilkinson. ....	75.00
Stipend paid Rev. H. L. A. Fick. ....	166.66
Stipend paid Rev. C. A. Weed. ....	100.00
Stipend paid Rev. F. C. O'Meara. ....	200.00
Stipend paid Rev. E. S. Willett. ....	150.00
Stipend paid Rev. Wm. Pearman. ....	266.66
Stipend paid Rev. J. C. Hathaway. ....	149.99
Stipend paid Rev. Arthur M. Griffin. ....	100.00
Stipend paid Rev. W. H. Haupt. ....	125.00
Stipend paid Rev. S. C. Walton. ....	100.00
Stipend paid Rev. Carl R. Taylor. ....	62.50
Stipend paid Mr. H. E. Batcheller. ....	16.67
Rev. E. S. Willett, North End Work. ....	165.00
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	\$3,186.64

## EXPENSES.

Secretary's Postage, Rev. J. K. Dunn. ....	5.00	
Secretary's Postage and Stationery, Rev. C. R. Taylor. ....	1.35	
Treasurer's Postage. . ....	4.00	
Rev. E. H. Eckel, Expense Brookfield and Marceline... ..	12.01	
Space in "Diocese of Kansas City" for six months....	25.00	
Six Months' Loan to Bishop Atwill. ....	72.00	\$3,306.00
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Balance June 1, 1909. ....		\$ 430.16

I hold the following investments for the Board:

Two 4 per cent \$1,000 Gold Bonds of the Kansas City Elevated Railway Company. Two 6 per cent \$1,000 Bonds of the South Highlands Land & Improvement Company, secured on real estate in Kansas City, Missouri.

HENRY D. ASHLEY, *Treasurer.*

Moved and carried that the report be referred to the Finance Committee.

H. D. Ashley moved that a committee of three be appointed to arrange for a large mass meeting in Kansas City next winter, and that the committee have power after that meeting to solicit funds.

The Bishop appointed as such committee: H. D. Ashley, W. C. Goffe and E. P. Pratt.

H. D. Ashley moved that the courtesy of the floor be extended to the Rev. C. T. Brady, L. L. D., for the purpose of addressing the Council upon our Missionary work.

Seconded and carried.

The Rev. F. C. O'Meara moved the suspension of the order of the day and the continuance of the present discussion.

Seconded and carried.

The Rev. J. S. Smith moved that the funds for Diocesan Missions be raised by pledges.

Seconded and carried.

The Rev. E. H. Eckel moved that the Missionary Board be empowered to arrange a plan for the raising of Missionary Funds.

Pledges were now taken for Diocesan Missions. See Appendix.

The Rev. J. S. Smith moved that the Bishop and Missionary Board appoint Clergy or Laity to present the cause of Missions and take pledges in every parish and mission where they are welcomed.

Seconded and carried.

The following resolutions were presented by Mr. B. C. Howard:

#### **RESOLUTIONS RELATING TO ADVENT OFFERINGS.**

*Whereas*, The principal object of the Sunday School is the education of the children in the ways of the Church; therefore, be it

*Resolved*, It is the sense of the Council that the Sunday Schools of the Diocese be requested to take an Advent offering on the four Sundays thereof, which said offering shall be devoted to Diocesan Missions.

*Resolved*, That the Bishop of the Diocese be prayed to designate not later than November 1st of each year, the specific object for which such offering shall be used and that he be further asked to issue a pastoral to be read in all Sunday Schools of the Diocese concerning same.

*Resolved*, That the Sunday School Institute of the Diocese be instructed to procure and distribute, not later than the middle of November of each year, mite boxes or other receptacles for the collection of said offering.

*Resolved*, That the Missionary Board of the Diocese be, and is hereby requested, to furnish all funds necessary for the purpose of carrying into effect these resolutions.

*Resolved*, That this resolution be classed as a standing resolution to be printed and reprinted in each successive Journal of the Council.

Seconded and carried.

The hour of noon having arrived, the Bishop lead the Council in prayers for Missions.

The Rev. J. D. Ritchey reported that the Standing Committee had organized with Rev. J. S. Smith as President and Rev. J. D. Ritchey, D. D., as Secretary.

The Rev. E. H. Eckel moved that the courtesies of the floor be extended to the Rev. J. M. Koehler.

Seconded and carried.

M. Eckel than read an address for Mr. Koehler which Mr. Koehler illustrated by the sign language.

The Rev. J. S. Smith moved a vote of thanks to the General Passenger Agent of the Burlington Road for the pass given the Rev. Mr. Koehler.

Seconded and carried.

The Assessment Committee then made its report.

The Committee on Assessment beg to make the following report:

We recommend the following assessments for the coming year:

### PARISHES.

	ASSESSM'T.
Blackburn, Mediator. ....	\$ 11.00
Boonville, Christ. ....	88.00
Brookfield, Grace. ....	75.00
Brunswick, St. Paul's. ....	20.00
Carrollton, St. Paul's. ....	22.00
Carthage, Grace. ....	200.00
Chillicothe, Grace. ....	160.00
Fayette, St. Mary's. ....	12.00
Independence, Trinity. ....	40.00
Joplin, St. Phillip's. ....	100.00
Kansas City—	
Grace. ....	700.00
St. George's. ....	400.00
St. Mark's. ....	154.00
St. Mary's. ....	300.00
St. Paul's. ....	825.00
Trinity. ....	375.00
Maryville, St. Paul's. ....	20.00
Nevada, All Saint's. ....	50.00
Pleasant Hill, Calvary. ....	10.00
Sedalia, Calvary. ....	165.00
Springfield—	
Christ. ....	181.50
St. John's. ....	137.50
St. Joseph—	
Christ. ....	1,150.00
Holy Trinity. ....	40.00
Warrensburg, Christ. ....	60.50
Weston, St. John's. ....	1.10
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	\$5,297.60



MISSIONS.

	ASSESSMENT
Amazonia. St. Matthews.....	\$ 1
Butler, St. Mark's.....	1
Cameron, St. John's.....	20
Clinton, St. Paul's.....	30
East Sedalia, All Saints'.....	15
Fordland, St. Luke's.....	2
Hamilton, Trinity. ....	2
Harrisonville, St. Peter's.....	20
Holden, Mt. Calvary.....	50
Kansas City—	
St. John's. . ....	80
St. Augustine's. . ....	50
Lamar, Trinity. ....	10
Lee's Summit, St. Paul's.....	10
Lebanon, Trinity. ....	30
Liberty, Grace. ....	5
Marshall, Trinity. ....	40
Monett, St. Stephen's.....	10
Mountain Grove, St. Mark's.....	10
Neosho, St. John's.....	15
Oswald, St. Oswald.....	20
Plattsburg, St. Mary's.....	10
Richmond, St. Paul's.....	5
Rich Hill, St. Luke's.....	5
Savannah, St. Mary's.....	10
St. Joseph, St. Matthias.....	6
Stanberry, Trinity. ....	10
Trenton, St. Phillip's.....	15
Utica, Trinity. ....	5
Webb City, St. Paul's.....	18
West Plains, All Saints'.....	40
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	\$ 515
Total, Parishes. . ....	\$5,297
Total, Missions. . ....	515
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	\$5,812

Your Committee would also recommend that the Council adopt plan of last year to appropriate \$600 for the Bishop's traveling expenses.

The Committee recommends the continuance of the discount plan the prompt payment of assessments (see Journal of 1905, page 62).

The Committee would further recommend that the Council acc

\$475.00 in full payment of the past year's assessment of Trinity Church.

And we beg to remain,

Yours very respectfully,

D. H. SMITH, *Chairman*.

H. L. ARNOLD.

HORACE STRINGFELLOW.

W. C. GOFFE.

JAMES BLAIN.

C. H. CHILDS, *Secretary*.

Adjourned until 1:30 o'clock.

1:30 P. M.

The Council called to order.

Mr. H. L. Arnold presented the following report of W. H. Holmes, Treasurer of the Diocese.

# **REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF THE DIOCESE OF KANSAS CITY FROM MAY 15, 1908, TO JUNE 1, 1909.**

## **General Fund.**

### **RECEIPTS.**

Balance on hand at Council May 1908.....	\$1,926.81
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### **TO DUES FROM PARISHES.**

#### **From—**

Blackburn, Church of Mediator.....	\$ 8.00
Boonville, Christ. ....	79.20
Brookfield, Grace. ....	18.00
Brunswick, St. Paul's.....	14.00
Carthage, Grace. ....	172.99
Chillicothe, Grace. ....	154.00
Fayette, St. Mary's.....	2.00
Independence, Trinity. ....	10.00
Joplin, St. Phillip's.....	88.84
Kansas City—	
Grace. ....	594.00
St. George's. . . . .	323.75
St. Mark's. ....	146.30
St. Mary's. . . . .	277.20
St. Paul's. . . . .	720.00
Trinity. . . . .	475.00
Maryville, St. Paul's.....	9.90
Nevada, All Saint's.....	11.25
Pleasant Hill, Calvary.....	3.85
Sedalia, Calvary. ....	165.00
Springfield—	
Christ. . . . .	181.50
St. John's. ....	97.92
St. Joseph—	
Christ. . . . .	990.00

Holy Trinity. ....	37.52	
Warrensburg, Christ. ....	55.96	\$4,636.18
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Forward. . . . .		\$6,562.99
Brought Forward. ....		\$6,562.99

## TO DUES FROM MISSIONS.

From—		
Amazonia, St. Matthew's.....	\$ 1.00	
Butler, St. Mark's.....	1.25	
Clinton, St. Paul's.....	48.75	
Harrisonville, St. Peter's.....	19.00	
Holden, Mt. Calvary.....	7.13	
Kansas City—		
St. John's. . . . .	58.52	
St. Augustine's. . . . .	45.00	
Lamar, Trinity. ....	9.00	
Lebanon, Trinity. ....	40.00	
Lee's Summit, St. Paul's.....	5.00	
Marshall, Trinity. ....	46.25	
Monett, St. Stephen's.....	10.00	
Mountain Grove, St. Mark's.....	6.75	
Neosho, St. John's.....	15.00	
Oswald, St. Oswald.....	18.00	
Plattsburg, St. Mary's.....	5.00	
Savannah, St. Mary's.....	9.00	
St. Joseph, St. Matthias.....	5.70	
Stanberry, Trinity. ....	5.00	
Utica, Trinity. . . . .	5.00	
Webb City, St. Paul's.....	10.00	
West Plains, All Saint's.....	34.13	\$ 404.48
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		\$6,967.47
Interest received from Helen Maitland Smith Fund, to		
January 21, 1909.....		60 00
Forward. . . . .		\$7,027.47
Brought forward. ....		\$7,027.47

## DISBURSEMENTS.

By—	
Bishop's Salary. ....	\$4,600.00
Secretary's Salary. ....	150.00
Secretary's Office Expenses.....	25.00
Printing Journal 1908.....	231.00
Painting two shelves (for Secretary).....	2.00
Special Tax Bill, St. Mathias Mission, St. Joseph, Mo..	6.68
Postage Stamps for mailing Journals. . . . .	10.81
Postage Stamps for mailing Diocesan Notices. ....	1.10
Postage Stamps for mailing Diocesan Receipts. ....	2.00

One Page Space in Diocesan Papers for months of November, December, January, February, March and April. . . . .	25.00	
Assessment of Diocese of Kansas City for Expense Department of Southwest. . . . .	15.00	
Balance paid Disabled Clergy Fund, on Demand Note of the Diocese of West Missouri. . . . .	600.00	
Interest on above note from May 15, 1908, to October 27, 1908. . . . .	16.20	
Traveling Expenses Missionaries to Council, June, 1909. . . . .	32.12	
Printing Annual Council Notices and Postage for same. . . . .	4.71	\$5,721.62
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Balance on hand. . . . .		\$1,305.95

### Disabled Clergy Fund.

#### RECEIPTS.

To—		
Balance on hand at Council May, 1908. . . . .		\$1,500.28
Note of A. A. Tomlinson due July 1, 1908. . . . .	2,800.00	
Interest on A. A. Tomlinson Note due July 1, 1908. . . . .	168.00	
Note of Jas. Fennell due August 8, 1908. . . . .	1,000.00	
Interest on Jas. Fennell Note due August 8, 1908. . . . .	60.00	
Balance due on Demand Note of Diocese of West Missouri. . . . .	600.00	
Interest on above note from May 15, 1908, to October 27, 1908. . . . .	16.20	
Interest on F. G. Smith Loan to October 26, 1908. . . . .	25.50	\$4,669.70
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		\$6,169.98

#### DISBURSEMENTS.

By—		
Paid Interest to Lucius Waterman. . . . .	\$ 36.00	
Cynthia Cummings. . . . .	37.50	
A. P. Crouch. . . . .	75.00	
Paid Rev. A. J. P. McClure, Assistant Treasurer and Financial Agent of General Clergy Fund. Resolution, Council, May, 1908. . . . .	6,021.48	\$6,169.98
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### Theological Education Fund.

#### RECEIPTS.

To balance on hand at Council, May, 1908. . . . .		\$ 29.38
Contributions—		
St. Joseph, St. Luke's. . . . .	\$ 1.10	
Sedalia, Calvary. . . . .	3.24	
Mountain Grove, St. Mark's. . . . .	1.20	
Arthur Griffin, Chillicothe. . . . .	5.00	
A. W. Farnum, Kansas City. . . . .	5.00	

J. D. Ritchey, Kansas City.....	10.00	
J. A. Schaad, Kansas City.....	10.00	
J. Senior, Lamar, Trinity.....	1.00	
H. Z. Williams, Springfield.....	3.00	
West Plains, All Saint's.....	8.00	
Boonville, Christ. ....	4.00	
Marshall, Trinity. ....	8.50	
Harrisonville, St. Peter's.....	3.25	
Clinton, St. Paul's.....	2.75	
Kansas City, St. Mary's. . . . .	5.00	
Kansas City, St. John's. . . . .	2.35	
Note of A. A. Tomlinsong due July 1, 1908.....	1,200.00	
Interest on above note due July 1, 1908.....	72.00	
Interest on Ora Riggins Loan.....	36.00	\$1,381.39
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		\$1,410.77

DISBURSEMENTS.

By—		
Appropriation for Henry Ewing Batcheller, Candidate for Holy Orders in our Diocese.....	\$ 175.00	
Purchase of Ora Riggins Loan.....	1,200.00	
Accrued Interest on above loan, September 9, 1908, to October 27, 1908.....	5.60	\$1,380.60
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Balance on hand.....		\$ 30.17

Episcopal Residence Fund.

To balance on hand at Council May, 1908.....	\$1,009.83
Balance on hand.....	1,009.83

Summary.

Credit Balance of General Fund. ....	\$1,305.85
Credit Balance of Disabled Clergy Fund. ....	
Credit Balance Theological Education Fund. ....	30.17
Credit Balance Episcopal Residence Fund.....	1,009.83
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	\$2,345.85

Investments.

THEOLOGICAL EDUCATION FUND.

Thomas T. Maloney, 6 per cent real estate loan.....	\$1,200.00
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Respectfully submitted.  
WALTON H. HOLMES, *Treasurer.*

On motion the Treasurer's report received and referred to Finance Committee.  
The Rev. E. H. Eckel moved that the Committee on Episcopal

Residence be requested to invest funds on hand so that they will earn interest.

Seconded and carried.

A. C. Stowell moved that the Treasurer be instructed to pay Miss Lykins the sum of Five Dollars per month, and that the thanks of the Council be extended to her for her admirable work.

Seconded and carried.

The Rev. E. H. Eckel presented the following report of the Special Committee of Method of Assessment.

### **REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ASSESSMENT PLAN.**

The Special Committee on Assessment Plan, to which was also referred the preparation of a revised form of Parochial Report, and which reported progress last year and was continued to the present Council, respectfully begs leave to report on the first named subject as follows:

1. It is with the profoundest regret that we record the death of one of our members, Mr. John F. Eaton, and the consequent loss to the Committee and Council of the expert knowledge and valued services of the one man who was, perhaps, above all others, most competent to advise us on the different subjects referred to us.

2. The appointment of the present Committee is the outcome of a succession of resolutions presented by divers members of the Council from time to time during many years. The complaint against our present method of levying assessments appears to be that it is arbitrary and inequitable and calls for the substitution of some plan that shall be sound in principle and uniform in operation. The assessments made last year range all the way from approximately 5½ per cent of the current expenses reported by the Parish or Mission to 110 per cent of the current expenses; and from 20 cents per communicant reported to \$2.82 per communicant. Such inequalities unquestionably demand correction.

3. Your Committee has tabulated the figures given in the journals of the last five years for every Parish and Mission, and has carefully studied various plans that promised relief from the inequities of the present method of assessment. They offer in this report the conclusions they have reached and recommendations designed to correct the system.

4. They find that the Diocese needs \$5,100 a year—\$4,700 for the salaries of the Bishop and Secretary, and about \$400 for incidental expenses. Exclusive of balances carried forward from one year to the next, they find also that the average income from the Parishes and Missions that have paid their assessments in the whole or in part has been \$4,866.32. The fiscal year ending May 1, 1908, began with a balance of \$1,926.79 in the treasury; the assessments paid in amounted to \$5,155.92; the expenditures, although larger than in any previous year of the five under review, were two cents less than the sum received from assessments; and the balance of \$1,926.79 with which the year's business began was carried over to this year not only unimpaired but augmented by two

cents. All praise for the excellent financiering of the Assessment Committee and our splendid Treasurer.

5. Your Committee finds that an assessment of 12 per cent of the current expenses reported by the several Parishes and Missions the preceding year, will, after deducting from said assessment 10 per cent of the same for prompt payment, produce the necessary revenue for the support of the Diocese. They therefore recommend the adoption of this basis of assessment, the rate per cent in any year to be determined by the ratio of the sum total of current expenses to the amount needed for the Diocese. Judging by the past, in some years the rate of assessment may perhaps not exceed 10 per cent and might be even less in proportion as the Parishes and Missions are more fully supplied with clergy and frequent services. Generally speaking, forasmuch as parochial expenses fluctuate from year to year, the assessments will, of course, show a corresponding fluctuation; but taking the Diocese as a whole, the aggregate will not vary much from year to year.

It should be observed that by "current expenses" is meant the item thus designed in the present form of parochial report. This does not include expenditures for charity, missions, interest on debt, new buildings or improvements, which, of course, ought not to be subject to taxation. By current expenses we understand salaries (including music), heat, light, insurance, repairs, and sundries—all that fairly belongs to the maintenance of the fabric and of religious worship and work therein.

6. Should the basis of assessment herein recommended be adopted by the Council, it is obvious that on account of the inequalities of the present assessment list, the Parishes and Missions would be at first very diversely affected by the application of the new rule. Some would find their assessment more or less increased, others more or less diminished; but the justice of having some plan for uniform application with, let us say, some provision for the equally uniform application of a principle of exceptions in cases where the rule itself is absolutely impossible or would involve a real hardship, ought, it seems to your Committee, to secure for the plan proposed the approval and support of all, without first consideration being given to whether their own Parish is more or less favorably affected by the rule. The famous remark of Edmund Burke, recently quoted by the Governor of this Commonwealth in a message to the Legislature, may not inappositely be quoted here also: "It is as difficult to tax and please as it is to love and be wise." For the information of those, however, who may wish to make comparisons, your Committee herewith submit as an appendix to its report a table in which will be found (1) a 12 per cent assessment list and 10 per cent off, based on the average current expenses for the five years, 1904-1908 inclusive; (2) the Assessment Committee's list for 1908-1909, and (3) a 12 per cent assessment list and 10 per cent off, based on last year's reports, which last list contains the figures for 1909-1910 if the plan here recommended should be adopted. Occasion may here be taken for the remark that proportionate assessments for the Diocesan Fund ought to be cheerfully and promptly met by Parish and Mission in the Diocese, however weak. We are an Episcopal Church. The support of the Bishop and Diocese is therefore essential to

the maintenance of our system, and is just as necessary an obligation as the support of the Priest and Parish.

7. Your Committee respectfully offers the following resolutions:

*Resolved*, That beginning with the current year, the assessment for the Diocesan Fund shall be based on the sums reported by the several Parishes and Missions under the head of current expenses as found in the parochial reports contained in the Diocesan Journal of the year next preceding the rate of said assessment to be fixed each year by the Committee at such a per centum of the said current expenses as will produce the aggregate sum needed for the next conciliar year, after allowance has been made for a 10 per cent discount for payment within thirty days of the beginning of the several quarters of the year which begin on the first day of the months of May, August, November and February.

*Resolved*, That it shall be within the power of the Assessment Committee to hear and determine complaints from any Parish or Mission which believes the amount of its assessment thus fixed to be beyond its ability to pay; whereupon it shall be the duty of the said Committee to frame a rule of exceptions which shall be impartially applied to any and all cases thus presented for exception from the rate fixed for that year.

*Resolved*, That this Special Committee be discharged from the further consideration of this part of the subject referred to it.

EDWARD HENRY ECKEL.

## CONSPECTUS OF DIOCESAN FUND, 1904-8

YEAR	BALANCE	REC'D FROM PARISHES	REC'D FROM MISSIONS	REC'D FROM OTHER S'CES	TOTAL RECEIPTS
1904	\$ 250.66	\$4376.25	\$ 369.00	\$1200.00	\$6159.91
1905	1079.01	4155.50	321.56	- - -	5555.56
1906	943.48	4583.71	459.01	121.00	6107.20
1907	1653.54	4305.33	365.31	60.00	6384.19
1908	1926.79	4718.95	376.97	60.00	7082.71
AVERAGES	\$1170.69	\$4427.94	\$ 378.37	\$ 288.20	\$6257.91

YEAR	PAID IN SALARIES	OTHER EXPENSES	TOTAL	BALANCE
1904	\$4150.00	\$ 966.90	\$5116.90	\$1079.01(?)
1905	4150.00	462.08	4612.08	943.48
1906	4150.00	303.65	4453.65	1653.55
1907	4150.00	307.40	4457.40	1926.79
1908	4700.00	455.90	5155.90	1926.81
AVERAGES		\$ 499.18*	\$4759.18	\$1505.92

\* Averages for 1905-8, \$382.25; the item of \$966.90 including the payment of a \$600 loan.



APPENDIX TO ABOVE REPORT

SHOWING THE ASSESSMENTS BASED ON FIVE YEARS' AVERAGE AND PAROCHIAL REPORTS OF 1908

PARISHES	Communi- cants	Five Years' Average	12% Assessment	After 10% Discount	Assessed for 1907-8	Paid in 1907-8	Assessed for 1908-9	Current Expen- ses in 1908-9	12% Ass'm't for 1909-10	After 10% Discount
Blackburn . . . . .	6	\$ 11.60	\$ 1.39	\$ 1.25	\$ 11.00	\$ 8.00	\$ 11.00	\$ 10.00	\$ 1.20	\$ 1.08
Boonville . . . . .	48	623.39	74.80	67.32	88.00	79.20	88.00	729.33	87.50	78.76
Brookfield . . . . .	(52)	383.59	46.03	41.43	73.70	67.00	73.70	(460.00)	55.20	49.68
Brunswick . . . . .	(6)	1.40	.17	.15	18.70	8.43	18.70	(7.00)	.84	.76
Carrollton . . . . .	(4)	10.00	1.20	1.08	22.00	. . . . .	22.00	(50.00)	6.00	5.40
Carthage . . . . .	152	1,430.57	171.67	154.50	187.00	187.00	187.00	1,076.60	129.19	116.28
Chillicothe . . . . .	117	917.06	110.04	99.04	154.00	144.31	154.00	1,519.16	182.30	164.07
Fayette . . . . .	(24)	90.22	10.83	9.75	12.10	6.78	12.10	(159.54)	19.14	17.23
Independence . . . . .	(31)	425.00	51.00	45.90	49.50	47.05	40.00	(872.49)	104.70	94.23
Joplin . . . . .	136	1,196.27	143.55	129.20	93.50	91.17	93.50	1,349.50	161.94	145.75
Kansas City: Grace Church . . . . .	332	6,735.94	908.31	727.48	660.00	594.00	660.00	6,413.80	769.65	692.69
" " St. George's . . . . .	342	2,855.79	342.69	308.43	275.00	275.00	350.00	3,045.52	365.46	328.92
" " St. Mark's . . . . .	(277)	1,392.97	167.15	150.44	154.00	34.65	154.00	(2,239.72)	268.77	241.90
" " St. Mary's . . . . .	210	2,977.02	357.24	321.52	308.00	277.20	308.00	2,808.63	337.03	303.33
" " St. Paul's . . . . .	283	4,659.36	559.12	503.21	80.00	814.00	800.00	8,110.40	973.24	875.92
" " Trinity . . . . .	500	4,823.20	578.78	520.91	550.00	550.00	550.00	4,500.00	540.00	486.00
Lexington . . . . .	(37)	419.01	. . . . .	60.00	. . . . .	. . . . .	. . . . .	. . . . .	. . . . .	. . . . .
Maryville . . . . .	(35)	91.36	10.96	9.87	11.00	4.95	11.00	(456.78)	54.81	49.33
Nevada . . . . .	80	608.02	72.96	65.67	66.00	59.42	66.00	759.50	91.14	82.03
Pleasant Hill . . . . .	24	111.89	13.42	12.08	5.50	. . . . .	5.50	84.00	10.08	9.08
St. Joseph: Christ Church . . . . .	(657)	7,543.02	905.16	814.65	1,100.00	990.00	1,100.00	7,550.00	906.00	815.40
" " Holy Trinity . . . . .	71	598.95	71.87	64.69	38.50	34.68	38.50	626.50	75.18	67.67
Sedalia . . . . .	178	1,417.22	170.06	153.07	165.00	165.00	165.00	1,322.07	158.64	142.78
Springfield: Christ Church . . . . .	282	1,591.07	190.92	171.84	181.80	181.50	181.50	1,815.51	217.86	196.08
" " St. John's . . . . .	230	1,222.22	146.66	132.00	137.50	123.76	137.50	1,477.74	177.32	159.59
Warrensburg . . . . .	36	338.88	40.66	36.60	60.50	42.35	60.50	298.00	35.76	32.19
Weston . . . . .	(15)	2.00	.24	.22	1.10	. . . . .	1.10	(10.00)	1.20	1.08
TOTAL . . . . .	4165	\$42,477.02	\$5,045.88	\$4,602.30	\$5,303.40	\$4,765.45	\$5,288.60	\$47,751.69	\$5,730.15	\$5,157.23

MISSIONS										
Albany . . . . .	(3)	\$ .35	\$ .04	\$ .04	\$ . . . . .	\$ . . . . .	\$ . . . . .	\$ (3.00)	\$ .36	\$ .33
Amazonia . . . . .	2	5.38	.64	.58	1.00	. . . . .	1.00	6.00	.72	.65
Aurora . . . . .	16	38.84	4.66	4.20	. . . . .	. . . . .	. . . . .	60.00	7.20	6.48
Breckenridge . . . . .	(2)	1.20	.14	.13	. . . . .	. . . . .	. . . . .	(6.00)	.72	.65
Butler . . . . .	25	43.45	5.21	4.69	5.00	. . . . .	5.00	180.00	19.44	17.50
Cameron . . . . .	(17)	51.92	6.23	5.61	20.00	19.50	20.00	37.00	4.44	4.00
Clinton . . . . .	35	379.47	45.53	40.98	50.00	50.00	50.00	426.61	51.19	46.08
Craig . . . . .	(2)	1.24	.14	.13	. . . . .	. . . . .	. . . . .	(6.00)	.72	.65
East Sedalia . . . . .	(17)	1.75	.21	.19	15.00	. . . . .	15.00	(9.00)	1.08	.96

Parishes										(19.00)	2.24	2.08
Empire Prairie	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Excelsior Springs.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Fordland	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	(12.00)	1.44	1.30
Gallatin.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Hamilton	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Harrisonville	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	50.00	6.00	5.40
Higginsville Confederate Home	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Holden	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Kansas City: Holy Spirit	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	(25.00)	3.00	2.70
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"	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1,053.34	126.40	113.76
King City	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	(19.00)	2.28	2.06
Lamar	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	500.00	60.00	54.00
Lathrop.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	(2.00)	.24	.22
Lebanon	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	290.50	34.86	31.38
Lee's Summit.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	180.00	21.60	19.44
Liberty	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Marceline	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Marshall	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	822.44	98.69	88.83
Milan	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Monett	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	56.50	6.78	6.11
Mound City	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Mountain Grove	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	(175.00)	21.00	18.90
Neosho	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	144.40	17.32	15.59
Gsborn	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Oswald	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	287.80	34.53	31.08
Platte City.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Plattsburg	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	(65.00)	7.80	7.02
Rich Hill	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	(1.00)	.12	.11
Richmond	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	(65.00)	7.80	7.02
St. Joseph: St. Luke's	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	467.84	56.14	50.53
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Savannah	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	137.60	16.51	14.86
Stanberry	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	33.00	3.96	3.58
Sweet Springs	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Tipton	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Trenton.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	(163.00)	19.50	17.61
Utica	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5.25	.63	.57
Versailles	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Webb City.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	(51.00)	6.12	5.51
West Plains	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	86.00	10.32	9.29
Scattering	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Total.										\$6,547.91	\$785.72	\$707.15
TOTAL FOR PARISHES AND MISSIONS										\$54,299.60	\$6,515.87	\$5,864.38

The Rev. F. C. O'Meara moved that the report be accepted and printed in the Journal, but that the Committee be continued and final action be taken next year.

Seconded and carried.

Rev. E. H. Eckel presented a revised form of Parochial Report.

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON REVISED PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Your Special Committee to which was referred the preparation of a revised form of Parochial Report respectfully present the accompanying form of report and offers the following resolutions:

Resolved, That the revised form of Parochial Report submitted by the Committee be accepted and printed in the Diocesan Journal for 1909.

Resolved, That the Committee be continued to the next Annual Council.

DIOCESE OF KANSAS CITY.

Parochial Report From April 30, 19...., to May 1, 19....

ORGANZIATION.

Church (or Mission).....  
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Place..... County.....  
Organized..... Admitted to Council.....  
Rector, Missionary, Priest-in-Charge, Minister-in-Charge.\*  
The Rev.....  
Postoffice Address.....  
Vicar, Curate, Priest-in-Charge, Institutional Director, Chaplain.\*  
The Rev.....  
Postoffice Address.....  
Assistant, Locum Tenens, Deaconess, Sister.\*  
The Rev.....  
Postoffice Address.....  
Rector's Warden..... Address.....  
Vestry's Warden..... Address.....  
Secretary..... Address.....  
Treasurer..... Address.....  
Vestrymen, Church Committee, Trustees.\* .....  
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\*Strike out inapplicable words.

Parochial Statistics.

Families and Parts of Families .....Souls.....Baptized Persons.....  
Confirmed Persons—Male.....Female.....Total.....  
No. last reported .....; added by Confirmation.....; by Letter.....;

otherwise.....; total gain..... Lost by Death.....; by Letter.....; otherwise.....; total loss..... Net gain or loss.....

Actual Communicants (at least once during the year)..... Communions made at Easter (including Non-Parishioners).....

Baptisms—Infants.....; Adults.....; Total.....

Confirmed—Males.....; Females.....; Received from Roman Church upon Public Renunciation.....; Total.....

Marriages..... Churchings..... Burials.....

Eucharists—Public.....; Private.....; Total.....

Public Services—Sunday (including Eucharists).....; Holy Days.....; Other Days.....; Total.....

Sermons and Addresses.....; Public Catechisings (in Church).....

Choir—Men.....; Women.....; Boys.....; Total..... Vested?..... In Chancel?.....

Sunday School—Officers.....; Teachers: Male.....Female.....; Total.....; Scholars: Male.....; Female.....; Total..... Total Officers, Teachers and Scholars in Primary Grades.....; Intermediate Grades.....; Senior Grades.....

Church Sitzings (exclusive of chancel).....Rented.....Free..... Assigned.....

Parish Agencies (Names and Membership of Guilds, Classes, Clubs, Etc.) .....

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### Financial Statistics.

#### RECEIPTS.

Balances (in all funds), May 1, 19.....	\$.....
Pew Rents, Pledges and Subscriptions (for current expenses) .....	\$.....
Offerings at Church Services.....	\$.....
Donations and Special Subscriptions.....	\$.....
Grants from Diocesan Board of Missions.....	\$.....
Grants from Domestic and Foreign Missionary Society....	\$.....
Sunday School Offerings.....	\$.....
Receipts of Guilds, etc. (not included in above).....	\$.....
Rentals, Interest, etc.....	\$.....
Woman's Auxiliary.....	\$.....
Other Sources of Income—	
.....	\$.....
.....	\$.....
.....	\$.....
Total Receipts from all sources for all purposes.....	\$.....

EXPENDITURES.

Parochial—

Current Expenses*	\$.....
Lots, Buildings, Permanent Improvements.....	\$.....
Sunday School Expenses.....	\$.....
Guild Expenses (not included above).....	\$.....
Charities .....	\$.....
Other Parochial or Local Objects—	
.....	\$.....
.....	\$.....
.....	\$.....
Total.....	\$.....

Diocesan—

Diocesan Fund, assessed \$.....	Paid \$.....
Diocesan Missions, apportioned \$.....	Paid \$.....
Bishop's Purse.....	\$.....
Permanent Episcopal Fund.....	\$.....
Theological Education Fund.....	\$.....
Women's Auxiliary.....	\$.....

Other Diocesan Objects—

.....	\$.....
.....	\$.....
.....	\$.....
Total.....	\$.....

General—

General Missions, apportioned \$.....	Paid \$.....
Domestic Missions.....	\$.....
Foreign Missions.....	\$.....
General Clergy Relief.....	\$.....
Woman's Auxiliary.....	\$.....
Value of Missionary Boxes.....	\$.....
Other General Objects—	

.....	\$.....
.....	\$.....
.....	\$.....
Total.....	\$.....

Grand Total Expended.....	\$.....
Balances, May 1, 19....., .....	\$.....

\*Current expenses include salaries of Clergy, Organist and Choir, Sexton, etc.; maintenance of building and grounds, namely, incidental repairs, fuel, light, taxes, and insurance; and fixed charges of public worship. Other items not fairly chargeable as current expenses should be summarized under another head.

Estimated Value of Church Property—

Church \$....., Chapel \$....., Hall \$.....	
Parish Buildings \$....., Rectory \$....., Building Lots \$....., Other Property \$.....	Total \$.....
If any of above is occupied under rent, state which and annual rental: \$.....	

**Indebtedness—**

On Church Building (bonded) \$....., on Rectory (bonded) \$....., on Other Property (bonded) \$.....; Floating Debt \$.....; Total \$.....; Amount paid on Bonded Debt during the year \$..... Title to property vested in whom?..... Which buildings insured and amount and kind of Insurance on each: .....

Is Insurance paid in full?.....

**Clergy Stipend—**

Sum promised by Parish or Mission, \$.....; how payable (quarterly, monthly, weekly)?.....

Grant from Diocesan Mission Board, \$.....; from other sources, \$..... Total amount paid to April 30th, \$..... If delinquent, state amount and how long overdue, \$.....

**Remarks—**

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The resolutions of the Committee seconded and carried.

Rev. A. W. Farnum presented for the Committee the following report:

**REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON SUNDAY SCHOOLS.**

Your Committee on Sunday Schools has not in its possession any statistical information which will throw light on the actual work of the year, although it believes conditions to be fairly satisfactory and encouraging.

We recommend most highly the New York Sunday School Commission Lessons, and feel that better results would be obtained were these used in a greater number of schools; but as these lessons are rather destitute of definite Church teaching, we recommend further the practice of a ten-minute drill in the Catechism after the Bible lesson has closed, this to be supplemented in the older grades by such books as give information on the ritual, history and teaching of the Church.

We also call attention to the fact that the Sunday Schools of Christ Church, St. Joseph, and St. Luke's, St. Joseph, have attained excellent results by a careful grading of the school.

Your Committee also feels that Missionary interest can be aroused by taking in the Sunday Schools the Canonical and recommended offerings, and also advise a revival of the practice of distributing Advent mite boxes, the contents to be applied on Diocesan Missions.

CARL REED TAYLOR.

ARTHUR WADSWORTH FARNUM.

The Bishop announced the following Committee for the Diocesan paper: The Rev. J. A. Schaad, Mr. A. C. Stowell and the Rev. A. W. Farnum.

Mr. A. C. Stowell presented the following resolution:

*Resolved*, That the assessments against the Parishes and Missions agreed upon by this Council be also the amount that shall be paid for the year 1910.

*Resolved*, That the Assessment Committee appointed at the Council to be held in 1910 shall fix the assessments for the year 1911, and that thereafter each Council shall fix the assessment for one year in advance.

*Resolved*, That the assessment Committee be a Board of Equalization to hear all appeals against said assessment.

Seconded and carried.

The Rev. E. H. Eckel asked for the appointment of two others to serve on the Committee on Assessment Plan and Parochial Report.

The Rev. F. C. O'Meara moved a vote of thanks to the Rev. E. H. Eckel for his fine work on this committee.

Seconded and carried.

Moved by Jay M. Lee that the Treasurer of the Diocese be authorized to borrow such an amount, not exceeding \$2,000.00, as he may find necessary, to carry on the work of the Diocese during the ensuing year.

Seconded and carried.

The Council proceeded to the election of delegates to the Missionary Conference of the Seventh District.

The Chair appointed Mr. E. F. Stebbins and the Rev. A. W. Farnum as Tellers.

It was moved by Mr. A. C. Stowell that the five of each order receiving the highest number of votes be declared elected as delegates.

Seconded and carried.

The following were elected:

Rev. J. A. Schaad.  
Rev. C. A. Weed.  
Rev. R. N. Spencer.  
Mr. A. C. Stowell.  
Mr. C. H. Childs.

Rev. E. H. Eckel  
Rev. J. D. Ritchey, D.D.  
Mr. Jay M. Lee.  
Mr. Horace Stringfellow.  
Mr. H. D. Ashley.

Mr. Jay M. Lee presented the Report of the Committee on St. Luke's Hospital.

#### **REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ST. LUKE'S HOSPITAL.**

While it has been the custom heretofore to have the Hospital Report cover the year ending February 28th, the report hereto attached covers the year ending November 30th, 1908. The Hospital being a beneficiary of

the Kansas City Hospital Day Association, whose fiscal year ends November 30th. we are required to file with them in detail the work done and financial condition covering the same period, much labor is saved and the same purpose is answered.

On December 1st, a bookkeeper was employed and an up-to-date system of bookkeeping installed. This relieves the Superintendent of all clerical work and some of the minor details, giving to her her full time to look after the general welfare of the Hospital, and to administer to the sick and distressed. This change has increased the efficiency of the Hospital and we believe will materially decrease the cost per day per patient, without in any manner decreasing the service heretofore rendered to patients.

The Hospital continues to be crowded and it is a frequent occurrence that we must refuse both pay and charity patients on account of lack of room.

A Committee of the Directors is now at work formulating plans for the ultimate erection of an up-to-date fire-proof Hospital at our present site, upon which we have ample ground space.

St. Luke's Hospital Club, an organization of young women, last year maintained one bed in the children's ward; this year the Club maintains two beds in said ward and threatens to take charge of all four of the beds. Similar hospital clubs should be organized in every Parish and Mission in the Diocese.

St. Luke's Hospital has a noble organization of women, three from each City Parish, which is taking an active interest in the Hospital, and have made and are making many improvements.

Since the establishment of the Hospital the Nurses' Training School has been constantly maintained. The first graduate was given her diploma in 1906; two more were graduated in 1907, three in 1908, and in a few weeks it is expected that six will have completed their course of instruction and will receive their diplomas.

In April of this year the Hospital received the sum of \$922.21 as a bequest from the late Rufus Barton Greene, a member of St. Paul's Parish, Kansas City. This amount, together with \$55.00 previously donated for the purpose, and enough from the general funds of the Hospital to make a total of \$1,000 has been set aside as the foundation of the "Bishop Atwill Cot" fund. It is desired that this fund be increased to \$5,000, for the purpose of endowing a free bed in perpetuity in the Hospital.

The report of the work done at the Hospital and financial statement are given below:

### Report.

Number of patients in Hospital December 1, 1907.....	16	
Patients received. ....	307	323
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Patients dismissed. ....	283	
Patients died. ....	25	308



Remaining Dceember 1. 1908.....	
Male. . . . .	
Female. . . . .	
Medical cases. . . . .	
Obstetrical. . . . .	
Surgical. . . . .	
Operations. . . . .	
Number of days of paid treatment.....	4
Number of days of free treatment.....	1
Number of charity patients.....	
Total cost of 5,274 days treatment.....	\$15,09
Average cost per patient per day.....	
Of patients received there were of our Communion.....	
Methodists. . . . .	
Christian. . . . .	
Presbyterians. . . . .	
Baptists. . . . .	
Congregationalists. . . . .	
Roman Catholics. . . . .	
Evangelical. . . . .	
Lutherans. . . . .	
Jewish. . . . .	
Christian Science. . . . .	
None. . . . .	

Financial Statement.

ASSETS.

Value of Hospital Buildings.....	\$25,081.41	
Furniture and Equipment.....	3,331.52	
		\$28.41
Accounts Receivable. . . . .	1,235.35	
Cash on Hand.....	355.51	1.59
Sponable Bequest. . . . .		9.25
		\$39.25

LIABILITIES.

First Mortgage Indebtedness.....	\$10,000.00	
Second Mortgage Indebtedness.....	4,250.00	
Floating Debt. . . . .	1,044.25	\$15,29
		\$23,95
Excess of Assets over Liabilities. . . . .		21,35
Excess of Assets over Liabilities, March 1, 1908.....		\$ 2,65

Charity work done during year ending December 1,  
1908. . . . . 1,758.15

Respectfully submitted,

JAY M. LEE.

M. G. HARMAN.

J. Q. WATKINS.

The Rev. F. C. O'Meara presented the following:

*Resolved*, That this Council appreciates the magnificent efforts of the Rev. C. A. Weed in the erection of the new Church at Joplin, regrets his absence and wishes him Godspeed in its completion.

Seconded and carried.

Mr. A. C. Stowell moved that the Diocesan Treasurer be authorized to pay to the Treasurer of the Missionary Board the sum of Seventy-five Dollars for credit of Trinity Church, Kansas City.

This motion is a substitute for the action taken this morning.

Seconded and carried.

On behalf of the Committee on Constitution and Canons Mr. James Blain presented the following report:

### **AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE III, SECTION 1, OF THE CONSTITUTION.**

(Amendment 1.)

*Resolved*, That Article III, Section 1, of the Constitution be amended by the substitution after the word "*provided*," of the words "that due notice of such change shall be given as long before the constitutional date as practicable under the circumstances," instead of the words, "however, that at least ten days' notice of such change shall be given;" so that the section, as amended, shall read:

SECTION 1. The Council of the Church in this Diocese shall annually assemble on the Tuesday after the second Sunday in May, at such place as shall have been appointed by the preceding Annual Council; but in case of the prevalence of infectious or epidemic disease at the appointed time and place of meeting, or for other sufficient cause, the Ecclesiastical Authority of the Diocese shall have power to change the time or place, or both, as the emergency may require; *provided*, that due notice of such change shall be given as long before the constitutional date as practicable under the circumstances, to every Clergyman, and to the Warden of every Parish and Mission not under the charge of a Clergyman.

### **AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE XV.**

(Amendment 2.)

SECTION 2. The Council shall have power to fix by canon the terms and conditions upon which any Parish or Mission may be forever released from the whole or a part of its annual assessment for the Diocesan Board.

**CANON XIX.**

(Amendment 3.)

SECTION 5. Any Parish or Mission which shall have contributed any sum of money or securities to the Permanent Episcopal Fund of the Diocese, or in whose name or for the benefit of which Parish or Mission any such sum of money or securities shall have been contributed by any person, guild, or other donor, shall be credited upon the amount of its annual assessment with the actual net income derived from the investment of said funds; and the same shall forever accrue to the benefit of said Parish or Mission, and be applied to the Diocesan Fund of the Diocese in which said Parish or Mission may be. In the event of a division of the Diocese, the whole amount of the principal sum or sums thus given to the Permanent Episcopal Fund of the Diocese shall, without division or diminution, be transferred to the Permanent Episcopal Fund of the Diocese in which said Parish or Mission may be after said division of the Diocese.

Proposed Addition to Canon X, to be known as Section 6.

(Amendment 4.)

Whenever a Parish which has been admitted into union with the Council shall for three consecutive years fall below the minimum numerical and financial strength which is *canonically* required for admission into union with the Council it shall, *ipso facto*, be placed upon the ecclesiastical and canonical basis of a Mission.

The Bishop and Standing Committee, acting together and upon official reports, shall be and hereby are empowered to decide when such conditions exist. And they shall give written notice of their decision to the Parish affected thereby.

Nothing in this section shall be construed so as in any way to affect title to property or the chartered rights given to Parishes by the State.

The Committee on Canons respectfully recommend the adoption of the above amendments to the Constitution.

Respectfully,

REV. J. A. SCHAAD,

REV. EDWARD HENRY ECKEL,

JAMES BLAIN,

*Committee on Canons.*

Upon resolution No. 1 the Rev. E. H. Eckel moved its adoption.

Seconded and carried.

On resolution No. 2 Mr. Jay M. Lee moved that it be laid on the table.

Seconded and carried.

On resolution No. 3 it was moved and carried that it be adopted.

On resolution No. 4 it was moved and carried that it be adopted.

It was moved by the Rev. F. C. O'Meara that the Secretary be authorized to publish six hundred copies of the Journal.

Seconded and carried.

On the motion of the Rev. F. C. O'Meara the salary of the Secretary was placed at One Hundred and Fifty Dollars for the ensuing year.

On motion of the Rev. F. C. O'Meara the thanks of the Council were extended to the united parishes of Kansas City, for entertainment.

The Rev. F. C. O'Meara reported to the Council for the Committee on Missionaries' Traveling Expenses that the sum of \$32.12 was needed for the expenses of five of the Missionaries.

On motion of the Rev. F. C. O'Meara it was resolved that the Traveling Expenses of the Missionaries in attendance upon this Council be paid out of the General Funds of the Diocese.

Seconded and carried.

The Rev. J. C. Hathaway presented the following report for the Committee on Missions.

### **THE COMMITTEE ON MISSIONS.**

Endorse the three recommendations made by the Committee on Missions of the Council of 1908 in reference to the Bishop's desire for a General Missionary; to Deans of Convocations making more extensive use of lay readers for scattered Church people in the smaller communities, and to Rectors endeavoring to organize Church Study Classes when as many as three or more Church people reside in one community.

The committee would further recommend to Rectors and Missionaries the trial of the District School house plan of occasional services suggested by Bishop Graves in the April number of the Spirit of Missions.

On motion of the Rev. D. H. Atwill it was resolved that the Secretary be requested to add to the list of Diocesan Officers at the beginning of each annual Journal a list of the committees, standing and special, which are to report to the next Council.

Seconded and carried.

Mr. Ben C. Howard introduced the following Minute:

In common with the Church in all its dioceses and missionary districts throughout our land and in the regions beyond, the Diocese of Kansas City desires to place upon record its profound appreciation of the life and services of the late George C. Thomas, Treasurer of the Board of

Missions, and the irreparable loss we have sustained on account of his death.

Mr. A. C. Stowell on behalf of St. George's Parish, Kansas City, invited the 21st Annual Council to meet with them.

On motion his invitation was unanimously accepted.

On motion the Council adjourned sine die.

E. R. ATWILL,

*Bishop.*

Attest: CARL REED TAYLOR, *Secretary.*

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## Parochial Reports.

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### BLACKBURN.

(Saline County.)

#### CHURCH OF THE MEDIATOR.

Organized February 17, 1856.

No report.

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### BOONVILLE.

(Cooper County.)

#### CHRIST CHURCH.

Organized 1835.

Rector, S. C. Walton, Boonville, Mo.

Wardens, S. W. Ravenel, Senior Warden; Dr. G. A. Russell, Junior Warden.

Secretary, Fred Sombart, Boonville, Mo.

Treasurer, C. P. Gott, Boonville, Mo.

Vestrymen: W. S. Stephens, W. F. H. Godson, G. T. Irwin, M. E. Schmidt, J. W. Casgrove and Fred Sauter.

Families, 32; souls, 92; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 87 communicants, male 24, female 37, total 61; number of communions made at Easter, 55; baptisms, infants 1, adults 1, total 2; confirmed, 12; marriages, none; received from R. C., 1; burials, none; celebrations of the Holy Communion, public 34, in private 5, total 39; public services since December 6, 1908, (exclusive of celebrations), 150; Sermons and addresses, 144; Sunday school, yes. Number of teachers 5, scholars 42, total 47; is there a church building? Yes. Number of seats, free, 200, rented none, assigned none, total 200; amount of insurance, \$3,300.00. Is it paid in full? Yes. Is there a rectory? Yes. Amount of insurance, \$1,000.00. Is it paid in full? Yes. Who holds title to the property? The Rector, Church Wardens and Vestrymen. Amount of salary promised by parish (Mission), \$700.00; amount of salary paid to April 30th, \$300.00; amount of salary received from Diocesan Missionary Board, none; amount of salary received from other sources, none.

#### FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1909.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$492.69; charity, \$4.53; other expenses within the parish \$125.20. Total, \$622.42.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$79.20; Diocesan missions, \$50.00; disabled clergy fund, \$2.15; bishop's purse, \$20.43. Total, \$151.78.

General: General missions, \$7.00; domestic missions, \$7.00. Total, \$14.00.  
Total expenditure for all purposes, \$788.20.

Value of church property: church and grounds, \$6,000.00; rectory and grounds, \$2,000.00; other property, organ and furniture, \$2,000.00.

Total value of all parish property, \$10,000.00.

No indebtedness.

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**BROOKFIELD.**

(Linn County.)

**GRACE CHURCH.**

Organized 1874.

No report.

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**BRUNSWICK.**

(Chariton County.)

**ST. PAUL'S.**

Organized 1857.

No report.

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**CARROLLTON.**

(Carroll County.)

Organized 1870, admitted 1873.

Families, 8; souls, 30 known, some others heard of; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 20; communicants, male 1, female 5, total 6; number of communions made at Easter, no service; confirmed, no service held for two years nearly. Is there a church building? Yes. Number of seats, free, 150. Amount of insurance, \$1,000. Is it paid in full? Yes. Who holds title to the property? Parochial Trust Fund.

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1909.

Parochial: No records have been kept of many affairs—see expenses paid by warden.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$2,500.00. Total value of all parish property, \$2,500.00.

No indebtedness.

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**CARTHAGE.**

(Jasper County.)

**GRACE CHURCH.**

Organized April 20, 1869.

Rector, Fred C. O'Meara, 820 Howard street.

Wardens, T. N. Davey and J. P. Newell.

Secretary, Maurice C. Conkey, Carthage, Mo.

Treasurer, R. E. Frey, Carthage, Mo.

Vestrymen: T. N. Davey, J. P. Newell, A. M. Drake, Charles Drake.

D. G. Wells, R. E. Frey, M. C. Conkey, H. H. Harding, R. W. Jay.

Families, 90; souls, 350; number of baptized persons (infant and adult)

in cure, 320; communicants, male 45, female 120, total 165; number of communions made at Easter, 120; baptisms, infants 9, adults 11, total 20; confirmed, 11; marriages, 13; burials, 15; celebrations of the holy communion, public 50, in private 5, total 55; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 190; sermons and addresses, 175; Sunday school, number of teachers 10, scholars 120, total 130. Is there a church building? Yes. Number of seats, free, 230; total, 230. Amount of insurance, \$3,000.00. Is it paid in full? Yes. Is there a rectory? Yes. Parish House, \$2,000.00, insurance paid in full. Who holds title to the property? Vestry. Amount of salary promised by parish, \$1 500.00. Amount of salary paid to April 30th, \$1,200.00. Amount of salary received from Diocesan Missionary Board, none. Amount of salary received from other sources, grant of \$200 for services at Webb City.

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1909.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$1,900.00; \$2,500.00 was paid for the organ, and \$2,500.00 was paid for the parish house. Total, \$6,900.00.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$187.50; diocesan missions, \$100.00; disabled clergy fund, \$20.00; bishop's purse, \$15.00. Total, \$322.50.

General: General missions, \$60.00. Total, \$60.00.

Total Expenditure for all purposes, \$7,282.50.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$1,500.00; rectory and grounds, \$2,500.00; other property, parish house and grounds, \$4,000.00.

Total value of all parish property, \$21,500.00.

No indebtedness.

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**CHILLICOTHE.**  
(Livingston County.)  
**GRACE CHURCH.**  
Organized 1858.

Rector, Arthur M. Griffin, Chillicothe, Mo.

Wardens, A. McVey, Senior Warden; A. Leeper, Junior Warden.

Secretary, Sherman Nicholas.

Treasurer, Sherman Nicholas.

Vestrymen: John Milbank, G. C. Sherman, W. W. Voelker, C. B. Swan, Dr. L. E. Tracy, J. F. Hawley, Louis Gould, Fred Hanley, Mason W. Little, Harry Hunt, E. R. Moss.

Families, 60; souls, about 200; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, about 180; communicants, male 37, female 81, total 118; number of communions made at Easter, 87; baptisms, infants 5, adults none, total 5; confirmed, 4; marriages, 4; burials, 2; celebrations of the holy communion, public 82, in private 4, total 86; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 217; sermons and addresses, 210; Sunday school, number of teachers 4, scholars 38, total 42. Is there a church building? Yes. Number of seats, free, all; total, 200. Amount of insurance, \$3,500. Is it paid in full? Yes. Is there a rectory? Yes. Amount of insurance, \$3,500. Is it paid in full? Yes. Who holds title to the property? Rector and Vestrymen. Amount of salary promised by parish \$1,200. Amount of salary paid to April 30th \$1,200.



## FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1909.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$1,440.20; permanent improvements, \$485.65; charity, alms, \$38.00; other expenses within the parish, Sunday school, \$33.00; music, \$35.00. Total, \$2,031.85.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$154.00; diocesan missions, \$75.00; theological education fund, \$5.00; bishop's purse, \$10.00; St. Luke's hospital, \$5.00; "Diocese of Kansas City" (Journal), \$5.00. Total, \$254.00.

General: General missions, S. S. Lenten offering, \$22.00. Total, \$22.00.  
Total Expenditure for all purposes, \$2,307.85.

Value of Church Property: Church and grounds, \$7,000.00; rectory and grounds, \$5,000; other property, \$500.00. Total value of all parish property, \$12,500.00.

Indebtedness on church property: Indebtedness on church (bonded), \$1,215.00. Total indebtedness, \$1,215.

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**FAYETTE.**

(Howard County.)

**ST. MARY'S.**

Organized 1835.

Rector, S. C. Walton, Boonville, Mo.

Wardens, J. H. Pearson, John Talbot, Fayette, Mo.

Secretary, J. H. Pearson.

Treasurer, J. H. Pearson.

Families, 8; souls, 29; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 40; communicants, male 12, female 16, total 28; number of communions made at Easter, 12; confirmed, 2; burials, 2; celebrations of the holy communion, public 5, in private none, total 5; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 9; sermons and addresses, 13; number of seats, free, 100, rented none, assigned none, total 100. Who holds title to the property? Bishop. Amount of salary promised by parish, \$100.00. Amount of salary paid to April 30th, \$25.00. Amount of salary received from diocesan missionary board, \$50.00. Amount of salary received from other sources, none.

## FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1909.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$52.70. Total, \$52.70.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$2.00; bishop's purse, \$3.75. Total, \$5.75.  
Total expenditure for all purposes, \$58.45.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$4,000.00; other property, \$700.00. Total value of all parish property, \$4,700.00

No indebtedness.

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**INDEPENDENCE.**

(Jackson County.)

**TRINITY CHURCH.**

Organized 1843.

No report.

**JOPLIN.**

(Jasper County.)

**ST. PHILIP'S.**

Organized 1891.

**Rector.** Chas. A. Weed, Joplin, Mo.**Wardens,** Arthur E. Bendelars, Haywood Scott.**Secretary.** Frederick S. Cook.**Treasurer,** Harvey C. Shaw.**Vestrymen:** H. H. Gregg, N. Paige, Jr., P. C. Campbell.**Report incomplete** as rector is in the East raising funds for completion of new church.—Frederick S. Cook, secretary.**FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1909.****Parochial:** Current expenses (including all salaries), \$1,799.70; permanent improvements, \$10,000.00; other expenses within the parish (interest on borrowed money), \$19.46. Total, \$11,819.16.**Diocesan:** Diocesan assessment, \$158.96; diocesan missions, \$25.00; disabled clergy fund, \$1.40. Total, \$185.36.**General:** General missions, \$2.05. Total, \$2.05.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$12,006.57.

Indebtedness on church property: Indebtedness on church and rectory (bonded), \$5,000.00; floating debt, \$2,556.50. Total indebtedness, \$7,556.50.

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**KANSAS CITY.**

(Jackson County.)

**GRACE CHURCH.**

Organized July 20, 1870.

**Rector,** Julius A. Schaad, 1707 Penn street, Kansas City, Mo.**Wardens,** Henry D. Ashley, Bernard D. Rowe.**Secretary,** E. M. Clendening.**Treasurer,** L. R. Moore, Jr.**Vestrymen:** T. B. Tomb, W. M. Reid, W. H. Chapman, W. C. Goffe, B. C. Christopher, J. W. MacKenzie, W. R. Jacques, E. P. Pratt, W. R. Clark, C. W. Green, B. Rockwell.**Families** (estimated), 175; **souls** (estimated), 600; **communicants**, male 135, female 249, total 384; **number of communions** made at Easter, 189; **baptisms**, infants 17, adults 24, total 41; **confirmed**, 26; **marriages**, 19; **burials**, 30; **celebrations of the holy communion**, public 84, in private 4, total 88; **public services** (exclusive of celebrations), 201; **sermons and addresses**, 170; **Sunday school**, number of teachers 18, scholars 231, total 249. Is there a church building? Yes. Number of seats, free, 610; rented, 176; assigned, 14; total, 800. Amount of insurance, \$42,000. Is it paid in full? Yes. Is there a rectory? No. Amount of insurance, none. Who holds title to the property? Rector, Wardens and Vestrymen. Amount of salary promised by parish, \$3,000.00. Amount of salary paid to April 30th, \$3,000.00. Amount of salary received from diocesan

Missionary board, none. Amount of salary received from other sources, none.

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1909.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$6,168.46; permanent improvements, \$2,018.90; charity, \$272.25; other expenses within the parish (including all guilds and two Sunday schools), \$909.00. Total, \$9,368.61.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$594.00; diocesan missions, \$570.95; bishop's purse, \$210.54; other objects within the diocese (St. Luke's hospital, etc., \$95.00; Grace Hall City Mission, \$2,877.23); \$2,972.23. Total, \$4,347.72.

General: General missions (not including aux.), \$88.50; other objects without the diocese, \$104.50. Total, \$193.00.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$13,909.33.

Value of church property: Church and grounds (not including memorials), \$100,000.00; organ, \$10,000.00; other property, \$12,000.00.

Indebtedness on church property: Indebtedness on church (bonded), none; indebtedness on rectory (bonded), none; indebtedness on other property (bonded), none; floating debt (new roof, etc.), \$2,000.00.

ST. GEORGE'S.

Organized March 23, 1891.

Rector, Cyrus Townsend Brady, L. L. D., 29th and Tracy avenue.

Wardens, A. C. Stowell (Rector's), and F. M. Hayward (Vestry's).

Secretary, P. W. Martine, 3219 Woodland.

Treasurer, Wm. Mendenhall, 3125 Woodland.

Vestrymen: R. T. Alexander, J. V. B. Ellard, F. S. Ford, B. C. Howard, C. T. Neal, A. W. Peet, H. J. S. Seeley, W. L. Richards, Robert Waddell, J. Q. Watkins and George Wise.

Families, 150; souls, about 550; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 493; communicants, male 130, female 237, total 367; number of communions made at Easter, 278; baptisms, infants 5, adults 10, total 15; confirmed, 21; burials, 2; celebrations of the holy communion, public about 85, in private 2, total about 87; public services (exclusive of celebrations), about 200; sermons and addresses, about 150; Sunday school, number of teachers 25, scholars 213, total 238. Is there a church building? One now in course of erection. Is there a rectory? One now in course of erection. Amount of salary promised by parish, \$3,000.00 per annum. Amount of salary paid to April 30th, at the rate of \$3,000.00 per annum. Amount of salary received from diocesan missionary board, none. Amount of salary received from other sources, none.

Note—Most of the statistics given are estimates, the present rector having been in residence only since January 15, 1909.

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1909.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$1,471.23; charity, \$64.11; furniture, \$260.55; payment on lot, \$3,884.75. Total, \$7,680.64.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$350.00; diocesan missions, \$175.00; other objects within the diocese, \$6.00. Total, \$531.00.

General: General clergy relief fund, \$20.00; missions to Colored-Indians and deaf mutes, \$12.61. Total, \$32.61.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$8,244.25.

Value of church property: Grounds only, \$20,300.00; other property, furniture and organ, say, \$700.00. Total value of all parish property, \$21,000.00.

Indebtedness, mortgage on lot, \$8,500.00. Total indebtedness, \$8,500.00.

### ST. MARK'S.

Organized April 12, 1889.

Rector, Arthur Wadsworth Farnum, 518 Prospect boulevard.

Wardens, Timothy C. Bradley, Charles J. Lawson.

Secretary, Harold E. Hawkins, 2618 East Eighth street.

Treasurer, Alfred Hamlin, 500 Brooklyn avenue.

Vestrymen: A. D. Johnson, Fred H. Wood, Clement A. Whittaker, W. Meigs Bland, Wm. T. Hall.

Families, 88; souls, 308; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 261; communicants, male 77, female 117, total 194; number of communions made at Easter, 105; baptisms, infants 6, adults none, total 6; confirmed, 4; marriages, 1; burials, 1; \*celebrations of the holy communion, public 65, in private 8, total 73; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 78; sermons and addresses, 85; Sunday school, number of teachers 8, scholars 39, total 47. Is there a church building? Yes. Number of seats, free, 200. Is there a rectory? No. Amount of insurance, \$3,000. Is it paid in full? Yes. Who holds title to the property? Rector, Wardens and Vestry. Amount of salary promised by parish, \$1,500 per annum, since November 8, 1908. Amount of salary paid to April 30th, in full.

\*All reports of services date from November 8, 1908, only.

#### FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1909.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$1,356.31; permanent improvements, \$117.20; charity, 25 cents; insurance, \$75.00. Total, \$1,548.76.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$69.30; diocesan missions, \$100.00; aux. box to Amazonia, \$4.00; permanent Episcopal fund, \$3.85; diocesan paper, \$25.00; bishop's purse (of which woman's Aux. \$30), \$36.00; St. Luke's hospital, \$7.96; W. Aux.'y. box to St. Luke's hospital, \$42.65. Total, \$288.76.

General: General missions, \$63.02; \*Sunday school lenten offering to general missions (including last year's \$30.00), \$77.15; domestic missions, \$8.92; woman's auxiliary scholarships, etc., \$15.50; woman's auxiliary boxes to domestic field, \$23.50; general clergy relief (of which \$2.91 automatic pension account), \$23.70; mission churches, \$2.00; Bishop Blyth's mission in Jerusalem and Far East, \$4.80. Total, \$218.59.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$2,056.11.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$6,000.00.

Indebtedness on church property: Indebtedness on church lot (bonded), \$2,000.00; floating debt, \$150.00. Total indebtedness, \$2,150.00.

Amount paid on bonded debt during the year, \$65.00.

\*The children's lenten offering of a year ago amounting to \$30, was during the vacancy in the rectorship held over into the present fiscal year.

### ST. MARY'S.

Organized December 14, 1857.

Rector, J. Stewart Smith, 1307 Holmes street.

Wardens, B. E. Fryer, M. D., Thomas Pain.

Secretary, M. G. Harman, 305 Hall building.

Treasurer, F. A. Smith, 803 Commerce building.

Vestrymen: E. C. Hamill, F. H. Cutler, A. P. Devereux, J. S. Smith, J. L. Jost.

Families, 80; souls, 350; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 260; communicants, male 73, female 157, total 230; number of communions made at Easter, 130; baptisms, infants 12, adults 6, total 18; confirmed, (visitation May 30, 1909); marriages, 11; burials, 7; celebrations of the holy communion, public 392, in private 29, total 421; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 640; sermons and addresses, 149; Sunday school, number of teachers 6, scholars 50, total 56. Is there a church building? Yes. Number of seats, free, all; total, 400. Amount of insurance, ..... Is it paid in full? Yes. Is there a rectory? Yes. Amount of insurance, ..... Is it paid in full? Yes. Who holds title to the property? Rector, Church Wardens and Vestrymen. Amount of salary promised by parish, \$1,500. Amount of salary paid to April 30th, \$1,375.

#### FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1909.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$2,402.09; charity, \$75.00; interest on loan, \$245.15. Total, \$2,722.24.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$277.20; diocesan missions, \$67.25; disabled clergy fund, \$30.00; theological education fund, \$5.00; bishop's purse, \$5.00. Total, \$379.45.

General: General missions (not yet sent in).

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$3,191.69.

Indebtedness on church property: Indebtedness on church (bonded), \$4,500.00; indebtedness on other property (bonded), \$2,900.00. Total indebtedness, \$7,400.00.

Amount paid on bonded debt during the year, \$400.00.

### ST. PAUL'S.

Organized May 5, 1891.

Rector, J. D. Ritchey, D. D., 40th and Walnut streets.

Wardens, Walton H. Holmes, Sr., Egbert Chapman, Jr.

Secretary, O. W. Pratt, 304 First National Bank building, Kansas City.

Treasurer, T. J. Brodnax, 402-3 Board of Trade building, Kansas City.

Vestrymen: Gardiner Lathrop, Edward George, Alfred Toll, C. W. Armour, F. Stanley Young, Charles J. Hubbard, John Fennelly, George M. Taylor, John T. Graves, Benjamin B. Lee.

Families, 350; souls (estimated), 1,000; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure (estimated), 750; communicants, male 93, female 231, total 324; number of communions made at Easter, 261; baptisms,

infants 15, adults 8, total 23; confirmed, 27; marriages, 17; burials, 13; celebrations of the holy communion, public 69, in private 2, total 71; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 135; sermons and addresses, 171; Sunday school, number of teachers 24, scholars 193, total 217. Is there a church building? Yes. Number of seats, free, 50, rented 480, assigned 30, total 570. Amount of insurance, \$36,500. Is it paid in full? Yes. Is there a rectory? No. Who holds title to the property? Rector, Wardens and Vestrymen. Amount of salary promised by parish, \$3,000.00. Amount of salary paid to April 30th, \$3,000.00.

#### FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1909.

**Parochial:** Current expenses (including all salaries), \$7,915.27; permanent improvements, \$133.00; charity, \$239.48; other expenses within the parish, \$67.50. Total, \$8,355.25.

**Diocesan:** Diocesan assessment, \$720.00; diocesan missions, \$450.00; disabled clergy fund, \$54.50; bishop's purse, \$123.75. Total, \$1,348.25.

**General:** General Missions (Sunday school Lenten offerings \$112.29, apportionment \$216.00), \$328.29. Total, \$328.29.

**Total expenditure for all purposes,** \$10,031.79.

**Value of church property:** Church and grounds, \$50,000.00. Total value of all parish property, \$50,000.00.

**Indebtedness on church property:** Indebtedness on church (bonded), \$18,000.00. Total indebtedness, \$18,000.00.

**Amount paid on bonded debt during the year,** \$2,000.00.

#### TRINITY CHURCH.

(Organized 1883.)

**Rector,** Robert Nelson Spencer, 1004 Park avenue.

**Wardens,** John T. Harding, Geo. I. Kimball.

**Secretary,** J. E. Long, 3232 Morrell.

**Treasurer,** Fred B. Mertsheimer, 610 New York Life building.

**Vestrymen:** Albert White, J. H. Ashley, W. M. Federmann, R. W. Cary, C. H. Childs, John Gosling, J. C. Fuller, H. P. Scott, W. H. Smith, E. F. Swinney, J. E. Long, Fred B. Mertsheimer.

**Families,** (estimated) 225; **souls,** (estimated) 1,000; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, (estimated) 800; communicants, 500; number of communions made at Easter, 280; baptisms, 14; confirmed, 7; marriages, 17; burials, 21; celebrations of holy communion, public 72, in private 8, total 80; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 170; sermons and addresses, 200; Sunday school, number of teachers 10, scholars 85, total 95. Is there a church building? Yes. Number of seats, free 600, total 600. Amount of insurance, \$20,000; is it paid in full? Yes. Is there a rectory? No. Who holds title to property? American Church Building Fund Company, subject to contract with Rector and Vestry of Trinity Church wherein latter will obtain title to property on payment of \$24,000. Amount of salary promised by Parish, \$3,000. Amount of salary paid to April 30th, \$3,000.

Amount of salary received from Diocesan Missionary Board, none.  
Amount of salary received from other sources, none.

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1909.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$5,863.38; permanent improvements, \$295.57; charity, \$250.00; other expenses within the Parish, \$209.00; total, \$6,617.95.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$550.00; diocesan missions, \$250.00; bishop's purse, \$12.63; other objects within the diocese, mid-winter convention, \$20.00. Total, \$832.63.

General: General missions, \$25.00. Total, \$25.00.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$7,475.58.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$80,000.00; rectory and grounds, none; other property, none. Total value of parish property, \$80,000.00.

Indebtedness on church property: Indebtedness on church (bonded), \$24,000.00; floating debt, \$1,000.00. Total indebtedness, \$25,000.00.

Amount paid on bonded debt during the year, \$1,000.0.

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**LEXINGTON.**

(Lafayette County.)

**CHRIST CHURCH.**

Organized Easter Day, March 23, 1845.

Rector, John V. Plunkett, Lexington, Mo.

Wardens: J. F. Forster, Senior Warden; B. M. Little, Junior Warden, Lexington, Mo.

Secretary, L. D. Lesueur, Lexington, Mo.

Treasurer, J. F. Forster, Lexington, Mo.

Vestrymen: John Reinhard, B. I. Wiley, I. G. Neale, B. M. Little, J. F. Forster, L. D. Lesueur.

Families, 19; souls, 57; number of baptized persons (infant and adult), in cure, 50; communicants, male 7, female 25, total 32; baptisms, infants 1; burials, 3; celebrations of holy communion, public 14, in private 1, total 15; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 14; sermons and addresses, 42; Sunday school, number of teachers 3, scholars 25, total 28. Is there a church building? Yes. Number of seats, free 225. Is there a rectory? No. Amount of salary promised by parish, \$400.00; amount of salary paid to April 30th, \$240.00; amount of salary received from Diocesan Missionary Board, \$80.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1909.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$255.30.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$30.00; disabled clergy fund, \$3.00; bishop's purse, \$2.45. Total, \$35.45.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$4,000; vacant lot adjacent to church lot, \$1,000; rectory trust fund—bank, \$1,500. Total value of all parish property, \$6,500.

**MARYVILLE.**

(Nodaway County.)

St. PAUL'S.

Organized March 1, 1878.

Rector, Jay C. Hathaway, Maryville, Mo.

Warden, E. J. Williams.

Families, 23; souls, 67; number of baptized persons (infant and adult), in cure, 62; communicants, male 12, female 17, total 29; number of communions made at Easter, public 14, private 2, total 16; number of communicants made up to Easter, individuals receiving since work began in October, 25; marriages, 2; burials, 3; celebrations of holy communion since October 18, 1908, public 47, in private 5, total 52; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 137; sermons and addresses, 149; Sunday school, number of teachers 2, scholars 7, total 9; have opened mission Sunday school in southeast part of city, first Sunday, May 2, 2 teachers, 4 pupils. Is there a church building? Yes. Number of seats, free, 150. Amount of insurance, \$750.00. Is it paid in full? Yes. Is there a rectory? No. Who holds title to the property? Rector, Church Wardens and Vestry of St. Paul's Church. Amount of salary promised by parish, \$500.00; amount of salary paid to April 30th, \$333.14; amount of salary received from Diocesan Missionary Board, \$150.00; amount of salary received from other sources, \$83.33. For seven months' Rector's services and two months' Lay Readers, \$566.47.

## FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1909.

**P**arochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$402.03; permanent improvements, strengthening church, \$20.90. Total, \$422.93.

**D**iocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$11.00; diocesan missions, \$25.00; bishop's purse, \$2.40. Total, \$38.40.

**G**eneral: General Missions, \$8.00; Sunday school Easter offering, \$3.00; other objects without the diocese, Harvard, Ill., Rectory Fund, \$1.00. Total, \$12.00.

**V**alue of church property: Church and grounds, \$250.00.

**I**ndebtedness on church property: Floating debt, for shingling roof due, but with money in hand, \$57.00.

Total indebtedness, \$57.00.

We have a building fund started of \$5,000.

**NEVADA.**

(Vernon County.)

ALL SAINTS'.

Organized 1872.

Rector, Charles H. Bohn, Nevada.

Wardens: Henry Kraft, Jr., and B. F. George, Nevada.

Vestrymen: Robt. Gabrielsen, Harry Mitchell, Charles Graves, Nevada.

Families, 37; souls, 104; communicants, male 17, female 36, total 53; number of communions made at Easter, 50; baptisms, infants 3, adults 4, total 7; marriages 5; burials 8; celebrations of the holy communion, public 17; sermons and addresses, 136; Sunday school, number of scholars 27, teachers 6, total 33; amount of insurance, \$3,000. Is it paid



in full? Yes. Who holds title to the property? Parochial Trust.  
Amount of salary promised by parish, \$150.00 for part of the year;  
amount of salary paid to April 30th, \$137.00.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$978.00; permanent improvements, \$300.00. Total, \$1,278.00.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$60.00; diocesan missions, \$35.00; other objects within the diocese, St. Luke's Hospital, \$5.00. Total, \$1,378.00.

General: General missions, \$17.00; other objects without the diocese Sunday School, \$10.00. Total, \$27.00.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$4,000.

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### PLEASANT HILL.

(Cass County.)

#### CALVARY CHURCH.

Organized 1868.

Wardens: Jno. Holloway and James Ainsworth, Pleasant Hill, Mo.

Secretary, Jno. Holloway, Pleasant Hill, Mo.

Treasurer, Jno. Holloway, Pleasant Hill, Mo.

Vestrymen: John Holloway and James Ainsworth, Pleasant Hill, Mo.

Families, 11; souls, 24; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 24; communicants, male 8, female 14, total 22; celebrations of holy communion, public 3; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 12. Is there a church building? Yes. Is there a rectory? No. Amount of salary paid to April 30th, \$45.70.

#### FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1909.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$52.66.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$1,000.00; other property, \$100.00. Total, \$1,100.00.

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### ST. JOSEPH.

(Buchanan County.)

#### CHRIST CHURCH.

(Not including St. Luke's Mission, for which see page —.)

Organized 1852.

Rector, Edward Henry Eckel, B.D., Christ Church Rectory.

Curate, the Rev. Giles Herbert Sharpley, 2307 Jule Street.

Wardens: W. R. Millan and Horace Stringfellow.

Secretary, W. S. Hendrick, 607 South Seventh Street.

Treasurer, Horace Stringfellow, 731 South Fourth Street.

Vestrymen: G. D. Cartwell, F. A. H. Garlicks, C. E. Green, E. C. Hartwig, W. S. Hendrick, C. L. Holland, James Hull, O. B. Knight, H. Y. Lemon and Horace Wood

Families, 440; souls, 887; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 850; communicants, 622; number of communions made at Easter, 374; baptisms, infants 23, adults 3, total 26; confirmed, 10; marriages, 17; churchings, 4; burials, 20; celebrations of the holy communion, public 108, in private 13, total 121; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 274; sermons and addresses, 186; Sunday School.

number of teachers 28, scholars 186, total 212. Is there a church building? Yes. Number of seats, free 40, rented 508, total 600; amount of insurance, \$15,000. Is it paid in full? Yes. Is there a rectory? Yes. Amount of insurance, \$6,000. Is it paid in full? Yes. Who holds title to the property? The Rector, Church Wardens and Vestry. Amount of salary by Parish, Rector, \$2,860.00; Curate, \$1,000 raised by Rector privately. Total \$3,860.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1909.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$7,605.30; permanent improvements, \$45.85; charity, \$130.77; other expenses within the parish, \$153.34. Total, \$8,200.70.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$990.00; diocesan missions, \$614.86; theological education fund, \$25.00; bishop's purse, \$95.02; other objects within the diocese, diocesan paper, \$188.00; mileage for church meetings, \$12.81. Total, \$1,755.69.

General: General missions, \$594.54; domestic missions, \$63.46; foreign missions, \$74.25; other objects without the diocese, general clergy relief, \$64.03. Total, \$796.28.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$10,752.67.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$20,000.00; rectory and grounds, \$12,000.00; other property, \$1,700.00. Total value of all parish property, \$33,700.00.

No indebtedness.

HOLY TRINITY.

Organized 1866.

Rector, vacant.

Wardens, John Howe, F. L. Graham.

Secretary, F. L. Graham, 1512 South Twelfth street.

Treasurer, C. F. Horan, 3104 Messanie street.

Vestrymen: J. H. Allen, Thomas Brown, O. R. Miller, F. D. Keys, F. D. Archer, Chas. Compton, W. J. Moore, C. F. Horan.

Families, 44; souls, 111; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 100; communicants, male 24, female 45, total 69; number of communions made at Easter, 35; baptisms, infants 2, adults, none, total 2; confirmed, 2; marriages, 1; burials, 6; celebrations of the holy communion, public 46, in private, none, total 46; public services (exclusive of celebrations), about 100; sermons and addresses, about 100; Sunday school, number of officers and teachers 5, scholars 45, total 50. Is there a church building? Yes. Number of seats, free, 250, rented none, assigned, none, total 250. Amount of insurance, \$3,500.00. Is it paid in full? Yes. (May 22.) Is there a rectory? No. Who holds title to the property? Parochial Trust Fund. Amount of salary promised by parish, \$600.00. Amount of salary paid to rector to March 1st, \$500.00; supplies, \$35.00; \$535.00. Amount of salary received from Diocesan missionary board, estimated \$166.67. Amount of salary from other sources, St. Mary's, Savannah, Mo., estimated \$83.33.

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1909.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$608.44; permanent

improvements, \$33.59; charity, \$2.85; other expenses within the parish, \$69.45. Total \$714.33.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$18.28; diocesan missions, \$15.57; other objects within the diocese, St. Luke's hospital, K. C., \$3.15. Total, \$37.00.

General: Other objects without the diocese, Amer. Ch. Bldg. Fund \$3.86; General Clergy Relief, \$13.65; N. Y. Bible and P. B. Society, \$5.45. Total, \$22.96.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$774.29.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, including Parish house and sexton's house, \$8,000.00. Total value of all parish property, \$8,000.00.

Indebtedness on church property: Floating debt, \$150.03 Total indebtedness, \$150.03.

Remarks: The Rev. Henry L. A. Fick resigned January 20th, after four years rectorship and left February 20th. Since then services have been kept up by clerical supplies and layreader. The floating debt of \$150.03 reported above has since May 1st been reduced to \$84.79 balance of street paving bill.

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### SEDALIA.

(Pettis County.)

### CALVARY.

Organized 1871.

Rector, Douglass Henry Atwill, Broadway and Ohio streets.

Wardens, D. H. Smith, senior, A. D. Stanberry, junior.

Secretary, E. W. Lamy, Tenth and Missouri.

Treasurer, C. C. Evans, Sedalia Trust Co.

Vestrymen: D. H. Smith, A. D. Stanley, E. W. Lamy, F. W. Mellor, W. T. Maltby, Edgar Metcalf, W. E. Parsons, C. N. Price, A. A. Baker.

Families, 105; souls, 458; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 319; communicants, male 64, female 95, total 159; number of communions made at Easter, 106; baptisms, infants 4, adults 2, total 6; confirmed, 12; marriages, 4; burials, 5; celebrations of the holy communion, public 64, in private none, total 64; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 160; sermons and addresses, 115; Sunday school, number of teachers 7, scholars 63, total 70. Is there a church building? Yes. Number of seats, free, 60, rented 170, assigned 70, total 300. Amount of insurance, \$9,000.00. Is it paid in full? Yes. Is there a rectory? Yes. Amount of insurance, \$5,000.00. Is it paid in full? Yes. Who holds title to the property? Calvary Episcopal Church. Amount of salary promised by parish, \$1,200.00. Amount of salary paid to April 30th, \*\$925.00.

\*Salary increased to \$1,200.00, April 1, 1909.

#### FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1909.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$1,513.08; permanent improvements, \$40.00; charity, \$15.50; other expenses within the

parish, set aside toward the organ fund, \$300.00; miscellaneous, \$23.10. Total, \$1,891.68.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$100.00; diocesan missions, \$28.18; disabled clergy fund, \$6.04; theological education fund, \$3.24; bishop's purse, \$18.15; other objects within the diocese, \$3.31. Total, \$158.92.

General: Easter Sunday school offering, \$26.00. Total, \$26.00.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$2,076.60.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$20,500.00; rectory and grounds, \$7,500.00; other property, \$2,000.00. Total value of all parish property, \$30,000.00.

Indebtedness on church property: indebtedness on rectory (bonded), \$3,250.00; indebtedness on other property (bonded), \$500.00; floating debt, \$100.00. Total indebtedness, \$3,850.00.

Amount paid on bonded debt during the year, \$250.00.

### SPRINGFIELD.

(Greene County.)

#### CHRIST CHURCH.

Organized 1860.

Rector, Andrew Harper, Jr., Springfield, Mo.

Wardens, James Blain and Harry Cooper.

Secretary, John Syfon, Springfield, Mo.

Treasurer, H. Z. Williams, Springfield, Mo.

Vestrymen: Geo. H. McCann, Harry Cooper, H. Z. Williams, John Syfon, George Cooper, Washington Adams, James Blain.

Families, 40; souls, 160; communicants, male 40, female 120, total 160; confirmed, 6; marriages, 2; burials, 2. Amount of insurance, \$6,900.00. Is it paid in full? Yes. Is there a rectory? Yes. Amount of insurance, \$3,000.00. Is it paid in full? Yes. Who holds title to the property? Parochial Trust Fund. Amount of salary promised by parish (mission), \$1,000. Amount of salary paid to April 30th, \$1,000.

#### FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1909.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$1,410.00; other expenses within the parish, \$65.00. Total, \$1,475.00.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$181.50; diocesan missions, \$50.00; disabled clergy fund, \$6.40; bishop's purse, \$15.10. Total, \$253.00.

General: General missions, \$17.85. Total, \$17.85.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$1,745.85.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$12,000.00; rectory and grounds, \$6,000.00. Total value of all parish property, \$18,000.00.

Indebtedness on church property: Indebtedness on church (bonded), \$1,850.00; floating debt, \$500.00. Total indebtedness, \$2,350.00.

### ST. JOHN'S.

Organized 1886.

No report.

**WARRENSBURG.**

(Johnson County.)

**CHRIST CHURCH.**

(Organized 1868.)

Rector, vacant.

Wardens, Chas. A. Shepard and Joseph Tuttle.

Secretary, G. A. Zimmerman.

Treasurer, J. A. Zimmerman.

Vestrymen: Chas. A. Meyers, Joseph Tuttle, W. B. Tuttle, J. A. Zimmerman, Ewing Cockrell.

Communicants, male 6, female 30, total 36; baptisms, infant 1, adults none, total 1; marriages, 1; burials, 2; celebrations of the holy communion, public 3, in private none, total 3. Is there a church building? Yes. Number of seats, free, 100. Amount of insurance, \$1,500. Is it paid in full? Yes. Is there a rectory? Yes. Amount of insurance, \$500. Is it paid in full? Yes.

**FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1909.**

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$117.25; other expenses within the parish, 60 cents. Total, \$117.85.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$55.95; diocesan missions, \$35.00; bishop's purse, \$8.10. total, \$99.05.

General: General missions, \$12.00. Total, \$12.00.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$5,000.00; rectory and grounds, \$1,000.00. Total value of all parish property, \$6,000.00.

**WESTON.**

(Platte County.)

**ST. JOHN'S.**

(Organized 1851.)

No report.

**PARISHES.**

From which no report has been received.

Blackburn .....	Church of the Mediator
Brookfield .....	Grace Church
Brunswick .....	St. Paul's Church
Independence .....	Trinity Church
Springfield .....	St. John's Church
Weston .....	St. John's Church

## Organized Mission Reports.

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### AMAZONIA.

(Andrew County.)

ST. MATTHEW'S.

Organized 1875.

**Missionary.** E. W. Flower, 221 N. 13th st., St. Joseph, Mo.

**Treasurer,** Mrs. Frances Thomas, Amazonia, Mo.

**Families,** 5; souls, 15; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 15; communicants, registered, male 3, female 6, total 9; number of communions made at Easter, 4; celebrations of the holy communion, public 11, in private 0, total 11; sermons and addresses, 9; Sunday school, number of teachers 1, scholars 12, total 13. Is there a church building? Yes. Number of seats, free, all, total 60. Amount of salary promised by parish (mission), nothing. Amount of salary paid to April 30th, nothing. Amount of salary received from diocesan missionary board, nothing. Amount of salary received from other sources, nothing.

#### FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1909.

**Parochial:** Current expenses, \$5.50. Total, \$5.50.

**Diocesan:** Diocesan assessment, \$1.00; diocesan missions, \$1.50. Total, \$2.50.

**General:** General missions, \$2.50. Total, \$2.50.

**Total expenditure for all purposes,** \$10.50.

**Value of church property:** Church and grounds, \$1,000.00.

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### AURORA.

(Lawrence County.)

TRINITY.

Organized 1891.

**Missionary,** James Senior, Lamar, Missouri.

**Secretary,** G. C. Shaw, Aurora, Mo.

**Treasurer,** G. C. Shaw, Aurora, Mo.

**Families,** 8; souls, 30; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 30; communicants, total 12; baptisms, infants 1, adults 1, total 2; celebrations of the holy communion, public 6, in private none, total 6; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 6; sermons and addresses, 12; Sunday school, yes, number of teachers 3, scholars 14, total 17. Is there a church building? Yes. Number of seats, 100; free, yes. Is there a rectory? No. Amount of insurance, \$500. Is it

paid in full? Yes. Who holds title to the property? Bishop. Amount of salary promised by mission, indefinite. Amount of salary paid to April 30th, \$24.90. Amount of salary received from diocesan missionary board, \$300 (this is for Lamar and Aurora together). Amount of salary received from other sources (this may be gathered from the Lamar report).

**FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1909.**

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$24.90; permanent improvements, \$11.00; other expenses within the parish, \$3.00. Total \$38.90.

Diocesan: Bishop's purse, \$1.63.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$40.53.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$900.00; other property, \$150.00. Total value of all parish property, \$1,050.00.

No indebtedness.

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**BUTLER.**

ST. MARK'S.

Organized 1883.

Missionary, Charles H. Bohn, Nevada.

Warden, Dr. Canon.

Families, 10; souls, 37; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 45; communicants, male 8, female 14, total 22; number of communicants made first Sunday after Easter, 15; celebrations of the holy communion, public 5; sermons and addresses, 8. Is there a church building? Yes. Amount of insurance, \$1,000. Is it paid in full? Yes. Is there a rectory? No. Who holds title to the property? Parochial Trust Committee. Amount of salary promised by mission, expenses only. Amount of salary received from Diocesan Missionary Board, \$200.

**FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1909.**

Parochial: Permanent improvements, \$75.00.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$2,000.

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**CAMERON.**

(Clinton County.)

ST. JOHN'S.

Organized 1869.

No report.

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**CLINTON.**

(Henry County.)

ST. PAUL'S.

Organized July 10, 1886.

Missionary, William Arthur Pearman, 416 East Green Street, Clinton, Mo.

Wardens: Senior, Richard Bowen; Junior, W. L. Gurner.

Secretary, H. H. Williams, 113 South Third Street, Clinton, Mo.

Treasurer, H. H. Williams, 113 South Third Street, Clinton, Mo.

**Vestrymen:** Richard Bowen, W. L. Gurner, H. H. Williams, Maj. A. C. Landon, James McClain, Edwin Colt.

**Families** (25 persons not included who have been communicants and not transferred), 24; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 114; communicants, male 7, female 39, total 46; number of communions made at Easter, 30; baptisms, infant 2, adults 3, total 5; confirmed, 9; burials, 1; celebrations of the holy communion, public 22; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 62; sermons and addresses, 40; Sunday School, number of teachers 4, scholars 30, total 34. Is there a church building? Yes. Is there a rectory? Yes. Amount of insurance, \$2,000. Is it paid in full? Yes. Who holds title to the property? The Bishop. Amount of salary promised by mission, for the year, \$300; amount of salary paid to April 30th, \$200; amount of salary received from Diocesan Missionary Board, for the year, \$300; amount received to April 30th, \$166.66; amount of salary received from other sources, the Bishop, \$100.

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1909.

**Parochial:** Current expenses (including all salaries); \$251.00; permanent improvements, memorial window, \$150.00; other expenses within the parish, \$85.46. Total, \$486.46.

**Diocesan:** Diocesan assessment, \$50.00; Diocesan Missions, \$30.00; theological education fund, \$8.00; candidate for holy orders, \$2.75; St. Luke's hospital, \$3.00. Total, \$93.75.

**General:** General Missions, \$3.50.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$583.71.

**Value of Church Property:** Church and grounds, \$7,000.00.

**Indebtedness:** None.

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## HARRISONVILLE.

(Cass County.)

ST. PETER'S.

Organized 1871.

**Missionary.** Wm. A. Pearman, Clinton, Mo.

**Families,** 9; souls, 37; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 40; communicants, male 5, female 15, total 20; number of communions made at Easter, 13; celebrations of the holy communion, public 6; number of seats, 150; amount of insurance, \$2,000. Is it paid in full? Yes. Who holds title to the property? The Bishop. Amount of salary promised by mission, \$200; amount of salary paid to April 30th, \$200; amount of salary received from Diocesan Missionary Board, \$100.

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1909.

**Diocesan:** Diocesan assessment, \$20.00; Diocesan Missions, \$20.00; Theological Education Fund, \$3.25.

**General:** General Missions, \$3.00.

**Value of church property:** Church and grounds, \$4,000; other property, \$1,000. Total value of all Parish property, \$5,000.



**HAMILTON.**  
(Caldwell County.)  
**TRINITY.**  
Organized 1870.

No report.

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**HOLDEN.**  
(Johnson County.)  
**MT. CALVARY.**  
Organized 1887.

No report.

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**KANSAS CITY.**  
(Jackson County.)  
**ST. AUGUSTINE'S.**  
Organized 1881.

Missionary, Edward S. Willett, 1016 Virginia Street.

Wardens: R. T. Coles, 225 Vine Street; W. H. Bausfield, 3020 Chestnut Street.

Secretary, Frederick Green, 2303 Vine Street.

Treasurer, Joe E. Herriford, 1217 Woodland Avenue.

Vestrymen: C. E. Bailor, C. A. Jackson, Isaac James, F. C. Trent, Edward Bunch, W. T. White, R. J. Kenox, J. Herndon.

Families, 25; souls, 178; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 178; communicants, male 31, female 90, total 121; number of communions made at Easter, 110; baptisms, infants 7, adults 8, total 15; confirmed, 27; marriages, 1; burials, 3; celebrations of the Holy Communion, public 105, in private 12, total 117; public services (exclusive of celebrations) including Sunday School services each Sunday, 214; sermons and addresses, 161; Sunday School, number of teachers 5, scholars 40, total 45. Is there a church building? Yes. Number of seats, free, 200. Is there a rectory? No. Who holds title to the property? Parochial Trust Fund Committee. Amount of salary promised by mission, \$600; amount of salary paid to April 30th, \$575; amount of salary received from Diocesan Missionary Board, \$150; amount of salary received from other sources, \$400.

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1909.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$1,089.11; permanent improvements, \$80.00; charity, \$72.60; other expenses within the Parish, \$41.19. Total, \$1,282.30.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$45.00; Bishop's purse, \$7.79. Total, \$52.79.

General: General Missions, \$20.00; Domestic Missions, \$3.00; other objects without the Diocese, \$5.87. Total, \$28.87.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$1,363.96.

Value of Church property: Church and grounds, \$12,000.

No indebtedness.

## REPORT OF WORK DONE IN NORTH END DURING YEAR ENDING MAY 1, 1909.

Received from Diocesan Board of Missions to pay rent and minor expenses, \$180.00. Received from Communion Alms from St. Augustine's, Woman's Auxiliaries, \$12.50; from individuals, \$2.50. Total receipts during year outside of the Sunday School offerings, which the workers use to best interest of children, \$207.85. Paid out, for rent, \$160.00; for car fare for workers, \$5.20; for fuel, light, furniture, literature, food for children kept for mothers, and labor, \$41.15.

During the fall and winter months we have had good attendance at Sunday School and the Sunday evening Bible readings, and especially of boys. Since more pleasant weather, as last year, attendance diminishes some on account of children liking to be out in such weather. Some of the children come occasionally and some regularly to the Church services at St. Augustine's.

I visit the district on week days and catechise and address the Sunday School occasionally on Sundays.

As yet we are not able to do much in the nursery line, not being able to pay a woman to stay and receive children *all the time*. Yet we have helped some in this way and hope to do more this summer.

I am, Sir; reverently and obediently,

EDWARD S. WILLETT,  
Conducting North End Work.

## ST. JOHN'S.

Organized 1889.

(517 Kensington Avenue.)

Missionary, Carl Reed Taylor, 525 Kensington Avenue.

Warden, Baron J. Fradenburg.

Secretary, Jay M. Lee, Room 605, R. A. Long Building.

Treasurer, Donald G. Murray, 527 Kensington Avenue.

Bishop's Committee: Baron J. Fradenburg, Jay M. Lee, Donald G. Murray, Joseph S. Warrick, Fred C. Adams, Harry G. Algeo, John Beckett, Eugene F. Rommell.

Families, 125; souls, 418; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 283; communicants, male 54, female 110, total 164; number of communions made at Easter, 75; baptisms, infants 17, adults 2, total 19; confirmed, 15; marriages, 3; burials, 2; celebrations of the Holy Communion, public 91, in private 1, total 92; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 156; \*sermons and addresses, 145; Sunday School, number of teachers 12, scholars 96, total 108; St. John's Chapel (103 Oakley Avenue), teachers 2, scholars 29, total 31; total 139. Number of seats, free, 200. Amount of insurance, \$5,600. Is it paid in full? Yes. Is there a rectory? No. Who holds title to the property? Parochial Trust Fund. Amount of salary promised by mission, \$1,050; amount of salary paid to April 30th, \$1,050; amount of salary received from other sources, \$416.66.

\*In addition to the above, I have held 31 services with addresses at St. Luke's Hospital and 20 services at Liberty.

## FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1909.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$1,327.45; permanent improvements, \$400.00; charity, communion alms, \$54.59; Rector's fund, \$84.00; other expenses within the Parish, Women's Guild, \$112.87. Total, \$1,678.91.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$65.00, less cash discount \$6.48, \$58.52; Diocesan Missions, \$30.00; permanent Episcopal Fund, \$3.98; Theological Education Fund, \$2.35; Bishop's purse, Woman's Auxiliary \$25.00, Junior Auxiliary \$3.00, miscellaneous \$6.52—\$34.52; other objects within the Diocese, St. Luke's Hospital, miscellaneous \$5.00, Auxiliary \$23.50—\$28.50. Total, \$157.87.

General: General Missions, Woman's Auxiliary \$66.69, Junior Auxiliary \$23.35—\$90.04; Domestic Missions, \$18.00; Foreign Missions, \$7.85; other objects without the Diocese, Church Building Fund \$1.00, General Clergy Relief Fund, \$8.50. Total, \$125.39.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$1,962.17.

Value of Church Property: Church and grounds, \$11,100; Guild Hall, \$300; Endowment Fund, \$300. Total value of all Parish property, \$11,700.

Indebtedness on Church Property: Floating Debt, balance on pews, \$275.00.

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**LAMAR.**

(Barton County.)

**TRINITY.**

Organized 1903.

Missionary, James Senior, Lamar, Mo.

Secretary, Miss Grace Miller, Lamar, Missouri.

Treasurer, Walter J. Miller, Lamar, Missouri.

Vestry: Mrs. Walter J. Miller, Mrs. Chas. A. Lockwood.

Families, 10; souls, 34; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 34; communicants, 26; number of communions made at Easter, 12; baptisms, infants 4, adults 1, total 5; celebrations of the Holy Communion, public 12, in private 1, total 13; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 35; sermons and addresses, 47; Sunday School, number of teachers 1, scholars 12, total 13. Is there a church building? Yes. Amount of insurance, \$1,400. Is it paid in full? Yes. Is there a rectory? No. Who holds title to the property? Parochial Trust Fund. Amount of salary promised by Mission, \$600.00 originally but indefinite now, but an effort is being made this year to reach this: amount of salary paid to April 30th, \$472.50; amount of salary received from Diocesan Missionary Board, \$400.00; amount of salary received from other sources, \$100.00 promised from General Board of Missions; amount reported for Aurora and Monett has about covered hotel and traveling expenses.

## FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1909.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$475.55; permanent improvements, added to Rectory Fund over \$100.00; Rectory Fund

in hand April 30, 1909, \$300.00. (the Rectory Fund, over \$400.00, is invested in county bonds, bearing 6 per cent interest, and in custody of First National Bank, Lamar). Total, \$875.55.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$9.00; Diocesan Missions, \$15.00; Disabled Clergy Fund, \$1.50; Theological Education Fund, \$1.00. Total, \$26.50.

General: General Missions, \$10.00.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$512.05.

Value of Church Property: Church and grounds, \$1,200.00; other property, the old church, \$300.00. Total value of all Parish property, \$1,500.00.

No indebtedness.

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### LEBANON.

(Laclede County.)

#### TRINITY.

Organized September, 1873.

Warden. Charles L. Palmer, Lebanon.

Secretary, E. F. Stebbins, Lebanon.

Treasurer, H. T. Wright, Lebanon.

Families, 10; communicants, male 12, female 18, total 30; confirmed, 1; marriages, 1; Sunday School, number of teachers 3, scholars 22, total 25. Is there a church building? Yes. Amount of insurance \$1,000. Is it paid in full? Yes. Is there a rectory? No. Who holds title to the property? Trustees. No minister since July.

#### FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1909.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$202.00; charity, \$1.00. Total, \$203.00.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$40.00; Bishop's purse, \$23.10. Total, \$63.10.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$266.10.

Value of Church Property: Church and grounds, \$1,500.00.

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### LEE'S SUMMIT.

(Jackson County.)

#### ST. PAUL'S.

Organized 1879.

Wardens: Mr. William Rodgers and Mr. E. H. Graves.

Vestrymen: Messrs. Traves, Macon and Rodgers.

Families, 10; souls, 12; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 19; communicants, male 3, female 7, total 10; burials, 3; celebrations of the Holy Communion, public 3; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 21. Is there a church building? Yes. Is there a rectory? No. Who holds title to the property? Rector and Wardens and their successors. Amount of salary promised by Mission, \$150.00; amount of salary paid to April 30th, \$10.00.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$150.00.

Diocesan: Diocesan Missions, \$5.00; Bishop's purse, \$5.00 Total, \$10.00.  
Total expenditure for all purposes, \$160.00.

Value of Church Property: Church and grounds, \$3,000.00.

Indebtedness on church property: Indebtedness on church (bonded),  
\$432.00.

Amount paid on bonded debt during the year, \$170.00.

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**MARSHALL.**

(Saline County.)

**TRINITY.**

Organized 1874.

No report.

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**MOUNTAIN GROVE.**

(Howell County.)

**ST. MARK'S.**

Organized 1890.

Missionary, R. J. Belt, West Plains, Mo.

Secretary, Frank Horsfall, Mountain Grove, Mo.

Warden, H. E. Stiff, Mountain Grove, Mo.

Treasurer, E. P. Taylor, Mountain Grove, Mo.

Committeemen: James Archer, E. J. Green, C. M. Mitchell, L. Colvin,  
H. E. Stiff, E. P. Taylor, Frank Horsfall.

Families, 11; souls, 48; number of baptized persons (infant and adult)  
in cure, 32; communicants, male 10, female 15, total 25; baptisms, in-  
fants 1, adults 2, total 3; confirmed, 4; celebrations of the holy com-  
munion, public 44, in private 17, total 61; public services (exclusive of  
celebrations), 91; sermons and addresses, sermons 71, addresses 16,  
readings 24, total 111; Sunday school, number of teachers 4, scholars  
51, average attendance 21, total 55. Is there a church building? No,  
(1 lot). Is there a rectory? No. Who holds title to the property?  
Trustees of Parochial Trust Fund of Diocese of Kansas City. Amount  
of salary promised by mission, \$300.00. Amount of salary paid to April  
30th, \$300.00. Amount of salary received from Diocesan Missionary  
Board, \$200.00. Amount of salary received from other sources, \$450.00.

**FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1909.**

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$300.00; permanent  
improvements, church lot, \$606.00; other expenses within the parish,  
janitor, wood, lights, organ tuning, etc., \$31.09; mission by Rev. Bohn  
and expenses, \$12.55. Total, \$949.64.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment (Holmes), \$7.50; diocesan missions  
(Ashley), \$4.00; disabled clergy fund, \$1.05; theological education fund,  
\$1.20; bishop's purse, \$19.95. Total, \$33.70.

General: Foreign missions, Geo. C. Thomas, 281 4th avenue, New York.  
\$5.00. Total, \$5.00.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$988.34.

Value of church property: Church lot, \$800.00; other property, estimated,  
\$100.00. Total value of all parish property, \$900.00.

**Indebtedness on church property:** Indebtedness on church lot (bonded) (secured by note of committeemen), \$194.00. Total indebtedness, \$194.00.

**Amount paid on bonded debt during the year, \$606.00.**

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**MONETT.**

(Barry County.)

**ST. STEPHEN'S.**

Organized 1893.

**Missionary, James Senior, Lamar, Mo.**

**Secretary, Mrs. John W. Bingham, Monett, Mo.**

**Treasurer, Mrs. John W. Bingham, Monett, Mo.**

**Families, 17; souls, 48; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 43; communicants, 30; number of communions made at Easter, 15; baptisms, infants 1, adults 2, total 3; confirmed, 1; marriages, 2; celebrations of the Holy Communion, public 11; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 10; sermons and addresses, 21; Sunday School, number of teachers 3, scholars 15, total 18. Is there a church building? Yes. Amount of insurance, \$1,200. Is it paid in full? Yes. Is there a rectory? No. Amount of salary paid to April 30th, \$78.40, traveling and hotel expenses paid from this; amount of salary received from Diocesan Missionary, \$100.**

**FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1909.**

**Parochial:** Current expenses (including all salaries), \$78.40; permanent improvements, \$30.80; charity, \$0.50; other expenses within the Parish, \$46.76. Total, \$156.46.

**Diocesan:** Diocesan assessment, \$10.00; Diocesan Missions, \$10.00; Bishop's purse, \$1.90; other objects within the Diocese. St. Luke's Hospital, \$1.00. Total, \$22.90.

**General:** Domestic Missions, \$1.11; Foreign Missions, Sunday School, \$2.80. Total, \$3.91.

**Total expenditure for all purposes, \$183.27.**

**Value of church property:** Church and grounds, \$2,000.00.

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**NEOSHO.**

(Vernon County.)

**ST. JOHN'S.**

Organized June 28, 1889.

**Missionary, Chas. A. Weed, Joplin, Mo.**

**Warden, Geo. W. Glenister.**

**Secretary, W. F. Eves, Neosho, Mo.**

**Treasurer, W. F. Eves.**

**Families, 14; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 54; communicants, male 13, female 35, total 48; number of communions made at Esater, about 40; baptisms, infants 2, adults 2, total 4; confirmed, 6; celebrations of the holy communion, public 12, in private none, total 12; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 80; Sunday school, number of teachers 3, scholars 28, total 31. Number of seats,**

free, 100, rented none, assigned none, total 100. Amount of insurance, \$1,200.00. Is it paid in full? In full. Is there a rectory? None. Who holds title to the property? Parochial trust fund. Amount of salary promised by parish (mission), \$180.00. Amount of salary paid to April 30th, In full.

**FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1909.**

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$214.76. Total, \$214.76.

Diocesan: Diocesan assesment, \$15.00; diocesan missions including Sunday school advent offering, \$10.00, \$25.00. Bishop's purse, \$4.10. Total, \$44.10.

General: General missions of which Sunday school Lenten, \$20.95, \$40.87 Total, \$40.87.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$299.73.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$2,100.00. Total value of all parish property, \$2,100.00.

Indebtedness on church property: floating debt, \$50.00.

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**ST. OSWALDS.**

(Atchison County.)

**ST. OSWALD'S.**

Organized 1891.

Missionary, E. W. Flower, 221 N. 13th street, St. Joseph, Mo.

Warden, Isaac Tyron, Skidmore, Mo., R. F. D.

Secretary, Miss Beatrice Huggins, Skidmore, Mo., R. F. D.

Treasurer, William Bowness, Fairfax, Mo., R. F. D.

Vestrymen: Isaac Sysen, Edward Huggins, John Laycock, William Bowness.

Families, 11; souls, 51; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 46; communicants, on register, male 19, female 19, total 38; number of communions made at Easter, 20; confirmed, 3; burials, 2; celebrations of the holy communion, public 24, in private none, total 24; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 50; sermons and addresses, 50; Sunday school, number of teachers 3, scholars 20, total 23; Is there a church building? Yes. Number of seats, free, all. Amount of insurance, \$1,700.00. Is it paid in full? Yes. Amount of salary promised by mission, \$300.00. Amount of salary paid to April 30th, \$256.50. Amount of salary received from diocesan missionary board, none. Amount of salary received from other sources, none.

**FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1909.**

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$276.50; permanent improvements, none. Total, \$276.50.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$20.00; diocesan missions, \$10.00; disabled clergy fund, \$5.00; St. Luke's hospital, Kansas City, \$20.00. Total, \$55.00.

General: General missions, \$10.00. Total, \$10.00.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$341.50.

**Value of church property:** Church and grounds, \$2,000.00. Total value of all parish property, \$2,000.00.

**Indebtedness on church property:** Floating debt, \$43.50. Total indebtedness, \$43.50.

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**PLATTSBURG.**

(Clinton County.)

**ST. MARY'S.**

(Organized 1874.)

No report.

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**ST. JOSEPH.**

(Buchanan County.)

**ST. LUKE'S.**

(Supplementary to Christ Church, St. Joseph.)

Organized November 2, 1906.

Curate in charge, Giles Herbert Sharpley, 2307 Jule street.

Warden, Abraham K. Pickle, 124 E. Missouri avenue.

Secretary, DeForrest Walmsley, 209 Virginia street.

Treasurer, Frank E. Vancil, 209 E. Missouri avenue.

Sub-Vestrymen: The above with John T. Hendra and John W. Vaughan.

Families, 40; souls, 120; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 80; communicants, 41; number of communions made at Easter, 188; baptisms, infants 5, adults 3, total 8; confirmed, 1; celebrations of the holy communion, public 22, in private 1, total 23; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 81; sermons and addresses, 110; Sunday school, number of teachers 6, scholars 41, total 47. Is there a church building? No, services in rented hall. Amount of salary promised by mission, none.

**FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1909.**

**Parochial:** Current expenses (including all salaries), \$255.05; permanent improvements, \$23.50; charity, \$2.00; other expenses within the parish. Guild expenses, \$83.10. Sunday school, \$105.60. Total, \$469.25.

**Diocesan:** Diocesan missions, \$15.00; bishop's purse, \$2.17; other objects within the diocese, deaf mute mission, \$2.30. Total, \$19.47.

**General:** General missions, \$8.63; other objects without the diocese, theological education, \$1.10; general clergy relief, \$10.80. Total, \$20.53.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$509.25.

**ST. MATTHIAS.**

Organized 1885.

Missionary, E. W. Flower, 221 N. 13th street, St. Joseph.

Warden, Robert L. Scott, 2205 Sylvania street.

Secretary, Mrs. W. D. Hawkins, 1713 Angelique street.

Treasurer, Mrs. R. L. Scott, 2205 Sylvania street.

Families, 7; souls, 21; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 21; communicants, registered, male 7, female 10, total 17; number of communions made at Easter, 8; baptisms, adults 1, total 1; confirmed,



2; celebrations of the holy communion, public 15, total 15; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 100; sermons and addresses, 98. Is there a church building? Yes. Number of seats, free, all. Amount of insurance? None. Is there a rectory? No. Who holds title to the property? Trustees Parochial fund. Amount of salary promised by mission, what can be collected. Amount of salary paid to April 30th, \$27.00. Amount of salary received from other sources, general board missions, \$300.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1909.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$38.00; other expenses within the parish, \$8.95. Total, \$46.95.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$6.00; diocesan missions, \$5.00; bishop's purse, \$5.00. Total, \$16.00.

General: General Missions, \$5.00; general clergy relief (pension) personal, \$5.00. Total, \$10.00.

Total expenditure for all purposes, \$72.95.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$800.00. Total value of all parish property, \$800.00.

Indebtedness on church property: Floating debt, \$56.40. Total indebtedness, \$56.40.

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**SAVANNAH.**

(Andrew County.)

**ST. MARY'S.**

Organized 1855.

Treasurer, Mrs. C. C. Christianson.

Families, 7; souls, 11; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 16; communicants, male 1, female 10, total 11; burials, 1; celebrations of the holy communion, public 2, in private none, total 2. Is there a church building? Yes. Amount of insurance, \$7.50. Is it paid in full? Yes. Who holds title to the property? Bishop. Amount of salary paid to April 30th, \$86.

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1909.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$116.00.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$10.00; diocesan missions, \$15.00. Total, \$25.00.

General: General missions, \$10.00.

Total Expenditure for all purposes, \$151.00.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$2,000.00.

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**STANBERRY.**

(Gentry County.)

**TRINITY.**

Organized May, 1892.

Missionary, Jay C. Hathaway, Maryville, Mo.

Warden, J. H. Price, Stanberry, Mo.

Secretary, J. H. Price, Stanberry, Mo.

Treasurer, J. H. Price, Stanberry, Mo.

Families, 5; souls, 12; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 12; communicants, male 3, female 3, total 6; number of communions made at Easter, 4; celebrations of the holy communion, public 1, in private none, total 1; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 4; sermons and addresses, 5. Is there a church building? No. Amount of salary promised by mission, \$42.00. Amount of salary paid to April 30th, \$17.50.

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1909.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$22.50.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$5.00.

General: General missions, \$5.00.

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**TRENTON.**

(Grundy County.)

ST. PHILIP'S.

Organized 1893.

No report.

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**UTICA.**

(Livingston County.)

TRINITY.

Organized 1873.

Missionary, Arthur M. Griffin, Chillicothe, Mo.

Warden, Geo. Rice, Utica, Mo.

Secretary, E. J. Miller, Utica, Mo.

Treasurer, Geo. Rice, Utica, Mo.

Families, 4; souls, 6; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 6; communicants, male 2, female 3, total 5; number of communions made at Easter, 5; celebrations of Holy Communion, public 2, total 2; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 8; sermons and addresses, 8; Is there a church building? Yes. Number of seats —, free, all; total, 122; amount of insurance \$1,000; is it paid in full? Yes. Who holds title to the property? Bishop. Amount of salary received from Diocesan Missionary Board, \$100.

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1909.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$5.

Value of Church Property: Church and grounds, \$2,000.

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**WEBB CITY.**

(Jasper County.)

ST. PAUL'S.

Organized November 20, 1899.

Missionary, Fred C. O'Meara.

Warden, Wm. Farlin, Webb City.

Families, 20; souls, 75; number of baptised persons (infant and adult) in cure, 40; communicants, male 5, female 20, total 25; baptisms, infants 3, adults 2, total 5; confirmed, 1; burials, 2; celebrations of the

Holy Communion, public 6, in private 2, total 8; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 50; sermons and addresses, 50; is there a church building? Yes. Number of seats, free 75; Is there a rectory? No. Who holds title to the property? Diocese. Amount of salary received from Diocesan Missionary Board, \$200.00.

**FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1909.**

Diocesan: Diocesan missions, \$10.00.

Value of Church Property: Church and grounds, \$1,500.00.

Indebtedness on Church Property. Floating debt, \$600.00; amount paid on bonded debt during the year, \$600.00.

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**WEST PLAINS.**

(Howell County.)

**ALL SAINT'S.**

Organized January, 1889.

Missionary, Robert James Belt. West Plains.

Warden, Wm. W. Mantz, P. O. Box 503.

Secretary, Joseph Knoerle.

Treasurer, Wm. I. Gleerup.

Vestryman, Ralph Henry Day.

Families, 10; souls, 82; number of baptised persons (infant and adult) in cure, 75; communicants, 41; number of communions made at Eastertide eve (no communion Easter day), 9; baptisms, infants 4 adults 3, total 7; confirmed, 9; burials, 2; celebrations of the Holy Communion, public 43, in private 1, total 44; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 146; sermons and addresses, 71 sermons, 56 readings and add., total 127; Sunday School, number of teachers 6, scholars 37, total 43; Is there a church building? Yes. Amount of insurance \$2,100.00. Is it paid in full? Yes. Is there a rectory? No. Who holds title to the property? The Bishop. Amount of salary promised by parish, \$350.00; amount of salary paid to April 30th, \$350.00; amount of salary received from Diocesan Missionary Board, \$200; amount of salary received from other sources, \$400.

**FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1909.**

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$435.94; charity (missionary box clothing, food, etc., to an orphanage).

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$35.00; diocesan missions, \$30.00; disabled clergy fund, \$3.25; theological education fund, \$8.00; Bishop's purse, \$10.00. Total, \$86.25.

General: Total expenditure for all purposes, \$522.19.

Value of Church Property: Church and grounds, \$2,500.00.

## Unorganized Mission Report.

### KANSAS CITY.

#### HOLY SPIRIT FOR THE DEAF.

(Unorganized.)

Missionary, James H. Cloud, 2606 Virginia ave., St. Louis, Mo.  
Communicants, male 7, female 8, total 15; celebrations of the Holy Communion, public 6, total 6; public services (exclusive of celebrations). 16; sermons and addresses, 22; amount of salary promised by mission, none; amount of salary paid to April 30th, all that was promised; amount of salary received from Diocesan Missionary Board, \$100; amount of salary received from other sources, none from diocese.

#### FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1909.

General: Apportionment, \$2.45.

Services were held in Kansas City and at Carthage. Gifts from individuals towards traveling expenses, \$21.45; loose offerings at services, \$21.05. Ephphatha Sunday offerings were received as follows: St. Luke's Mission, St. Joseph, \$2.50; Christ Church, St. Joseph, \$7.15; a total of \$51.95 for expenses.

I hope my successor in this work in Kansas City, the Rev. J. M. Koehler, will be greatly blessed in this work.

For further information see pages 77 to 187

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# CHURCH PROPERTY.

## MISSIONS AND MISSION POINTS.

Families.	Souls.	Baptized Persons.	(Communicants.	BAPTISMS.		Confirmations.	Marriages.	Burials.	Holy Communion.	Other Services.	Teachers.	Scholars.	(Church Sittings.
				Infants.	Adults.						SUNDAY	SCHOOL.	

Value of Church and Grounds.	Value of Other Property.	Debt on Church and Grounds.	Debt on Other Property.	Floating Debt.	Total Indebtedness.
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Amazonia	St. Matthew's
Aurora	Trinity
Butler	St. Mark's
Clinton	St. Paul's
Harrisonville	St. Peter's
Kansas City	Holy Spirit (deaf mute)
Kansas City	St. Augustine's
Kansas City	St. John's
Lamar	Trinity
Lebanon	Trinity
Lee's Summit	St. Paul's
Monett	St. Stephen's
Mountain Grove	St. Mark's
Neosho	St. John's
Oswald	St. Oswald's
St. Joseph	St. Luke's
St. Joseph	St. Matthias'
Savannah	St. Mary's
Stanberry	Trinity
Utica	Trinity
Webb City	St. Paul's
West Plains	All Saints'

5	18	15	9	4	1	1	2	11	1	12	(40)	\$	1,000.00						
8	30	30	12	1	1	6	6	6	3	14	100		900.00	150.00					
10	37	45	22	15	3	5							2,000.00						
24	114	114	46	30	2	3	9	1	29	62	4	30	7,000.00						
9	37	40	20	13				6				150	4,000.00	1,000.00					
			15					6	16										
25	178	178	121	110	7	8		117	214	5	40	200	12,000.00						
125	418	283	164	75	17	2	15	3	2	92	156	14	11,100.00	000.00		275.00			275.00
10	34	34	26	12	4	1		1	13	35	1	12	1,200.00	300.00					
10			30				1				3	22	1,500.00						
10	12	19	10					3	3	21			3,000.00		432.00				432.00
17	48	43	30	15	1	2	1	2		11	10		2,000.00						
11	48	32	25	17	1	2	4			61	91	4	800.00	100.00					104.00
14		54	48	40	2	2	6			12	80	3	2,100.00			50.00			50.00
11	51	46	38	20			3		2	24	50	3	2,000.00			43.50			43.50
40	120	80	41	18	5	3	1			23	81	6							
7	21	21	17	8		1	2			15	100		800.00			56.40			56.40
7	11	16	11					1		2			2,000.00						
5	12	12	6	4						1	4		300.00						
4	6	6	5	5						2	8		2,000.00						
20	75	40	25		3	2	1		2	8	50		1,500.00			600.00			600.00
10	82	75	41	9	4	3	9		2	44	146	6	2,500.00						

Total \$427,203.00 \$74,350.00 \$23,841.00 \$11,058.50 \$ 4,981.93 \$79,879.43

# SUMMARY OF PAROCHIAL AND MISSION REPORTS, MAY 1, 1909

## FINANCIAL

EXPENDITURES.														
PAROCHIAL.					DIOCESAN.					GENERAL.				
PARISHES.					Other Expenses.					General Missions.	Domestic Missions.	Foreign Missions.	Other Objects.	Total Expenditures.
	Current Expenses and Salaries.	Permanent Improvements.	Charity.			Missions.	Disabled Clergy Fund.	Episcopal Fund.	Theological Fund.	Bishop's Purse.	Other Objects.			
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Boonville	492.69				125.20	79.20	50.00	2.15		20.43		7.00		788.20
Carthage	1,000.00	5,000.00				187.50	100.00	20.00		15.00		40.00		7,282.50
Chillicothe	1,440.20	485.65	38.00		35.00	154.00	75.00		5.00	10.00		22.00		2,274.85
Payette	52.70					2.00				3.75				58.45
John	1,799.70	10,000.00			19.46	158.96	25.00	1.40				2.05		12,008.57
Kansas City	6,168.46	2,018.90	272.25		909.00	504.00	370.95			210.54		88.50	104.50	13,909.33
Kansas City	3,471.23		64.11		1,145.30	350.00	175.00	20.00		0.00		12.61		8,244.25
Kansas City	1,330.31	117.20	.25		75.00	69.30	100.00	23.70	3.85	36.00		4.80	41.00	2,028.11
Kansas City	2,402.00		75.00		245.15	277.20	67.25	30.00		123.75		328.20		3,101.60
Kansas City	7,915.27	133.00	239.48		67.50	720.00	450.00	54.50		12.63		25.00		10,031.79
Kansas City	5,803.38	295.57	250.00		209.00	550.00	250.00			2.45		11.00		7,475.58
Lexington		255.30				30.00		3.00		2.40			1.00	280.75
Maryville	402.03	20.50				11.00	25.00							473.33
Pleasant Hill	52.66					4.12						504.54	63.46	56.78
St. Joseph	7,605.30	45.85	130.77		418.78	920.00	614.86	64.03	25.00	95.02		74.25		10,752.07
St. Joseph	608.44	33.59	2.85		69.45	18.28	15.57	13.65					9.31	774.80
Medalla	1,513.08	40.00	15.50		323.10	100.00	28.18	6.04	3.24	18.15				2,076.60
Springfield	1,410.00				65.00	181.50	50.00	6.40		15.10		17.85		1,745.85
Warrensburg	117.97					75.95	35.00			8.10		12.00		238.90
Warrensburg	117.97					75.95	35.00			8.10		12.00		238.90

SEE PRECEDING TABLE.

MISSIONS.	PAROCHIAL.		DIOCESAN.										GENERAL.				
	(Other Expenses.		Assessment.	Missions.	Disabled Clergy Fund.	Permanent Episcopal Fund.	Theological Education Fund.	Bishop's Purse.	Other Objects.	General Missions.	Domestic Missions.	Foreign Missions.	Other Objects.	Total Expenditures.	Value of Property and Incubness.		
	Current Expenses and Salaries.	Permanent Improvements.															
Amazonia	\$ 5.50	\$ 11.00	\$ 3.00	\$ 1.00	\$ 1.50	\$ 1.00	\$ 1.00	\$ 1.00	\$ 1.00	\$ 2.50	\$ 1.00	\$ 1.00	\$ 1.00	\$ 10.50			
Aurora	24.90	11.00	3.00	50.00	30.00	1.63	1.63	8.00	5.75	3.50				40.53			
Clinton	251.00	150.00	85.46	20.00	20.00	8.00	8.00	3.25	5.75	3.00				583.71			
Harrisonville	1,089.11	80.00	41.10	45.00	20.00	7.79	7.79	3.25		20.00	3.00		5.87	1,364.56			
Kansas City	1,327.45	100.00	112.87	58.52	30.00	34.52	34.52	2.85	28.50	90.04	18.00	7.85	1.00	1,962.17			
Kansas City	475.55	100.00	300.00	9.00	15.00	1.00	1.00	1.00		10.00				912.05			
Lamar	202.00	1.00		40.00		23.10	23.10							266.10			
Lebanon	150.00			5.00		5.00	5.00							160.00			
Lee's Summit	78.40	30.80	46.76	10.00	10.00	1.90	1.90		1.00		1.11	2.80		183.27			
Monett	300.00	606.00	43.64	7.50	4.00	19.95	19.95	1.20				5.00		988.34			
Mount'n Grove	214.76			15.00	25.00	4.10	4.10			40.87				299.78			
Neosho	276.50			20.00	10.00				20.00	10.00				341.50			
Oswald	255.05	23.50	188.70		15.00	2.17	2.17	1.10	2.30	8.63				509.25			
St. Joseph	38.00			6.00	5.00	5.00	5.00			10.00				67.95			
St. Joseph	116.00		8.95	10.00	15.00					10.00				151.00			
Savannah	22.50			5.00						5.00				32.50			
Stanberry				5.00										5.00			
Utica																	
Trinity Church																	
Trinity Church																	
Webb City																	
St. Paul's Church																	
All Saints' Church	435.94			35.00	30.00	8.00	10.00							522.19			
Totals	\$49,833.45	\$19,547.26	\$ 7,538.11	\$4,870.03	\$2,857.31	\$279.97	\$7.83	\$55.14	\$702.48	\$1,507.94	\$114.10	\$94.70	\$162.08	\$92,055.09			

SEE PRECEDING TABLE.

Value of Property and Indebtedness.



FOOTINGS OF THE TWENTY ANNUAL REPORTS

	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898	1899	1900	1901	1902	1903	1904	1905	1906	1907	1908	1909
Clergy . . . . .	27	36	33	40	35	34	33	34	32	34	31	34	33	34	32	31	31	33	30	29
Parishes . . . . .	24	26	26	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27
Organized Missions . . . . .	28	30	34	32	28	28	27	25	27	25	26	27	30	30	28	31	30	31	30	31
Unorganized Missions . . . . .	2	*	6	6	16	13	12	13	13	13	13	11	8	9	10	11	13	10	10	10
Souls . . . . .	*	*	7,381	8,156	7,615	8,001	8,240	8,683	9,417	9,608	17,834	18,425	17,232	18,072	17,701	8,936	18,005	18,135	18,212	17,615
Communicants . . . . .	3,150	3,676	3,953	3,871	3,497	3,821	4,085	4,391	4,441	4,480	4,604	4,839	4,906	4,973	4,827	5,034	5,051	5,002	5,183	14,321
S. S. Teachers . . . . .	192	244	273	301	296	320	322	318	334	298	259	282	282	261	233	203	241	226	206	217
S. S. Scholars . . . . .	1,902	2,239	2,135	2,205	2,226	2,301	2,364	2,371	2,499	2,281	1,924	2,141	2,098	1,989	1,907	1,697	1,855	1,743	1,650	1,809
Services . . . . .	*	*	5,276	6,105	6,047	5,600	5,277	6,186	5,559	4,227	4,803	5,080	5,090	3,498	4,240	3,387	4,035	3,536	3,657	3,817
Communion . . . . .	*	*	242	1,665	1,504	1,409	1,452	1,696	1,614	1,614	1,503	1,574	1,646	1,793	2,003	1,683	1,750	1,497	1,642	1,800
Baptisms . . . . .	400	426	371	401	305	265	264	340	326	275	280	336	303	297	278	294	280	286	276	265
Confirmations . . . . .	249	305	253	259	241	257	245	276	279	225	323	350	317	319	297	278	368	287	253	196
Marriages . . . . .	96	87	96	88	83	81	88	103	77	92	95	94	105	111	111	117	120	113	122	120
Burials . . . . .	120	118	139	129	103	92	109	111	131	143	123	123	147	147	191	154	164	157	170	158
Value of Property . . . . .	*	*	\$459,152	468,905	494,525	491,675	480,815	385,495	442,790	451,447	348,950	406,265	417,675	409,694	408,125	435,549	479,674	508,888	512,239	501,553.00
Debts . . . . .	*	*	136,921	150,273	145,500	137,500	127,282	69,413	52,748	48,628	47,052	44,992	41,664	29,656	35,680	34,630	52,675	57,965	41,315	79,879.43
Disbursements:																				
Parochial . . . . .	\$88,857	77,638	66,230	58,915	55,978	57,641	65,420	59,595	78,396	51,421	60,760	58,340	57,389	73,335	60,151	63,057	111,514	78,648	73,035	78,226.25
Diocesan . . . . .	5,094	4,688	6,671	7,171	5,928	5,844	6,668	6,444	6,748	6,037	6,742	7,759	7,576	8,083	8,300	8,691	9,034	9,446	9,853	11,949.42
Extra Diocesan . . . . .	697	777	841	1,386	1,036	353	941	1,114	1,372	1,280	1,166	1,239	1,943	1,997	3,059	2,323	3,045	2,448	2,126	1,879.42

\* Not reported in 1890-91.  
† Not fully reported.

Woman's Auxiliary.

OFFICERS OF THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY TO THE BOARD  
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The Twentieth Annual Meeting of the Kansas City Diocesan Branch  
of the Woman's Auxiliary will be held D. V., in St. George's Church,  
Kansas City, on Thursday, May 12, 1910.

## APPENDIX NO. 1.

**BISHOP'S PURSE.**

## RECEIPTS MAY 1ST, 1908, TO MAY 1ST, 1909.

May 24 St. John's, Kansas City.....	\$ 3.62
May 24 St. Augustine's, Kansas City.....	3.75
June 7 Auxiliary . . . . .	218.00
June 8 St. Paul's, Kansas City.....	25.55
June 8 Grace, Kansas City.....	8.00
June 8 Grace Kansas City (last year).....	60.54
June 8 Independence . . . . .	7.82
Aug. 30 Sedalia . . . . .	7.35
Aug. 30 Auxiliary . . . . .	139.38
Aug. 30 Butler. . . . .	2.60
Aug. 30 West Plains. . . . .	5.00
Aug. 30 Mountain Grove. . . . .	7.40
Aug. 30 Clinton. . . . .	8.00
Dec. 6 St. John's Kansas City.....	2.90
Dec. 6 St. Augustine's. . . . .	7.29
Dec. 16 Boonville. . . . .	4.68
Dec. 17 Auxiliary. . . . .	71.00
Dec. 27 Auxiliary. . . . .	162.50

1909.

Jan. 31 Aurora . . . . .	1.82
Jan. 31 Monett. . . . .	1.90
Feb. 5 Richmond . . . . .	6.30
Feb. 5 Lebanon . . . . .	15.40
Feb. 14 Maryville . . . . .	2.40
Feb. 14 Stanberry . . . . .	2.40
Feb. 21 Chillicothe . . . . .	10.00
Feb. 4 Auxiliary . . . . .	107.50
Feb. 4 A friend . . . . .	10.00
March 7 Boonville . . . . .	8.65
March 17 Auxiliary . . . . .	10.00
March 17 Sedalia . . . . .	5.30
March 21 St. Mark's, Kansas City.....	5.00
March 28 St. John's, Springfield.....	5.30
March 28 Christ Church . . . . .	15.35
March 29 Mountain Grove . . . . .	8.34
March 30 West Plains . . . . .	5.00
April 4 Sedalia . . . . .	6.00
April 4 Warrensburg . . . . .	25.00
April 25 Grace Hall for General Missionary.....	2.10

April 25 Grace Hall for Maryville.....	2.00
April 7 St. Augustine's, Kansas City.....	5.32
April 11 Neosho . . . . .	4.10
April 15 Independence . . . . .	2.40
April 19 Christ Church, St. Joseph.....	18.02
April 17 A friend . . . . .	5.00
April 25 Auxiliary . . . . .	10.00
April 28 Plattsburg . . . . .	4.40
April 30 St. Luke's, St. Joseph.....	2.15
April 30 Wm. Armour . . . . .	50.00
April 30 Auxiliary . . . . .	8.00
April 30 Auxiliary . . . . .	10.00
April 30 Auxiliary . . . . .	3.10
April 30 Auxiliary. . . . .	100.00
April 30 Auxiliary . . . . .	15.00
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	\$1,237.43

NOTE.—This report credits the Auxiliary with amounts received from its Treasurer for the Bishop's Purse. The Auxiliary Report will show the credit to be given to each parish and mission.

Statements from May 15th, 1908, to May 1st, 1909.

Stipends . . . . .	\$ 583.00
Blanks for Diocesan use.....	154.00
Literature. . . . .	63.04
Paving . . . . .	28.00
Insurance . . . . .	9.00
Special for Missionary Traveling Expenses, etc.....	155.70
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	\$ 992.74

## APPENDIX NO. 2.

**PLEDGES FOR DIOCESAN MISSIONS 1909-1910.**

Parishes.	Pledges.		
Boonville . . . . .	\$ 50.00	Webb City . . . . .	10.00
Carthage . . . . .	100.00	Special . . . . .	40.00
Chillicothe . . . . .	75.00	West Plains . . . . .	25.00
Special . . . . .	25.00	Other Pledges—	
Kansas City—		Rev. J. D. Ritchey.....	10.00
Grace . . . . .	400.00	Mrs. C. H. Childs.....	10.00
St. George's . . . . .	100.00	Mrs. H. J. S. Seeley.....	5.00
Special . . . . .	50.00	Mrs. Robt. Carey.....	10.00
St. Mark's . . . . .	100.00	Memorial Mrs. J. E. Cobb—	
St. Mary's . . . . .	100.00	Webb City . . . . .	15.00
St. Paul's . . . . .	450.00	Dr. W. M. Harrison.....	5.00
Trinity . . . . .	125.00	Savannah, 10 per cent of	
Maryville . . . . .	25.00	strawberry crop, per Rev.	
St. Joseph—		Jay C. Hathaway.	
Christ Church. . . . .	400.00	St. Paul's S. S., K. C.....	50.00
Sedalia. . . . .	50.00	Douglas D. Harding.....	10.00
Springfield—		John T. Harding.....	15.00
Christ Church . . . . .	50.00	James Blain . . . . .	10.00
Missions—		W. C. Goffe.....	25.00
Clinton . . . . .	30.00	Rev. C. T. Brady.....	25.00
Special . . . . .	10.00	T. J. Brodnax.....	10.00
Harrisonville . . . . .	20.00	Master Spencer Walton,	
Special . . . . .	5.00	Boonville . . . . .	5.00
Kansas City—		B. J. Fradenburg.....	5.00
St. Augustine's . . . . .	30.00	Mrs. B. J. Fradenburg....	5.00
St. John's . . . . .	35.00	Jay M. Lee.....	10.00
Lamar . . . . .	15.00	*Rev. F. C. O'Meara,	
Lebanon . . . . .	20.00	Special . . . . .	200.00
Marshall . . . . .	10.00	Bishop Atwill . . . . .	100.00
Special . . . . .	10.00	Mr. Nearing . . . . .	25.00
Neosho . . . . .	25.00	J. F. Langton.....	25.00
St. Oswald . . . . .	10.00	Rev. J. A. Schaad.....	25.00
St. Joseph—		Rev. Jay C. Hathaway....	10.00
St. Matthais . . . . .	5.00	Albert White . . . . .	10.00
St. Luke's . . . . .	15.00	J. Q. Watkins.....	25.00
Savannah . . . . .	10.00	Mrs. Hebel . . . . .	10.00
Stanberry . . . . .	5.00	C. H. Child.....	10.00
Utica . . . . .	5.00	J. E. Long.....	10.00
		H. Stringfellow . . . . .	25.00

Rev. E. W. Flower.....	5.00	St. Elizabeth's Guild, Grace	
Mr. Hamil .....	10.00	Church, K. C.....	5.00
Mr. Cutler .....	10.00	Rev. A. W. Farnum.....	5.00
Mrs. R. H. Weller.....	10.00	Rev. D. H. Atwill.....	5.00
Mr. Schroeder .....	10.00	Sedalia Sunday School....	5.00
John Gosling .....	10.00	D. H. Smith.....	10.00
St. John's S. S., K. C....	5.00	Note—Special pledges are for an archdeacon.	
St. Mary's S. S., K. C....	25.00		
St. Paul's Primary Dept.,		*Relinquished stipend.	
K. C. ....	10.00		
Trinity Juniors, K. C.....	5.00		

APPENDIX NO. 3.

AUDITING REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE.

Kansas City, Mo., Aug. 2, 1909.

*To the Rt. Rev. E. R. Atwill, D. D.,*

*Bishop of the Diocese of Kansas City.*

The Committee on Finance, appointed at the last Diocesan Council, has examined the accounts of Mr. Walton H. Holmes, Treasurer of the Diocese of Kansas City, and Mr. H. D. Ashley, Treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Fund, and finds everything in strict agreement with the reports of the Treasurers.

A. C. STOWELL,  
T. J. BRODNAX,  
*Committee.*

## **Extracts From the Constitution of the Church in the Diocese of Kansas City.**

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### **ARTICLE III.**

#### **Of Annual and Special Councils.**

**SECTION 1.** The Council of the Church of this Diocese shall annually assemble on the Tuesday after the second Sunday in May, at such place as shall have been appointed by the preceding Annual Council; but in case of the prevalence of infectious or epidemic disease at the appointed time and place of meeting, or for other sufficient cause, the ecclesiastical authority of the Diocese shall have power to change the time or place, or both, as the emergency may require; *provided*, that due notice of such change shall be given as long before the constitutional date as practicable under the circumstances, to every Clergyman and to the Warden of every Parish and Mission not under the charge of the Clergyman.

**SEC. 2.** Special meetings of the Council may be called by the ecclesiastical authority when, in the judgment thereof, the good of the Church requires it. The notice of a special meeting shall be issued, by letter or printed circular, to every Clergyman, and to every Vestry, and to the Warden of every Mission in the Diocese, at least thirty days before the time appointed for the meeting, and it shall state the business for which the Council is called. No business shall be transacted at any special Council beyond that mentioned in the call, unless by unanimous consent of the members present.

### **ARTICLE IV.**

#### **Of the Members of the Council.**

**SECTION 1.** The Council shall be composed of Clergymen and Laymen.

**SEC. 2.** Every Clergyman in regular standing who shall have been for six months actually and canonically resident in this Diocese shall be entitled to a seat and a vote in the Council; *provided*, that he shall have been admitted, and at the time of the Council shall be actually settled as Rector, or Assistant Minister of some Parish in union with the Council, or shall be a Missionary under the direction of the Bishop or ecclesiastical authority of the Diocese, or shall be engaged as an instructor in some seminary of learning under the auspices of the Church, or in some parochial school within the Diocese, or shall be a Chaplain in the Army or Navy of the United States. A Clergyman's canonical residence shall date from his ordination within the Diocese.

or from the date of the acceptance of his letter of transfer by the ecclesiastical authority of the Diocese.

**SEC. 3.** A Clergyman once entitled to a seat and a vote in the Council shall not be deprived of these privileges because disabled from the functions of his office by age or infirmity, or by being temporarily without charge; *provided*, that the latter reason shall not apply to a Clergyman exclusively engaged in secular work.

**SEC. 4.** Every Parish and Mission in union with the Council of this Diocese, having fifty communicants or less, shall be entitled to be represented by one Lay Delegate, and also by one Lay Delegate for each additional fifty above the first fifty communicants; *provided*, that no Parish shall have more than five delegates, and *provided also*, that no Lay Delegate shall take his seat until his Parish has paid all assessments in full to the Treasurer, or unless such indebtedness has been remitted by the preceding Council; and the same provision shall apply to Lay Delegates from Missions.

**SEC. 5.** Lay Delegates shall be chosen for a Parish by the Vestry of a Parish, or if the Vestry fail to act, then by the congregation of the Parish, duly convened. Lay Delegates for a Mission shall be chosen by the congregation, duly convened. The Lay Delegates chosen as above shall be male communicants of the Church, in good standing, and shall have been for six months next preceding stated worshipers in the Parish or Mission which they severally represent; they shall be canonically entitled to vote for Vestrymen; but no candidate for Holy Orders shall be admitted as a Lay Delegate to any Council.

## ARTICLE V.

### Divine Service at the Meeting of Councils.

The direction of Divine Service during the session of the Council shall rest with the Bishop alone. In the absence of the Bishop, all services shall be under the direction of the President of the Standing Committee.

## ARTICLE VI.

### Of the Presiding Officer.

**SECTION 1.** The Bishop of the Diocese shall be *ex officio* President of the Council. But in case of the absence of the Bishop at the time and place appointed for a Council, or any session thereof, or if there be no Bishop, the President of the Standing Committee, or other Clerical member thereof, shall call the Council to order, and if a quorum be found present, a President *pro tem* shall be elected from among the Presbyters in attendance. If the President at any time leave the chair, he may appoint a Presbyter to preside in his stead.

**SEC. 2.** The presiding officer shall not join in debate, nor leave the chair for that purpose; but after debate on any motion or resolution shall have been closed, he shall have the right to express his opinion on the whole subject under consideration. The presiding officer shall



be entitled to but one vote on all subjects which may be considered by the Council; and he shall be excused from voting if he shall so desire.

## ARTICLE VII.

### Of the Secretary and Treasurer.

SECTION 1. The annual Council shall elect a Secretary and a Treasurer, whose duties shall be defined by Canon. If either of these officers be not a member of the Council, he shall, nevertheless, be entitled, *ex officio*, to all the privileges of membership except that of voting.

## ARTICLE VIII.

### Of the Transaction of Business.

SECTION 1. One-third of the Clergy entitled to seats in the Council, and Lay Delegates from one-fourth of the Parishes and Missions entitled to representation, when duly assembled, shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business; but a smaller number may adjourn from time to time.

SEC. 2. The Clergy and Laity shall deliberate in one body. Except when herein otherwise expressly provided, a majority of all the votes cast shall determine any question submitted to the Council.

SEC. 3. Any member may call for a vote by yeas and nays, and when such a call is made the Secretary shall call the roll of the Council, and the members shall thereupon announce their votes as their names are called. The votes so cast shall be recorded in the Journal, and no member shall be excused from voting unless by unanimous consent.

SEC. 4. If any five Clergymen, or if any five Laymen representing not less than three Parishes or Missions, shall demand a vote by Orders, the roll of the Clergy shall be called by the Secretary, and the members shall announce their votes as their names are called. Immediately on the completion of this call the roll of Parishes and Missions shall be called by the Secretary, and the Lay Delegates shall announce their votes as their names are called. A majority of the votes of each order shall be necessary to an affirmative decision.

SEC. 5. The Council shall have power to ordain and enact Canons of Discipline for the ecclesiastical government of all Parishes and Missions, Clergy and Laity of the Church within this Diocese--the Bishop alone excepted. But any constitutional provision, or any Canon of the Council which shall be or shall become inconsistent with the Constitution and Canons of General Convention, shall be void.

SEC. 6. Canons proposed for adoption by the Council shall be considered and passed upon, section by section, and a final vote by Orders shall then be taken on the Canons as a whole, unless such vote by Orders be unanimously dispensed with.

SEC. 7. The Rules of Order of any preceding Council shall remain in force until altered by the Council.

SEC. 8. No Constitutional provision, Canon, or Resolution, touching the rights, privileges, dignities, duties or obligations of the Bishop of the Diocese shall be of any force or effect, unless it shall have received the consent of the Bishop at the time of its adoption; and no

such action of the Council shall be taken by the Council during any vacancy of the Episcopate.

## ARTICLE XI.

### Of the Standing Committee.

SECTION 1. The Council shall annually elect, by the concurrent ballot of both Orders, a Standing Committee, to consist of three Presbyters and three Laymen.

SEC. 2. The Clerical members of the Standing Committee must be entitled to seats in the Council of the Diocese, and the Lay members must be communicants in good standing, and actually resident in the Diocese.

SEC. 3. The Committee shall meet for organization before the adjournment of the Council at which they were elected, and shall choose a President from among the Clerical members, and a Secretary, either Clerical or Lay, and shall immediately report their organization to the Bishop.

SEC. 4. The records of the Standing Committee, and all papers in their official possession, shall be subject to the examination of the Bishop and the Council. A full report of their actions shall be made at each annual Council. Four members of the Committee (at least two of the four being Clergymen) shall be a quorum for the transaction of business. Vacancies occurring in the Committee may be filled by the remaining members.

SEC. 5. The Standing Committee shall be a council of advice to the Bishop. They shall be summoned by the Bishop whenever he shall desire their advice, and they may, of their own accord, advise the Bishop when they shall think it needful to do so. All the proceedings of the Standing Committee, when acting as a council of advice to the Bishop, shall be strictly confidential, unless the Bishop and the Committee shall otherwise determine.

SEC. 6. During any vacancy in the Episcopate, or in case of the Bishop's incapacity to act, or during the absence of the Bishop from the Diocese—if he shall so appoint—the Standing Committee shall be the ecclesiastical authority of the Diocese, and shall exercise the powers and duties to be performed by the Bishop in matters of discipline, except in those cases where such powers and duties may be specially delegated to, or enjoined upon the Clerical members of the said Committee: *provided*, that in the absence of the Bishop, or because of his inability to act, no sentence shall be pronounced upon a clergyman by any other than a Bishop whom the Standing Committee may call in for that purpose.

## ARTICLE XII.

### Of Deputies to the General Convention.

SECTION 1. At the annual Council next before each triennial meeting of the General Convention, four Presbyters, entitled to seats in the Council, and four Laymen, communicants of this Diocese, and actually resident therein, shall be elected as Deputies to the General Convention

for the next three years. The same number of Provisional Deputies, similarly qualified, shall also be elected.

**SEC. 2.** It shall be the duty of the Deputies elected to notify the Bishop at least one month before the meeting of the General Convention of their acceptance or declination of the appointment, and if any of the Deputies-elect shall fail so to do, or if any vacancies shall subsequently occur before the meeting of the General Convention, the Bishop, with the consent of the Standing Committee, shall appoint so many of the Provisional Deputies as shall be necessary for a full representation of the Diocese. If full representation cannot be had from the Provisional Deputies chosen by the Council, any other Clergyman or Lay Communicant, similarly qualified, may be appointed by the Bishop in their stead; and if a vacancy shall occur during a session of the General Convention, the Bishop may make appointment from the Clergy or Lay Communicants, similarly qualified, as may be required. In the absence of a Bishop the Standing Committee shall act herein.

**SEC. 3.** So far as practicable the Diocesan Council shall provide for the expenses of all deputies attending the General Convention.

**SEC. 4.** If any deputy to the General Convention shall receive money from the Diocese to meet his expenses, and shall fail to attend the full term of the meeting of the General Convention, except for personal sickness, he shall refund to the Treasurer of the Diocese for every day of his absence a sum that shall be equal to a sum obtained by dividing the whole amount so received by the number of days the General Convention shall remain in session, and the sum thus refunded may be paid to the Provisional Deputy who shall supply the place of the Deputy absent as above.

### ARTICLE XIII.

#### Of the Election of Officers.

The election of all Officers provided for by this Constitution shall be by ballot, unless the same shall be unanimously dispensed with by the Council. In the event of a failure or neglect to elect at any Council, the person or persons already in office shall hold over until their successors shall have been duly elected. Whenever an election is by ballot, a majority of votes in each Order shall be necessary to elect.

### ARTICLE XV.

#### Of Assessments.

The Council shall have power to assess the Parishes and Missions in union with it for the necessary expenses of the Diocese. Assessments may be made either by canon or resolution.

## **Extracts From the Canons of the Church in the Diocese of Kansas City.**

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### **CANON I.**

#### **Of a List of the Clergy.**

Within one week before the meeting of every Council of this Diocese, the ecclesiastical authority shall cause to be prepared a list of all Clergymen canonically resident in the Diocese, annexing the names of their respective Cures, Parishes, Missions, or of the institution of learning, or the occupation in which they are engaged, and in regard to such as are not engaged as above, their places of residence only, specifying at the same time who of any class are Deacons, and who are entitled to seats and votes in the Council. Clergymen while suspended from the Ministry shall be so designated on such list. Such list shall be laid before the Council immediately after it shall be called to order, and the names of the Clerical members shall be called therefrom, and those entitled by the Fourth Article of the Constitution shall thereupon take their seats. The same list shall be prefixed to the Journal and form a part thereof.

### **CANON II.**

#### **Evidence of Membership in the Council.**

SECTION 1. The evidence of the regular admission of a Clergyman into the Diocese, and the evidence of settlement in a Parish thereof, shall consist in proof satisfactory to the Council of a compliance with the Canons of this Diocese and of the General Convention in that behalf for the time being. In all cases of a contested right to a seat, the evidence of employment as a Missionary, or the connection of a Clergyman with a seminary of learning under the auspices of the Church, or with a Parochial school, or as a Chaplain in the Army or Navy of the United States shall be the certificate of the Bishop; or, in case a vacancy in the Episcopate, of the President of the Standing Committee.

SEC. 2. The Secretary of the Council shall furnish every Parish and Mission, through its Rector or Minister in charge (if there be one), otherwise through one of its Wardens, a duplicate form of said certificate, the same to be filled in and returned to him by mail not later than five days before the meeting of the Diocesan Council; and shall, from the same, make up his roll of Lay Delegates prior to said meeting, which roll (including the names both of principals and alternates) he shall call by towns and parishes in alphabetical order immediately after the roll of the Clergy; and shall thereupon report to the Chair whether or not a Canonical quorum of both orders is present. The original certifi-

cates of election of Lay Delegates shall be given the Secretary when the Council convenes. No reference to the Committee on Credentials shall be necessary, except in the case of contested seats.

SEC. 3. It is hereby made the duty of all Parishes and Missions to provide for the expense of their Clergy in attending the Council.

### CANON III.

#### **Of the Secretary of the Council.**

SECTION 1. The Secretary shall be chosen upon the assembling of the annual Council, and remain in office until the organization of the next annual Council. His duty shall be to take minutes of the proceedings of the Council, to preserve its Journals and Records, to attest the public acts of the body and to faithfully deliver into the hands of his successor all books, pamphlets and papers relative to the concerns of the Council which may be in his possession. It shall be his duty to give the constitutional notice required for any special Council. He shall also transmit annually to each of the Bishops of this Church in the United States and to the Secretary of the last House of Deputies of the General Convention, and to the Secretary of every Diocesan Convention and Missionary Jurisdiction, a copy of the Journal of this Council. He shall also transmit a copy to each Clergyman in the Diocese, and to each delegate attending the Council, and to the secretary of each Vestry or Mission, and copies to each Parish and Mission in the Diocese as they may request.

SEC. 2. The Secretary shall transmit to every General Convention, in addition to the documents called for by its Canons, a certificate, to be signed by himself, containing a list of the Clergymen of this Diocese; and also a like certificate of the appointment of Deputies to the General Convention.

SEC. 3. Any expense incurred by a compliance with the sections of this Canon shall be paid out of the Diocesan fund.

SEC. 4. Immediately upon the close of each Council the Secretary shall transmit to every officer or committee of the Council, and to the Bishop of the Diocese, a certified copy of all the acts of the Council bearing upon the duties of such officer or committee, or upon the duties of the Bishop.

SEC. 5. At any annual or special Council the Secretary may appoint one or two persons as assistants, as he may desire, and who may or may not be members of the Council. But whenever, during a recess of the Council there shall be a vacancy in the office of Secretary of the Council, the duties thereof shall devolve upon the Secretary of the Standing Committee.

SEC. 6. The Secretary shall receive such compensation for his services as the Council may determine.

### CANON XV.

#### **Of the Suspension of a Parish or Mission From the Council.**

SECTION 1. Whenever any Parish or Mission in union with the Council shall neglect for two years in succession to make an annual report,

no Missionary report being made on its behalf, or shall not, during the same period, have been under the care of a Rector or Missionary, nor requested of the ecclesiastical authority to have the services of a Missionary, such Parish or Mission may be suspended from representation in the Council by a vote of two-thirds of each Order.

SEC. 2. Such Parish or Mission, however, may be reinstated upon application to the Council, accompanied by a report of its condition, and on terms imposed by the Council, the reinstatement to take effect upon the rising of the Council taking such action, unless unanimous consent be given for it to take effect at that Council.

### CANON XVIII.

#### Of the Committee on Finance.

A Standing Committee on Finance shall be appointed at each regular meeting of the Council by the presiding officer to hold office until their successors are appointed. The committee shall consist of three Laymen and the Treasurer of the Diocese, and its duties shall be: *First*, To act and report upon the business that may be referred to it during the session of the Council. *Second*, To serve as a Board of Advice upon financial matters, as may be desired, to the Treasurer of the Diocese, to the Bishop, to the Standing Committee, and to the managers of the several trusts of the Diocese. *Third*, To audit before the date fixed for the annual meeting of the Council, the reports of the various Treasurers, whose duty it is to report to the Council and to examine the balances and the value of the investments, and to report such recommendations as they may deem fit with reference thereto.

### CANON XIX.

#### Of Assessments.

SECTION 1. Every Parish and Mission in the Diocese shall be annually assessed for Diocesan purposes, and the money obtained by such assessment shall be called the "Diocesan Fund."

SEC. 2. At each stated meeting of the Council a committee shall be appointed for the purpose of assessing upon the Parishes and Missions of this Diocese, severally, an amount to be paid by them for the support of the Episcopate, and to meet the contingent expenses of the Council and the Diocese.

SEC. 3. It is hereby made the duty of the Treasurer of the Diocese to notify the Warden or Parish Treasurer of every Parish and Mission ten days before the middle of each quarter that a fourth of such annual assessment will be due on such date, and to request prompt payment of the same. If such quarterly payment be not received within five days after it shall be due, then the Treasurer shall, over his own signature, urgently request from the authorities of the delinquent Parish or Mission the prompt payment of their dues, and it shall be the duty of the Minister or person in charge of such Parish or Mission to read

the second notice to the people upon the first occasion that they shall assemble for public worship after the notice shall have been received.

SEC. 4. The mode and basis of any or all assessments made by the Council upon the Parishes and Missions shall be determined each year by the committee, and reported to the Council with the assessment. But any Council may instruct the committee as to what shall be the mode and basis of the assessment for that year.

#### CANON XXIX.

##### Of Alterations and Amendments.

SECTION 1. No proposed alteration or amendment to the Canons of this Diocese shall be considered by the Council unless at least one day's previous notice thereof shall be given in open Council, or unless by unanimous consent, such alteration or amendment shall have been referred to, and reported on by a committee on Constitution and Canons.

SEC. 2. As the right of government is inherent in the Episcopal office, the Bishop shall have the right of veto upon all Canons adopted by the Council.

SEC. 3. All canonical enactments of this Council shall take effect immediately on the rising of the Council enacting.

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# General Clergy Relief Fund

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THE REV. A. J. P. MCCLURE, TREASURER

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**T**HE general and official society for the Pension and Relief of Clergy, Widows and Orphans, covering the whole Church. See Canon 53. The general convention recommends an annual offering from every church, and that a percentage of the Communion Alms be given to this fund. Remit to Treasurer, Alfred J. P. McClure, the Church House, 12th and Walnut Streets, Philadelphia, Pa.

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# Canonical and Stated Offerings

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The following *must* be taken up by every Parish and Mission  
in union with this Council. (*Canon XX, Sec. 1, 2*).

- Diocesan Assessment,** - - - - - **Quarterly**  
WALTON H. HOLMES, 'Treas., Pioneer Trust Co., Kansas City.
- Diocesan Missions,** - - - - - **Quarterly**  
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- Permanent Episcopal Fund,** - - - - - **2nd Sunday in Lent**  
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- Theological Education Fund** - - - - - **Trinlty Sunday**  
WALTON H. HOLMES, 'Treas., Pioneer Trust Co., Kansas City.

The following are recommended and by the terms of Canon 52  
of the General Convention, an offering for General  
Missions is obligatory.

- Prayer Book Distribution Society . . . . . **Whitsunday**  
'The REV. J. A. SCHAAD, Diocesan Commissioner, Kansas City.
- Domestic Missions . . . . . **1st Sunday in Advent**  
Foreign Missions . . . . . **2nd Sunday after Epiphany**  
Missions to Colored People . . . . . **Quinquagesima Sunday**  
Missions to Indians . . . . . **4th Sunday after Easter**  
American Church Building Fund . . . . . **22nd Sunday after Trinity**
- 'Treas., Church Mission House,  
281 Fourth Avenue, New York City.
- Missions to the Jews . . . . . **Good Friday**  
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- Missions to Deaf Mutes . . . . . **12th Sunday after Trinity**  
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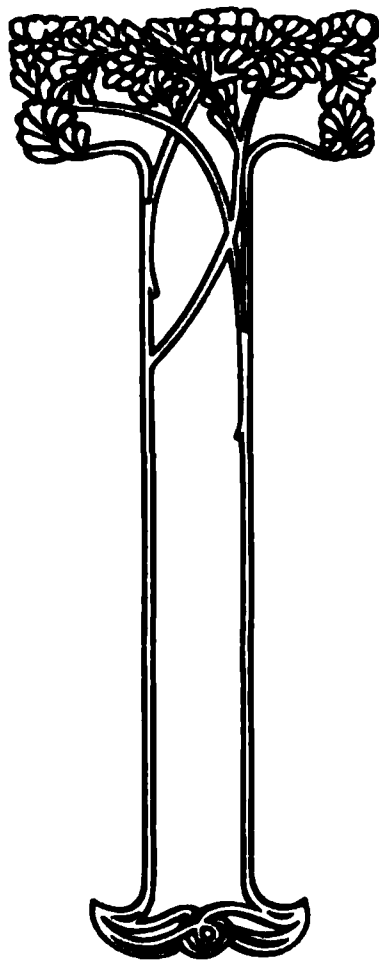
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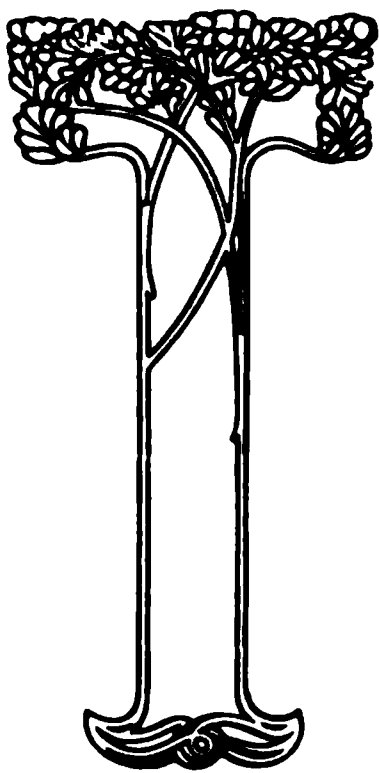
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IN UNION WITH THE COUNCIL, WITH DATES OF ORIGINAL  
FORMATION AND OF ADMISSION TO THE DIOCESE  
OF MISSOURI OR WEST MISSOURI.

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Place.	Parish.	Formed.	Admitted.
Blackburn. . . . .	*CHURCH OF THE MEDIATOR. . . . .	1856	1880
Boonville. . . . .	CHRIST CHURCH. . . . .	1835	1840
Brookfield. . . . .	GRACE. . . . .	1874	1884
Brunswick. . . . .	†ST. PAUL'S. . . . .	1851	1852
Carrollton. . . . .	ST. PAUL'S. . . . .	1872	1873
Carthage. . . . .	GRACE. . . . .	1869	1870
Chillicothe. . . . .	GRACE. . . . .	1858	1859
Fayette. . . . .	ST. MARY'S. . . . .	1836	1847
Independence. . . . .	TRINITY. . . . .	1844	1855
Joplin. . . . .	ST. PHILIP'S. . . . .	1874	1891
Kansas City. . . . .	‡GRACE. . . . .	1870	1871
Kansas City. . . . .	ST. GEORGE'S. . . . .	1891	1891
Kansas City. . . . .	ST. MARK'S. . . . .	1889	1889
Kansas City. . . . .	!ST. MARY'S. . . . .	1857	1858
Kansas City. . . . .	ST. PAUL'S. . . . .	1889	1891
Kansas City. . . . .	TRINITY. . . . .	1883	1883
Lexington. . . . .	CHRIST CHURCH. . . . .	1842	1846
Maryville. . . . .	ST. PAUL'S. . . . .	1857	1878
Nevada. . . . .	ALL SAINTS'. . . . .	1866	1870
Pleasant Hill. . . . .	CALVARY. . . . .	1868	1868
St. Joseph. . . . .	CHRIST CHURCH. . . . .	1851	1852
St. Joseph. . . . .	HOLY TRINITY. . . . .	1869	1870
Sedalia. . . . .	CALVARY. . . . .	1868	1872
Springfield. . . . .	CHRIST CHURCH. . . . .	1859	1860
Springfield. . . . .	ST. JOHN'S. . . . .	1886	1886
Warrensburg. . . . .	CHRIST CHURCH. . . . .	1859	1868
Weston. . . . .	ST. JOHN'S. . . . .	1851	1852

Number of Parishes in the Diocese, 27.

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\*Name changed from "St. Thomas'" to "Mediator" in 1880.

†Name changed from "St. Ann's" to "St. Paul's" in 1870.

‡Name changed from "St. Paul's" to "Grace" in 1873.

!Name changed from "St. Luke's" to "St. Mary's" in 1879.

## Organized Missions

WITH DATES OF ORIGINAL FORMATION.

Amazonia. . . . .	ST. MATTHEW'S. . . . .	1875
†Aurora. . . . .	TRINITY. . . . .	1890
Butler. . . . .	ST. MARK'S. . . . .	1875
Cameron. . . . .	ST. JOHN'S. . . . .	1869
*Clinton. . . . .	ST. PAUL'S. . . . .	1886
†Excelsior Springs. . . . .	ST. LUKE'S. . . . .	1905
Hamilton. . . . .	TRINITY. . . . .	1870
Harrisonville. . . . .	ST. PETER'S. . . . .	1871
Holden. . . . .	MOUNT CALVARY. . . . .	1887
Kansas City. . . . .	ST. AUGUSTINE'S. . . . .	1882
Kansas City. . . . .	ST. JOHN'S. . . . .	1891
†  Lamar. . . . .	TRINITY. . . . .	1903
Lebanon. . . . .	TRINITY. . . . .	1872
Lee's Summit. . . . .	ST. PAUL'S. . . . .	1879
Marshall. . . . .	TRINITY. . . . .	1872
†Monett. . . . .	ST. STEPHEN'S. . . . .	1893
Mountain Grove. . . . .	ST. MARK'S. . . . .	1890
Neosho. . . . .	ST. JOHN'S. . . . .	1889
†Oswald. . . . .	ST. OSWALD'S. . . . .	1891
Plattsburg. . . . .	ST. MARY'S. . . . .	1874
Rich Hill. . . . .	ST. LUKE'S. . . . .	1887
St. Joseph. . . . .	ST. MATTHIAS'. . . . .	1885
‡Savannah. . . . .	ST. MARY'S. . . . .	1855
Stanberry. . . . .	TRINITY. . . . .	1902
Sweet Springs. . . . .	ST. JAMES'. . . . .	1888
!Trenton. . . . .	ST. PHILIP'S. . . . .	1893
Utica. . . . .	TRINITY. . . . .	1873
Webb City. . . . .	ST. PAUL'S. . . . .	1899
West Plains. . . . .	ALL SAINTS'. . . . .	1889

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\*First organized as "St. Matthew's."

‡First organized as "St. John's."

!First organized as "Christ Church."

†Not in union with Council.

||First organized as "Church of the Advent."

## Unorganized Missions

WITH DATES OF ORIGINAL FORMATION.

Fordland. . . . .	ST. LUKE'S. . . . .	1901
Higginsville. . . . .	—————. . . . .	1905
Kansas City. . . . .	HOLY SPIRIT. . . . .	—
Kansas City. . . . .	GRACE. . . . .	1890
Kansas City. . . . .	ST. SIMON, THE CYRENIAN. . . . .	1910
Lathrop. . . . .	—————. . . . .	1903
Liberty. . . . .	GRACE. . . . .	1859
Milan. . . . .	—————. . . . .	1903
Platte City. . . . .	ST. THOMAS'. . . . .	1851
Richmond. . . . .	ST. PAUL'S. . . . .	1891
Tipton. . . . .	ST. GEORGE'S. . . . .	1892
Versailles. . . . .	TRINITY. . . . .	1887



## List of the Clergy

IN THE ORDER OF THEIR CONTINUOUS RESIDENCE IN THE DIOCESE OF  
MISSOURI AND KANSAS CITY.

THE RIGHT REVEREND EDWARD ROBERT ATWILL, D.D.,  
Consecrated October 14, 1890.

NAME.	RECEIVED.	FROM.
The REV. J. STEWART-SMITH.....	Oct. 26, 1891....	Chicago.
The REV. CECIL P. WILSON.....	June 24, 1891....	New York.
The REV. EDWARD W. FLOWER.....	Sept. 20, 1901....	Albany.
The REV. CHARLES A. WEED.....	Oct. 15, 1901....	Nebraska.
The REV. JEFFERSON D. RITCHEY.....	Feb. 18, 1905....	Kansas.
The REV. EDWARD H. ECKEL.....	Mar. 3, 1905....	Harrisburg.
The REV. C. R. STEARNS.....	Jan. 11, 1906....	Southern Ohio.
The REV. JULIUS A. SCHAAD.....	May 1, 1906....	Michigan.
The REV. ARTHUR W. FARNUM.....	May 11, 1906....	Minnesota.
The REV. ARTHUR M. GRIFFIN.....	Sept. 1, 1906....	Salina.
The REV. JAMES SENIOR.....	Sept. 15, 1906....	Nebraska.
The REV. ROBERT N. SPENCER.....	Feb. 25, 1907....	Kansas.
The REV. CHARLES H. BOHN.....	Feb. 25, 1907....	Iowa.
The REV. CARL REED TAYLOR.....	May 2, 1907....	Duluth.
The REV. EDWARD S. WILLETT.....	May 4, 1907....	Springfield.
The REV. DOUGLASS HENRY ATWILL....	June 5, 1907....	By ordination.
The REV. FREDERICK C. O'MEARA.....	April 3, 1908....	Marquette.
The REV. ROBERT J. BELT.....	May 5, 1908....	Springfield.
The REV. WM. A. PEARMAN.....	Oct. 8, 1908....	Southern Ohio.
The REV. GILES H. SHARPLEY.....	Nov. 4, 1908....	Minnesota.
The REV. C. T. BRADY, LL.D.....	Nov. 10, 1908....	Ohio.
The REV. SILAS C. WALTON.....	Dec. 16, 1908....	Quincy.
The REV. F. F. BECKERMAN.....	Sept. 5, 1909....	Iowa.
The REV. E. C. JOHNSON.....	Oct. 15, 1909....	North Dakota.
The REV. STEPHEN E. PRENTISS.....	Oct. 20, 1909....	South Carolina.
The REV. OSCAR HOMBURGER.....	Nov. 15, 1909....	Arkansas.
The REV. R. O. MACKINTOSH.....	Dec. 22, 1909....	Kansas.

**HAVING A RIGHT TO SEAT AND VOTE IN THE TWENTY-FIRST COUNCIL OF THE  
DIOCESE OF KANSAS CITY.**

THE RIGHT REVEREND EDWARD ROBERT ATWILL, D.D.

**The REV. DOUGLASS HENRY ATWILL, Rector, Calvary, Sedalia.**

**The REV. CHARLES H. BOHN, Rector, Christ Church, Lexington; Missionary, Marshall, Blackburn, Higginsville.**

**The REV. FRANK F. BECKERMAN, Rector, Christ Church, Springfield.**

**The REV. ARTHUR W. FARNUM, Rector, St. Mark's, Kansas City.**

**THE REV. ARTHUR M. GRIFFIN**, Rector, Grace Church, Chillicothe; Missionary, Braymer, Utica.

**The REV. WILLIAM A. PEARMAN, Missionary, Clinton, Harrisonville.**

**The REV. JEFFERSON DAVIS RITCHEY, D.D., Rector, St. Paul's, Kansas City.**

**The REV. GILES H. SHARPLEY, Missionary, St. Luke's, St. Joseph.**

**The REV. J. STEWART-SMITH, Rector, St. Mary's, Kansas City.**

The REV. CARL REED TAYLOR, Missionary, St. John's, Kansas City ; Liberty.

**The REV. CHARLES ALBERT WEED, Rector, St. Philip's, Joplin; Missionary,  
Webb City.**

**The REV. EDWARD S. WILLETT, Missionary, St. Augustine's, Kansas City.**

**REV. OSCAR HOMBURGER, Minister-in-Charge Independence, Lec's Summit,  
Pleasant Hill.**

**CANONICALLY RESIDENT LESS THAN SIX MONTHS.**

**The REV. ROLAND O. MACKINTOSH, Rector, St. John's, Springfield; Mis-  
sionary, Lebanon.**

**\*The Rev. F. C. O'MEARA.**

\*The REV. CECIL P. WILSON.

\*Not present at Council.

LIST OF CLERGY.

CANDIDATE FOR PRIEST'S ORDERS.

HENRY ERVING BATCHELLER.

POSTULANTS.

DUNCAN WEEKS.

EDWARD HENRY ECKEL, JR.

JOHN FREDERICK SLICHTER.

JOHN BODEN.

LAY READERS.

- DR. D. E. ARCHER, Trenton.  
MR. H. L. ARNOLD, St. Paul's, Kansas City.  
MR. C. H. BIGGS, St. Paul's, Kansas City.  
MR. JOHN BODEN, Nevada.  
MR. J. E. COBB, St. Philip's, Joplin.  
MR. L. T. COLES, St. Augustine's, Kansas City.  
MR. WILLIAM CORSE, St. John's, Kansas City.  
MR. J. V. B. ELLARD, St. George's, Kansas City.  
MR. W. T. GLEERUP, West Plains.  
MR. F. A. G. GOMPERS, St. John's, Springfield.  
MR. WILLIAM EVES, St. John's, Neosho.  
MR. WALTER A. LANDIS, Christ Church, St. Joseph.  
MR. ERNEST D. HAAS, St. Paul's, Kansas City.  
MR. P. B. HAMLIN, Grace Church, Brookfield.  
MR. J. E. HERRIFORD, St. Augustine's, Kansas City.  
MR. B. C. HOWARD, St. George's, Kansas City.  
MR. GEORGE T. IRVINE, Christ Church, Boonville.  
MR. JOSEPH F. LANGTON, St. John's, Kansas City.  
MR. W. W. MANTZ, All Saints', West Plains.  
MR. C. M. MITCHELL, Mountain Grove.  
MR. EDWARD J. MUMBY, St. Philip's, Joplin.  
DR. H. M. PETTIT, St. Paul's, Carrollton.  
MR. S. W. RAVENAL, Christ Church, Boonville.  
MR. W. A. REMFRY, St. George's, Kansas City.  
MR. M. E. SCHMIDT, Christ Church, Boonville.  
MR. GEORGE SESSENS, All Saints', West Plains.  
MR. CHARLES A. SHEPARD, Christ Church, Warrensburg.  
MR. CURRAN C. SPENCER, St. Philip's, Joplin.  
MR. A. C. STOWELL, St. George's, Kansas City.  
MR. JOSEPH K. TUTTLE, Christ Church, Warrensburg.  
MR. DEFOREST WALMSLEY, Christ Church, St. Joseph.  
MR. HENRY T. WRIGHT, Trinity, Lebanon.

SUMMARY.

Bishop, 1; Priests, 25; Deacon, 1; Officiating by Permission, 1. Total,	28.
Entitled to a seat and vote.....	23
Candidate for Priests' Orders.....	1
Postulants. . . . .	4
Lay Readers.....	32

## List of Lay Delegates

APPOINTED BY PARISHES AND MISSIONS TO THE TWENTIETH ANNUAL COUNCIL.

### PARISHES.

*Boonville*—CHRIST CHURCH: \*Samuel W. Ravenal, \*Fred Sombart.

*Brookfield*—GRACE: \*J. F. McElwain, \*C. W. Green, \*G. W. Bailey.

*Chillicothe*—GRACE: \*A. M. McVey, \*Dr. R. Barney.

*Independence*—TRINITY: F. C. Florance, C. W. Lyon.

*Joplin*—ST. PHILIP'S: \*F. S. Cook, \*Frank Sharpe.

*Kansas City*—GRACE: H. D. Ashley, W. C. Goffe, W. H. Chapman, \*E. P. Pratt, B. R. Clarke.

ST. GEORGE'S: A. C. Stowell, W. A. Remfry, J. V. B. Ellard, W. L. Richards, J. Q. Watkins, \*B. C. Howard, \*R. Alexander, \*A. W. Peet.

ST. MARK'S: \*T. C. Bradley, Ross Hawkins, \*Ivor Caleb, \*Alfred Hamlin, \*A. D. Johnson, \*Fred H. Wood.

ST. MARY'S: M. G. Harman, E. C. Hamill, H. D. Norris, William Wooten.

ST. PAUL'S: Walton H. Holmes, Benjamin B. Lee, H. L. Arnold, Dr. V. W. Gayle, Egbert H. Chapman, Paul A. Simonds, \*T. J. Brodnax.

TRINITY: John T. Harding, R. W. Cary, C. H. Childs, \*Albert White, J. E. Long, \*W. M. Federmann, \*J. H. Ashley, \*J. C. Fuller, \*John Gosling, \*J. Roy Gregg.

*Lexington*—CHRIST CHURCH: \*J. F. Forster.

*Maryville*—ST. PAUL'S: \*Merrill Aldeman

*Nevada*—ALL SAINTS': Henry Kraft, Jr., \*Dr. H. Cody.

*Pleasant Hill*—CALVARY: John Holloway, \*Dr. H. S. Prentiss.

*St. Joseph*—CHRIST CHURCH: Horace Stringfellow, \*E. C. Hartwig, F. A. H. Garlich, \*A. E. Martin, F. E. Endebrock, P. F. Lets.

HOLY TRINITY: \*Charles Compton.

*Sedalia*—CALVARY: A. D. Stanley, D. H. Smith, \*O. E. Parsons, \*W. H. Schuare, \*C. N. Price.

*Springfield*—CHRIST CHURCH: James Blain, \*George H. McCann, \*Ernest Hudson.

ST. JOHN'S: \*M. H. Coil, \*Julius Seifert, \*Dr. J. I. Ormsben, \*J. E. Hicks.

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\*Not known to have been at Council.

## MISSIONS.

*Cameron*—ST. JOHN'S: \*A. J. Althouse.

*Clinton*—ST. PAUL'S: \*H. H. Williams.

*Harrisonville*—ST. PETER'S: \*Robert W. Adams.

*Kansas City*—ST. AUGUSTINE'S: \*C. S. Bailer, \*T. D. Williamson,  
R. F. Coles, W. H. Bousfield.

ST. JOHN'S: B. J. Fradenburg, \*Fred C. Adams, Jay M. Lee, \*Joseph  
S. Warrick, \*Frank J. Stewart, \*Hugh Hopcroft.

*Lebanon*—TRINITY: E. F. Stebbins.

*Marshall*—TRINITY: \*Dr. William Harrison.

*Neosho*—ST. JOHN'S: W. F. Eves.

*Stanberry*—TRINITY: \*J. H. Price.

*Trenton*—ST. PHILIP'S: Dr. David E. Archer.

*Webb City*—ST. PAUL'S: J. E. Cobb.

*West Plains*—ALL SAINTS': \*Joseph Knoerle.

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# **Convocations**

## **NORTHERN CONVOCATION.**

THE REV. EDWARD HENRY ECKEL, Dean.  
St. Joseph.

### **CLERGY.**

The REV. A. M. GRIFFIN,                      The REV. EDWARD W. FLOWER,  
The REV. STEPHEN E. PRENTISS,      The REV. G. H. SHARPLEY.

### **THE COUNTIES OF**

Atchison, Holt, Nodaway, Andrew, *Worth*, Gentry, *DeKalb*, Buchanan,  
Clinton, Platte, Clay, Ray, Caldwell, Daviess, *Harrison*, *Mercer*, Grundy,  
Livingston, Carroll, Chariton, Linn, *Sullivan*, *Putnam*, and Howard.

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**NOTE**—Counties in *italics* are those in which no church work is being done.

Population. . . . .	579,071
Area in square miles.....	12,617
Parishes. . . . .	9
Organized Missions. . . . .	12
Clergy. . . . .	5
Unorganized Missions.....	7
Communicants (estimated).....	1,154

CENTRAL CONVOCATION.

The REV. J. D. RITCHEY, D.D., Dean.  
Kansas City.

CLERGY.

The REV. A. W. FARNUM.	The REV. D. H. ATWILL,
The REV. C. H. BOHN,	The REV. J. A. SCHAAD,
The REV. S. C. WALTON,	The REV. C. R. TAYLOR,
The REV. WM. A. PEARMAN,	The REV. J. STEWART-SMITH,
The REV. R. N. SPENCER,	The REV. EDWARD S. WILLETT,
The REV. C. T. BRADY, LL.D.,	The REV. OSCAR HOMBURGER.

THE COUNTIES OF

Jackson, Cass, Bates, Lafayette, Johnson, Henry, *St. Clair*, Saline, Pettis, *Benton*, *Hickory*, Cooper, Moniteau, Morgan, *Camden*.

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NOTE—Counties in *italics* are those in which no church work is being done.

Population. . . . .	496,955
Area in square miles.....	10,813
Parishes. . . . .	13
Organized Missions.....	12
Unorganized Missions.....	5
Clergy. . . . .	13
Communicants (estimated).....	2,832

SOUTHERN CONVOCATION.

The REV. CHARLES A. WEED, Dean.  
Joplin.

CLERGY.

The REV. F. C. O'MEARA,                      The REV. R. J. BELT,  
The REV. JAMES SENIOR,                      The REV. FRANK F. BECKERMAN,  
The REV. ROLAND O. MACKINTOSH.

THE COUNTIES OF

Vernon, Barton, Jasper, Newton, *McDonald, Cedar, Dade, Lawrence, Barry, Polk, Greene, Christian, Stone, Tancy, Dallas, Webster, Douglas, Ozark, Laclede, Wright* and Howell.

NOTE—Counties in *italics* are those in which no church work is being done.

Population. . . . .	467,798
Area in square miles. . . . .	13,076
Parishes. . . . .	5
Organized Missions. . . . .	7
Unorganized Missions. . . . .	5
Clergy. . . . .	6
Communicants (estimated). . . . .	1,065



## Rules of Order

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1. When the President takes the Chair, no member shall continue standing, or shall afterwards stand up, unless to address the Chair.

2. When the President shall have taken the Chair, the minutes of the preceding day shall be read.

3. Immediately after organization of the Council, the following Standing Committees shall be appointed, viz.:

- (1) On the Admission of New Parishes.
- (2) On Constitution and Canons.
- (3) On Unfinished Business.
- (4) On Finance.
- (5) On Assessments.
- (6) On Missions.
- (7) On Christian Education.
- (8) On Sunday School Work.
- (9) On Missionaries' Traveling Expenses.
- (10) On the State of the Church.

4. All Committees shall be appointed by the President, unless otherwise ordered.

5. All resolutions shall be reduced to writing, presented to the Secretary, and by him read; and a motion shall not be considered before the house until recorded.

6. When any member is about to speak, or deliver any matter to the house, he shall, with due respect, address himself to the President, confining himself strictly to the point in debate.

7. A member shall not absent himself from the services of the house unless he have leave or be unable to attend.

8. A member, other than the Chairman of a Committee, whose report is under consideration, shall not speak more than twice in the same debate, nor longer than ten minutes at a time, without leave of the house.

9. Any member of the house may call for a vote by ayes and nays.

10. When a question has once been determined, it shall stand as the judgment of the house, and shall not be again drawn into debate, except on motion for reconsideration, which must be made by a member who had previously voted in the majority, and all motions to reconsider must be made on the day the vote is taken or on the next succeeding day.

11. When a question is under consideration, a motion shall not be received, except to lay on the table, to postpone it until a certain time, to postpone indefinitely, to commit it, to divide it or amend it; and motions for any of these purposes shall have precedence in the order herein named. If a motion to lay an amendment on the table be carried, the matter before the house shall be proceeded with as if no such amendment

has been offered. The motions to lay on the table and adjourn shall be decided without debate. The motion to adjourn shall always be in order.

12. Debate shall not be allowed upon a resolution to refer any motion to a Committee, or to a motion to recommit any subject which has been before a Committee, but the member who offers such resolution or motion may speak for five minutes for the purpose of explaining its object.

13. All amendments may be considered in the reverse order in which they are moved. When a proposed amendment is under consideration a motion to amend the same may be made. An after amendment to such second amendment shall not be in order, but when an amendment to an amendment is under consideration, a substitute to the whole may be received. A proposition, different from the one under consideration, shall not be received under color of an amendment or substitute.

14. Every member who may be in the house when any question is put, shall, on a division, be counted, unless he be excused by the Council.

15. All questions of order shall be decided in the first instance by the Chair, without debate; an appeal, however, may be made from this decision to the Council by any member of the same.

16. The Secretary may employ one or more Pages, not exceeding three, to act as messengers during the sessions of the Council.

17. The reports of all Committees shall be in writing, and shall be received, of course, and without motion for acceptance, unless recommitted by vote of the house. All reports recommending or requiring any action or expression of opinion by the house, shall be accompanied by a resolution for the action of the house therein.

18. The names of movers of resolutions shall appear upon the minutes of the Council.

The following Order of Business shall be observed:

10 A. M.—Holy Eucharist and Bishop's Address.

- (1) Roll call of Clergy.
- (2) Roll call of Lay Delegates.
- (3) Election of Secretary.
- (4) Appointment of Standing Committees.
- (5) Report of Committee on Credentials of Lay Delegates.
- (6) Resolutions pertaining to Bishop's Address.
- (7) Report of Committee on Assessment.
- (8) Report of Standing Committee.
- (9) Election of Standing Committee.
- (10) Election of Deputies to General Convention.
- (11) Election of Missionary Board.
- (12) Other Elections.
  - (a) Of Treasurer of the Diocese.
  - (b) Of Chancellor.
  - (c) Of Registrar.
  - (d) Of Trustees of Permanent Episcopal Fund.
  - (e) Of Theological Education Fund.
  - (f) Of Trustees of Disabled Clergy Fund.
  - (g) To fill vacancies.

- (13) Report of Treasurer of Diocese.
  - (14) Report of Treasurer of Missionary Board.
  - (15) Pledges for Missions.
  - (16) Reports of Treasurers of various funds.
  - (17) Reports of Trustees of various funds.
    - (a) Of Permanent Episcopal Fund.
    - (b) Of Theological Education Fund.
    - (c) Of Disabled Clergy Fund.
    - (d) Of Parochial Trust Fund.
    - (e) Of various funds.
  - (18) Reports of Committees appointed at previous Council and Resolutions pertaining to same.
  - (19) Reports of Special Committees and Resolutions pertaining to same.
  - (20) Reports of Standing Committees and action thereon.
  - (21) New business.
  - (22) Fixing place of meeting of next Council.
19. The Rules of Order shall not be suspended, except by a two-thirds vote of the members present.

## **Journal**

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### **First Day.**

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St. George's Church, Kansas City, Mo., Tuesday, May 10, 1910.

This being the place and time appointed for the meeting of the 21st Annual Council of the Diocese of Kansas City, the Right Rev. Edward Robert Atwill, D. D., Bishop of the Diocese, and a number of the Clergy and Laity assembled in St. George's Church, Kansas City, Mo., at 10:30 a. m., for Divine service.

The Holy Communion was celebrated by the Bishop, assisted by the Rev. Cyrus Townsend Brady, LL. D., as Reader of the Epistle, and the Rev. J. Stewart-Smith as Reader of the Gospel. The Rev. Douglass H. Atwill served as Bishop's Chaplain.

The Bishop delivered the following address:

### **THE BISHOP'S ADDRESS.**

Brethren of the Clergy and Laity:

We extend to you a cordial greeting and to the Clergy who have come to us since the previous Council a warm welcome. They add much to the strength of our force. Taken all in all, old and new, we have a body of Clergy who will average above those of most dioceses of our class with which I have acquaintance. We need a few more of the same sort.

As I enter upon my address I pause as usual to say a word of appreciation concerning any of the House of Bishops or of our own Diocese who have passed on to the rest that remaineth for the people of God.

One Bishop has gone—the genial and beloved Bishop of South Dakota, the Right Reverend William Hobart Hare, D. D. He passed the early years of his ministry in Philadelphia, was Secretary and Agent of the Foreign Committee of the Domestic and Foreign Missionary Society 1870-73, and in the latter year was consecrated Bishop of South Dakota, where his work among the Indians was most successful. How he loved them and how they loved him! His gentle and per-

suasive eloquence won the interest of their white brethren in the East, schools were established, churches were built and the red people learned to sing the praises of our Redeemer in the soft Dakota tongue. As a father he went up and down among them; his home was in an Indian school. His life was spent for them.

In our own Diocese the Reverend Jay C. Hathaway, despondent and mentally unbalanced, died by his own hand. He had been notable for his conscientious devotion to duty, and for his exalted Christian character. Many warm friends in Ohio and Illinois testify to his devotion to high ideals and his blameless life.

The Rev. Asher P. Crouch was an aged man canonically resident in this Diocese, but for many years he had been infirm and unequal to active duty.

Mr. T. B. Tomb, who died recently in California, was Vice President of our Church Club and a Vestryman of Grace Church, Kansas City. He was deeply interested in the progress of the Church in this Diocese and in his parish, giving generously and willingly to its support.

I have issued Letters Dimissory to:

The Reverend Andrew Harper, Jr., to the Diocese of Vermont.

The Reverend William H. Haupt to the Diocese of Kansas.

The Reverend Frank A. Joseph to the Diocese of Dallas.

The Reverend Edwin Blanchard Woodruff to the Diocese of Minnesota.

The Reverend Charles Frederick Carson to the Missionary District of Oklahoma.

Mr. Joseph and Mr. Carson, while retaining canonical connection with this Diocese, had for several years resided elsewhere.

I have accepted the Letters Dimissory of:

The Reverend Stephen E. Prentiss from the Diocese of South Carolina.

The Reverend E. C. Johnson from the Missionary District of North Dakota.

The Reverend Oscar Homburger from the Diocese of Arkansas.

The Reverend Roland O. MacKintosh from the Diocese of Kansas.

The Reverend Frank F. Beckerman from the Diocese of Iowa.

Mr. John Boden, formerly a Presbyterian minister, has been received into our Communion and has become a candidate for Holy Orders.

Mr. William S. D. Lamont is studying with the Reverend Edward Henry Eckel and assisting him in Holy Trinity Parish.

As the Canon demands, I now proceed to the record of my official acts during the conciliar year:

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*May 16*—At St. John's, Kansas City, I preached; confirmed six.

*May 30*—At St. Paul's Kansas City, I preached, confirmed twenty-two and addressed them. At St. Mary's, Kansas City, I preached, confirmed eight and addressed them.

*June 1 and 2*—In attendance upon the Annual Council. Delivered my annual address, celebrated the Holy Communion and presided at the meetings.

*June 3*—At the meeting of the Auxiliary I celebrated the Holy Communion and made an address.

*June 6*—I read service and preached at Nevada in the morning; preached at Lamar in the afternoon.

*June 13*—At Carrollton I celebrated the Holy Communion, preached and confirmed one.

*June 20*—At St. Oswald's, I preached.

*June 24*—At St. Paul's, Kansas City, I confirmed two.

*June 23*—At St. Luke's Hospital I conducted the service, made an address and presented diplomas to the graduating nurses.

*June 27*—At Chillicothe I preached, confirmed four and addressed them.

*July 4*—At St. Paul's, Kansas City, I celebrated the Holy Communion. During July and August I officiated on Sundays at Northport Point, Michigan.

*September 24*—Issue Lay Reader's License to W. S. D. Lamont for Holy Trinity, St. Joseph.

*September 26*—At Independence I read service and preached. Presided at a parish meeting. It was voted to leave the choice of a rector to me.

*October 1*—At St. Paul's Church, Kansas City, I confirmed one.

*October 3*—Spend part of the day at Pleasant Hill. Officiated at the funeral of Mrs. John Holloway.

*October 4*—Receive notice of the deposition of James M. Baker, Priest, and William R. Barclay, Deacon, by the Bishop of Fond du Lac.

*October 5*—At Richmond I preached, read service and confirmed an infant.

*October 8*—Officiate at the funeral of Thomas H. Swope in Grace Church.

*October 9*—Appoint committee at Cameron, as follows: A. J. Althaus, Warden; Thomas E. Turney, Treasurer; J. A. Franklin, Secretary.

*October 10*—At Carrollton I celebrated the Holy Communion, preached, gave instruction to Confirmation candidate, baptized one and confirmed one.

*October 11*—Met with the Kansas City Clericus to discuss Sunday School work and Church Extension in Kansas City. Receive notice of the deposition of Andreas Bard, Priest, by the Bishop of Spokane. Notice of the deposition of Willam Bayard Hale, Priest, by the Bishop of Pennsylvania.

*October 14*—Anniversary of my consecration as Bishop. I celebrated the Holy Communion in St. Paul's Church, Kansas City. Several of the clergy were present. The clergy breakfasted at my house and presented me with a beautiful copy of the English Prayer Book. In the afternoon I addressed the Auxiliary of St. Paul's Church. The President made a very complimentary address and made a gift of flowers.

*October 17*—At Plattsburgh. By a mistake there were no arrangements for service. I appointed Mrs. Carmack, Treasurer, and Mrs. Trimble, Secretary.

*October 18*—Take the Kansas City clergy out to explore the city with reference to Church Extension.

*October 19*—At Hamilton I celebrated the Holy Communion. Receive notice of the deposition of Sigourney Fay by the Bishop of Fond du Lac.

*October 20*—Receive notice of the deposition of N. B. Atcheson, Priest, by the Bishop of Texas. At Weston I called on the people and inspected the church.

*October 21*—At Excelsior Springs I called on the people and made arrangements for service.

*October 23*—Receive notice of the deposition of C. H. W. Throup, Priest, by the Bishop of Washington.

*October 24*—At Brookfield I celebrated the Holy Communion and preached. Visited a dying woman in the afternoon; read service and preached in the evening.

*October 30*—To Excelsior Springs. Prepare city hall for service.

*October 31*—Service and sermon at Excelsior Springs.

*November 2*—Officiated at a wedding in Sedalia.

*November 3*—Holy Communion and sermon in Sedalia.

*November 8*—Presided at a parish meeting in Independence.

*November*—At Excelsior Springs. Appoint Mrs. Bonnell President of the Guild.

*November 11*—At Clinton in attendance upon the Central Convocation. Dedicated the new organ, made an address and confirmed three.

*November 15*—At Aurora I made calls, finding one new family.

*November 16*—At St. John's, Springfield, I looked into the condition of the parish and met the Vestry.

*November 17*—Still in St. John's Parish, Springfield, preparing for a rector.

*November 21*—At Maryville officiated at the funeral of Rev. J. C. Hathaway.

*November 24*—At Holden arranging for re-opening the church.

*November 28*—Took part in the last service in the old St. George's Church, Kansas City, and made an address.

*December 5*—At Harrisonville; I made calls and preached in the evening.

*December 8*—I confirmed at my residence Mrs. Theodore Crawford, of West Plains.

*December 13*—At West Plains I preached, confirmed five and addressed them.

*December 16*—Conferred with members of the Roman Catholic Parish of St. John the Baptist, who desire to come under my jurisdiction.

*December 17*—With the Standing Committee as my council of advice, I met Rev. John Marchello and a number of the congregation of St. John the Baptist.

*December 19*—In Grace Church, Kansas City, I confirmed four deaf-mutes and addressed them through an interpreter.

*December 21*—Further conferences with priest and people of St. John the Baptist. Appoint the Reverend J. Stewart-Smith Associate Priest.

*December 22*—At my residence I confirmed one presented by Rev. E. S. Willett. At St. Augustine's, Kansas City, I preached, confirmed five and addressed them.

*December 26*—At Liberty I celebrated the Holy Communion and preached.

*December 28*—At St. Mary's, Kansas City, I confirmed one.

*December 30*—At my residence I confirmed two.

*January 2, 1910*—At St. John's, Kansas City, I preached, confirmed four and addressed them.

*January 13*—Meeting of directors of the Hospital and a meeting to prepare for Men's Missionary Movement Convention.

*January 16*—At Warrensburg I celebrated the Holy Communion and preached.

*January 20*—Receive notice of the deposition of Clarence Henry Branscombe, Priest, by the Bishop of Chicago.

*January 22*—At Lee's Summit I celebrated the Holy Communion and preached; also visited Pleasant Hill.

*January 28*—At St. Mary's, Kansas City, I confirmed one.

*January 30*—At Maryville I held service in the church morning and evening, and officiated at the funeral of Mr. Benjamin Prather.

*February 6*—At Pleasant Hill I celebrated the Holy Communion, preached and confirmed two.

*February 8*—Visited Rich Hill.

*February 9*—At Nevada I celebrated the Holy Communion and preached. Read service and preached in the evening. Presided at parish meeting.



*February 13*—At Brookfield I celebrated the Holy Communion and preached. Met with the Vestry.

*February 15*—Meeting of Board of Missions.

*February 16*—At Grace Church, Kansas City, I confirmed one.

*February 20*—At Carrollton I celebrated the Holy Communion, preached and confirmed one.

*February 21*—At Liberty I preached and confirmed one. Receive notice of the deposition of Israel Tremain Osborn, Priest, by the Bishop of Idaho.

*February 27*—At Trenton I preached, confirmed four and addressed them.

At Cameron I preached; confirmed two.

*March 3*—At Harrisonville I read service and preached. Made calls on the people and investigated certain conditions.

*March 4*—More calls at Harrisonville; preached at Butler in the evening. The Archdeacon read service.

*March 5*—Calls at Butler and plans for work.

*March 6*—At Sedalia I confirmed ten and addressed them. Preached morning and evening. The vestry and people report the quieting of old differences and good, healthy growth in all departments.

*March 7*—At Versailles I confirmed one, celebrated the Holy Communion and preached. An earnest desire for regular services was expressed, and the rector of Sedalia has promised to go.

*March 8*—Spent some time in Windsor looking for Church people, but the few who were there have moved away.

At Boonville, in the evening, I read service, preached, confirmed seven (two from Fayette) and addressed them. The conditions in the parish are excellent.

*March 10*—At Grace Church, Kansas City, I made an address at the noonday service.

*March 11*—I preached in Lamar.

*March 13*—At Christ Church, Springfield, I preached, confirmed ten and addressed them. The new rector is beloved by his people and the parish is prospering. At St. John's in the evening I preached. Conditions are improved here and the new rector is gaining the affections of his congregation. If he has the courage to work and wait, the parish will prosper under his able ministrations.

*March 14*—At Mountain Grove I read service, preached and confirmed two. About half of the congregation has moved away since my previous visitation, but the survivors stand by bravely, and the Lay Reader, Mr. Columbus Mitchell, has regular services.

*March 12*—I visited Greenfield and searched for Church people. I found that Mrs. Stires, a faithful communicant, had recently died, as had a male adherent of the Church, and only one communicant remains.

*March 16*—At Clinton I preached and met the Committee; inspected the Rectory lot. It is excellent and the people should at once begin a fund for the erection of a rectory.

*March 17*—At Nevada I read service, preached, confirmed a class of five prepared by the Archdeacon, and addressed them. I also met the

people and the Vestry. They want a Rector at once. With Butler the salary will be \$1,200.

*March 18*—I licensed John Boden and John F. Slichter, Lay Readers.

*March 20*—At St. Mark's, Kansas City, I preached, confirmed ten and addressed them. The Rector is growing constantly in the affections of his people and the parish is steadily developing.

In the evening I preached at St. George's, confirmed nineteen and addressed them. I am amazed whenever I visit this parish to note the remarkable development in everything—parish club, congregation and self-denying fervor. I shall refer to this more in detail in my address to the Council.

*March 23*—At Webb City I preached, confirmed nine and addressed them. The congregation was large and the work is prospering as it has not prospered at any time in the past. The Rev. Charles A. Weed is in charge, and has detailed his assistant, Mr. Ryan, to give most of his time to this interesting mission.

*March 24*—At Aurora I read service and preached. Our small congregation has been seriously depleted by removals, but there are a few faithful ones. There is the church, the lot and no debt. We are not discouraged, but plan a vigorous effort to build it up.

*March 25*—At Carthage I read service and preached.

*March 26*—At Carthage I read evening prayer and baptized four.

*March 27*—At Carthage I celebrated the Holy Communion at an early hour. At 10:30 I read morning prayer, confirmed seven (prepared by Dean Weed), preached and celebrated the Holy Communion. The congregations were very large and there is every indication that the field for the right man is most encouraging. I met the Vestry, and with commendable promptness they have taken up the canvass of the parish and the calling of a new Rector. The secular papers have given the impression that the retired Rector was compelled to resign because of his activity in the cause of temperance. I was confident that this was not true, but was much pleased to have my impressions fully confirmed by careful investigation.

In the evening I read service and preached at Monett. The faithful women are holding together and attending to the affairs of the mission with all zeal. But where are the men? One, whom I confirmed not long ago, died the death of a hero, bidding his fireman to "jump," but refusing to leave his engine when a collision was imminent. There is the competent chorister and there are some good church boys. For this we are thankful.

*March 28*—I preached in Neosho. Appointed as Committee of the Mission, Messrs. Eves, Rathell and Price.

*March 29*—Appoint as Committee of the Mission in Webb City, Messrs. Frank K. Wallower, Fred Kellogg, George Waring, Frank Follow, Paul Easby.

*March 30*—At St. Mark's, Kansas City, I baptized the son of the Rector.

*March 31*—At Chillicothe I confirmed one.

*April 1*—At Carrollton I read service and preached; baptized one, confirmed one.

*April 3*—At St. Joseph in Christ Church I addressed the Sunday School, preached, confirmed eleven and addressed them; confirmed one in private; preached in St. Matthias Mission Chapel; preached in St. Luke's in the evening, confirmed seven and addressed them.

*April 4*—Visited Amazonia. At Holy Trinity, St. Joseph, I preached, confirmed four and addressed them.

*April 10*—At Trinity, Kansas City, I preached, confirmed nine and addressed them.

At St. Mary's I confirmed five and addressed them.

*April 11*—Issue letters dimissory for Rev. Charles F. Carson to Oklahoma.

*April 12*—Issue Lay Reader's License to Mr. David E. Archer, of Trenton.

*April 17*—At Lebanon I celebrated the Holy Communion and preached. At St. Johns, Springfield, I preached, confirmed seventeen and addressed them.

*April 19*—At St. Paul's, Kansas City, I confirmed one. Issue Lay Reader's License to Mr. Ernest Dunnett Haas, of St. Paul's Parish, Kansas City.

*April 20*—Visited Savannah. Made calls and plans for the work.

*April 22*—At Marshall I preached, confirmed three and addressed them.

*April 23*—Visited Slater.

*April 24*—At Chillicothe I confirmed eight and addressed them.

*April 28*—Issue Lay Reader's License to Mr. W. A. Remfry, of St. George's Parish, Kansas City.

*May 1*—In Grace Church, Kansas City, I celebrated the Holy Communion, preached, confirmed twelve and addressed them. In St. John's, Kansas City, I preached and confirmed four.

#### SUMMARY.

Visitations. . . . .	87
Celebrations of the Holy Communion. . . . .	21
Sermons and Addresses. . . . .	97
Number confirmed. . . . .	246
Candidate for Holy Orders. . . . .	1
Postulants. . . . .	4
Lay Readers. . . . .	32

We are approaching the close of the second decade of our existence as a Diocese. Twenty years ago this spring plans were being made for the setting off of the new Diocese of West Missouri; on the third of the following June the Diocese was organized; on the fourth the first Bishop was elected.

There were 3,150 Communicants in a territory embracing 32,000 square miles. The Church property in possession of the young Diocese was valued at about \$455,000. On this there was a debt of about \$140,000. The Endowment Fund

amounted to only \$4,421.04. There were only a few self-supporting parishes. It was not much more than a Missionary District, but it had to assume its own diocesan expenses and undertake the payment of that debt. Although the burden was heavy, it was cheerfully borne, but the times were hard. In the business world, decline and gloom marked the years following 1900; incomes were reduced, much property was vacant, failures of prominent men and enterprises were frequent, discouragement prevailed; to raise money for the Church was difficult, progress was retarded. Recovery was slow.

Nevertheless, more than \$100,000 of that original debt has been discharged and prosperity prevails now in our places of business and on the farms. Our Church property, including St. Luke's Hospital, is worth about \$580,000. Our Communicants number over 5,000. We have nothing in our statistics to awaken much pride or enthusiasm, but only those who have been in the work during these years know the difficulties and hindrances that have beset us.

The people of this Mississippi Valley are restless. The congregations, in the smaller towns especially, lose all their increment and sometimes more by the migration of communicants. In Savannah I have confirmed forty-two, but the communicants have decreased from twenty-one to eleven. In St. John's, Springfield, I have confirmed three hundred and twenty-three, but two-thirds of them are gone; in Joplin I have confirmed one hundred and thirty-five, but there has been no corresponding increase in communicants. This is not the fault of the clergy. They are dealing with pilgrims who tarry but a year or two. We hope the pilgrims carry with them the doctrine and grace they have received here, but they do not stay to strengthen our Diocese, or to increase the ability of our congregations to contribute for the support of the work.

The clergy themselves are migratory. Not one of the clergy who greeted me when I came out is here now. One hundred and sixty-eight have been canonically resident, but one hundred and eighteen have taken Letters Dimissory, nine have died, three have been deposed.

The same conditions prevail in other Dioceses. I note that the Bishop of Tennessee says to his Convention: "The work suffers from the migratory habits of the Clergy. In some instances, where a clergyman has taken charge of two or three

adjacent missions and the people have been aroused to unusual efforts and sometimes to exceptional sacrifices by his appeals and then have been suddenly abandoned by their leader for another field of work, they have stood still for months as if stricken by paralysis. The work has died and has to be revived through long protracted effort." These words, true in Tennessee, are even more applicable here.

Nevertheless, the Diocese has grown some, and there is every reason to anticipate that the decade upon which we are about to enter will show remarkable increase.. The conditions become more favorable every year. Many of the people who leave our smaller towns are now attracted by the opportunities offered in our larger cities. The growth of Kansas City, St. Joseph, Springfield, Joplin and other places is unprecedented here, and a serious responsibility rests upon the Church in those places. As I have said before on other occasions, missions should be established so close together that not one soul may be overlooked, not one child deprived of the privileges of our Sunday School instruction.

Something is being done in this direction. About two years ago St. John's, Kansas City, opened a mission near Budd Park, which is in active operation; Grace has had a mission and institutional work for a long time. Some years ago a mission was opened at Twenty-sixth and Prospect and another in the North End of Kansas City. They failed for want of support by our people. On the 1st of May, this year, St. George's Parish became, although they have moved their has every appearance of permanence and success. It is but just to say that St. Paul's was ready to open a mission at nearly the same point, but it seemed rather to be the work of St. George's parish because, although they have moved their buildings to the northern limit of their former territory, that neighborhood has always been conceded to them, and because the rector had preempted the claim by promising to open a mission there when he first came into the Diocese. No doubt the zeal of the rector of St. Paul's and of his people will prompt them to occupy one of the many points where work is needed, and although the importance of church extension cannot be overestimated the growth of the Church in these larger cities has not kept pace with the growth of the population. Kansas City has now within its city limits 250,000 people, an increase

of 218,000 over the population in 1890. We have about 2,100 communicants, an increase of 472 over those reputed in 1890.

There are in Kansas City 30,000 children on the school roll. We have in our Sunday Schools about 1,000, an increase of 263.

The population of St. Joseph is about 100,000. There are 749 communicants, an increase of 112. There are 270 Sunday School scholars, a decrease of 174. We have not time to study the whole list of our important towns. We know that many difficulties confront the Clergy—the migrations to which I have referred, the strong denominational sentiment, tinged with prejudice against the Church; the weight of parochial burdens, and I fear I must include the indifference of our people—especially the men—to work not strictly parochial.

Sometimes, very rarely, thank God, we may hear a clergyman say: "I do not care for numbers. I prefer a small Sunday School and a few communicants thoroughly instructed in the doctrines I feel bound to teach." By all means, our people and children should be thoroughly instructed in the principles which the Church commissions the Clergy to teach, but God save us if we are so short sighted as to make no effort to gather the multitude and extend the knowledge which should cover the earth as the waters cover the sea.

The Church, sent forth to preach the Gospel to every creature, is very much concerned with the extension of the truth and the Sacraments to as many of the whole population as can be induced by sane methods used in building up any great enterprise to revive them.

The children of this world are in their generation wiser than the children of light; the children of light would do well to imitate the wisdom employed by men in building up temporal organizations in building up the Church of the Living God. While the Grace and the Power are from Him, He, in His wisdom, leaves much to human effort and sagacity. Of course, in giving the Church publicity and in going out for souls we must not forget the sacredness and the dignity of the divine organism wherein we are humble helpers and ministers.

"The Spiritual essence of religion," says a secular journal, "is always in danger of being obscured by two influences, one leading in the direction of a barren formalism, the other tending to quit being religious and to sit at the feet of business or

of reform movements for advice and instruction. The one tends to create churches without congregations, the other to make congregations without the church.

We must avoid that; but we can use the "press" to let the public know of our doings; we can canvass whole neighborhoods for souls who may be induced to go with us; we can be in touch with the life of the places where we dwell; we can present the great principles upon which the Church is founded in such a wise manner that the people of our time will listen and understand; we can avoid building up barriers not mentioned in our orders, that hide the beautiful simplicity of the truth and incline people outside to look upon the Church as medieval a fortress armed against them, rather than a divine hostelry with doors open to receive and comfort them.

The Church needs not only givers, but helpers, consecrated laymen and women who will help by active service. Giving is of course one way of helping, but it cannot take the place of personal interest or active participation in and work for the enterprises undertaken by the Church in the course of duty.

If our laymen are not helpers to missions, Sunday Schools and benevolent enterprises, under the direction of the Church, the course of the Clergy is clear. They should be instant in season and out of season, to instruct, reprove, exhort, **entreat**, until the true Christian Spirit develops, impelling men and women to be not only hearers, but doers also.

You will pardon the word of exhortation; I feel deeply upon this subject, and I believe that the indifference of many of our men and some of our women to anything beyond the bare support of their parishes and the payment of diocesan dues is the weak point in our diocesan life. There are notable and noble exceptions, but helpfulness should not be the exception; it should be the rule. When, in large numbers, our successful and active business men engage in enterprises for the strengthening and extending of the Church a new era will dawn.

The Men's Missionary Movement has shown that it is possible to engage the attention of men and to enlist not only their sympathy, but their service. The great convention was held in this city which stirred the enthusiasm of those who participated in it, not only for foreign missions, but for all



kinds of work in the Church. I regret that so few of our laymen improved the opportunity. It would have done them no harm, and would have done them much good.

I commend to all laymen, especially, the kind of organizations created by Church men in the East called the Seabury Society, of New York, and the Church Laymen's Union in Pittsburg, Buffalo and other cities. The object is to begin, not with dioceses or with parishes, but with the individual, to bring men already tingling with enthusiasm and awakened to a sense of responsibility in touch with other men that they may impart somewhat to them. Their motto is: "Not missions to men, but men to missions." I recommend the appointment of a committee to secure the literature of these organizations and to give information concerning them to any who may desire it.

In the diocese at large the work has gone on as well as possible with the force of Clergy far too small. Many clergymen have been invited to come over and help us, but, as mentioned above, only five have accepted. Others whom we have called are not willing to take groups of missions and to endure the hardness of spending several days each month away from home. However, it is probable that the principal points will be soon filled.

In the parish of Grace Church, Kansas City, provision has been made for the erection of a rectory.

In St. George's, Kansas City, there has been remarkable activity, and generous gifts have been made for the new buildings. These are a substantial Parish House with provision for every need—Guild work, auxiliary work, quarters for the organist and the curate, a club room and dining hall. The interior of the Parish House has been arranged for services until the new church is erected. The rectory, comfortable and well planned for the domestic life of the family and the studies of the rector, has also been completed. We congratulate both the rector and the people, wishing them God speed, and highly commending them because, notwithstanding the heavy financial burdens they carry, they have not neglected to make generous provision for Church extension in the dioceses and for general missions.

At Booneville the improvements in the rectory proposed last year have been completed, making a sufficiently large and



comfortable home. All was going well in the parish until the serious illness of the rector in March. Since then the services have been continued by competent lay readers.

At Carrollton the work is much more encouraging than for the few years past.

In Cameron and Trenton the missions have grown and activities have been increased under the competent management of the Rev. S. E. Prentiss.

Trinity Parish, Kansas City, shows marked improvement. The congregations have increased. The Sunday School has grown. Parish societies are more active and the financial conditions are more encouraging.

The congregation of St. Paul's, Clinton, has purchased a new organ and made other improvements costing about \$2,000. Best of all, they have incurred no debt.

Excellent reports come from Calvary, Sedalia, showing unusual harmony and activity.

The old parish at Lexington has begun a new and vigorous life.

The rector of St. Philip's, Joplin, has pressed on with the erection of his new church building, notwithstanding staggering discouragements, and it is very near completion. The local architect who designed it deserves praise for one of the finest church buildings. The congregation had done nobly and the self-sacrifice of the rector has set the pace.

In other places where there is nothing new to report, the work is going on well as in former years, and in most instances there is steady growth.

In December last, I received under my jurisdiction the Rev. John Marchello, a Roman Catholic priest, and his congregation. This congregation of St. John the Baptist was duly organized under the laws of the State of Missouri. Their charter enables them to hold title to real estate and to employ a priest. Many of them are Sicilians and they engaged the services of a priest whom they had known in their childhood.

They represented to me that they desired to be independent of the Bishop of Rome and gradually to conform to the customs of our branch of the Church. That they desired me to take them under my jurisdiction, to authorize the consecration of their Church, and to give Father Marchello the right to officiate.

As few of them speak English, and sudden radical changes in their services were likely to create some misunderstanding and confusion, the priest and committee asked permission to take time in bringing about the necessary changes. This permission I gave more readily because when I enumerated the things they must abandon they assented with enthusiasm. Rather more has been made of this incident than it deserves. They are not yet ready to come into full union with our branch of the Church. They have only been tentatively taken under my jurisdiction as Bishop, and I have appointed the Rev. J. Stewart-Smith to instruct Father Marchello and his people and to officiate at some of the services for which Father Marchello is not competent.

The Rev. Edward S. Willett, our missionary among the colored people of Kansas City, is developing the congregation which worships in St. Augustine's Chapel, and he has for some time been carrying on Institutional work in the north part of the city, where he reaches paroled and pardoned prisoners and other sadly in need of an uplift and of the ministrations of the Church. He needs the assistance of a deaconess or other trained woman who can teach and go among the people to give them better ideas of housekeeping or bringing up children and the care of their own persons. We ought to help. There is a worthy missionary work among the African people at our door. Our white people in Kansas City should assume some responsibility for it. The colored people will give as they can, but they cannot give enough.

Regular services for the deaf and dumb are held by the Rev. J. Mitchell Keohler in Grace Church, Kansas City, and occasional services at other points. He presented a class for confirmation this year and is doing much good among the silent people. I wish that we might contribute more to his salary, and make it possible for him to spend more time in this diocese. We need him.

Our missions in general need more support from the dioceses than they have had during the year that has closed. Sometimes we have not had money in the treasury to pay the stipends when due. The Board had to say to the Bishop: "We can only promise support for part of the work. The people are not giving us money enough for all."

I beg most earnestly that provision be made by this council for an aggressive campaign this year. In my opinion, we must decide how much we need and divide the amount as equitably as we can among the congregations. Pledges do not accomplish the result. Few are here to pledge; those who are here hesitate to bind their parishes or missions. We must tell them how much we hope they will give and encourage them to give it.

To speak of the work of the Woman's Auxiliary would be only to repeat encomiums pronounced in years past. Their help in the diocese has saved the day more than once. Their numbers, their gifts for general missions and their interest increase year by year.

And the juniors; how they grow. The babies of twenty years ago and children born since that time are "flinging out the banner" and are to have a convention all their own in another part of this building.

Our Sunday School Institute; why do some look askance at it? Why do some oppose it? Why do many hold aloof? The committee arranged a splendid and instructive series of lectures last winter. We have no reason to think that we are doing all we ought to do in Sunday School work. Our schools are too small and too few in number. Let us come together and talk it over; some one may have an idea that will improve conditions. We may, with advantage, study the methods of those who are more successful than we are. Nothing is too good for the diocese of Kansas City. Let us have the methods that have proved most successful in every department. Above all, let us not be content to suffer any part of our work to drift along from year to year in the old way when there 's a better one.

St. Luke's Hospital is growing year by year more worthy of your attention and your gifts. While not large enough to receive all the patients who make application for entrance or to support itself as it might with larger accommodations, it ranks among the best hospitals in the city, and its nurses, under the training of its remarkably efficient superintendent, are young women of whom we may be justly proud. The detailed report of what has been done during the year will be presented to you. I ask for large gifts for this, our only institution.

May the Holy Spirit direct and rule our hearts in all our deliberations. I have taken you into my confidence, telling you some of the discouragements we have to face, but notwithstanding them I feel strongly encouraged today, persuaded that we who are working with one heart and one mind for the glory of God and His Church will not labor in vain.

### Confirmations.

May 16, St. John's, Kansas City.....	6
May 30, St. Paul's, Kansas City.....	22
May 30, St. Mary's, Kansas City.....	8
June 13, Carrollton. . . . .	1
June 24, St. Paul's, Kansas City.....	2
June 27, Chillicothe. . . . .	4
July 8, 3554 Jefferson Avenue.....	2
October 1, St. Paul's, Kansas City.....	1
October 10, Carrollton. . . . .	1
November 11, Clinton. . . . .	3
December 8, for West Plains.....	1
December 13, at West Plains.....	5
December 19, Mission of Holy Spirit.....	4
December 22, for St. Augustine's.....	1
December 22, at St. Augustine's, Kansas City.....	5
December 28, St. Mary's, Kansas City.....	1
December 30, at my residence.....	2
January 2, 1910, St. John's, Kansas City.....	4
January 28, St. Mary's, Kansas City.....	1
February 6, Pleasant Hill.....	2
February 16, Grace Church, Kansas City.....	1
February 20, Carrollton. . . . .	1
February 27, Trenton. . . . .	4
February 27, Cameron. . . . .	2
March 6, Sedalia. . . . .	10
March 8, Boonville. . . . .	7
March 13, Christ Church, Springfield.....	10
March 14, Mountain Grove.....	2
March 17, Nevada. . . . .	5
March 20, St. Mark's, Kansas City.....	10
March 20, St. George's, Kansas City.....	19
March 23, Webb City.....	9
March 27, Carthage. . . . .	7
March 28, Neosho. . . . .	
March 31, Chillicothe. . . . .	1
April 1, Carrollton. . . . .	1
April 3, Christ Church, St. Joseph.....	11
April 3, St. Luke's, St. Joseph.....	7

April 4, Holy Trinity, St. Joseph.....	4
April 10, Trinity, Kansas City.....	9
April 9, St. Mary's, Kansas City.....	5
April 17, St. John's, Springfield.....	17
April 19, St. Paul's, Kansas City.....	1
April 22, Marshall. . . . .	3
April 24, Chillicothe. . . . .	8
May 1, Grace, Kansas City.....	12
May 1, St. John's, Kansas City.....	4

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### 1:30 P. M.

The Bishop took charge and called the Council to order.

Secretary Taylor called the roll of Clerical and Lay delegates and a quorum was declared present.

The Bishop appointed as a Committee on Credentials, Mr M. G. Harmon and Mr. J. E. Long.

• Mr. A. C. Stowell was appointed Treasurer, pro tem.

On motion the rules were suspended and the Chair instructed to cast a ballot for the Rev. Carl R. Taylor as Secretary.

The Secretary appointed Mr. W. F. Eves and the Rev. W. A. Pearman as assistants.

The Rev. Cyrus Townsend Brady, LL. D., and the Rev. R. N. Spencer were appointed a Committee on the entertainment of the delegates.

On motion of Mr. Jay M. Lee, it was RESOLVED, That the Chair appoint a Committee of three to consider that part of the Bishop's address that related to St. Luke's Hospital. The Chair appointed Mr. Jay M. Lee, Mr. A. C. Stowell and Mr. J. Q. Watkins.

The Rev. Cyrus Townsend Brady, LL. D., presented the following preamble and resolutions, and on motion, they were made a special order for 2 p. m. on Wednesday.

#### PREAMBLE AND RESOLUTIONS CONSTITUTING A SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON THE STATE OF THE CHURCH IN KANSAS CITY, OFFERED BY THE REV. CYRUS TOWNSEND BRADY, LL.D., RECTOR OF ST. GEORGE'S CHURCH, KANSAS CITY, MO.

*Whereas*, It is apparent that the Church in Kansas City has not kept pace with the development of the city, either in the number of new organ-

izations established or in the growth in membership of those already established; and

*Whereas*, Opportunities for planting the Church in localities thickly settled, on the one hand, and in places which undoubtedly in the near future will become centers of population on the other, are not at present being embraced from whatsoever causes may exist; and

*Whereas*, Since it is evident that a healthy church must not only grow with the population, but its rate of increase must surpass the growth of the population;

*Be It Hereby Resolved*, That a committee of five laymen shall be elected by this Council, membership on the committee not necessarily to be limited to membership in the Council, whose business it shall be to examine into existing conditions with reference to the growth of the Church in Kansas City; to ascertain, if possible, the reason for the facts alleged in the preamble to these resolutions, and in the Bishop's address, if they be facts; to devise remedies for these conditions, if they can be remedied; to embody the conclusions at which they may arrive in the form of a report, which shall be printed at the expense of the Diocese and mailed to each member of the Council not later than November 1, 1910; and if, in the judgment of the committee, a special council should be called to consider the report, that the committee is hereby authorized respectfully to request the Diocesan to appoint such a special council and issue such a call as soon as allowed by the Canons.

*Be It Further Resolved*, That this committee shall be empowered to consider and report upon the alleged prevailing policy of the Diocesan Board of Missions regarding the expenditure of missionary funds under its control, whether there shall be a continuance of the practice of devoting the major portion of it to work outside the See City, or whether a greater proportion of the funds might not be used to advantage in strengthening missionary work already inaugurated, or to be inaugurated, in the See City.

*Be It Further Resolved*, That this committee shall have power to summon before it for testimony as to existing conditions any member of the Church, and to seek information and suggestions from the same.

*Be It Further Resolved*, Should it be desired by the formal action of the clergy and laity of either of the suburban convocations that the committee shall look into local conditions in these convocations with view to a similar investigation, the committee shall have power to make such investigations if, in the judgment of the committee, such investigations seem wise.

*Be It Further Resolved*, That the Treasurer of the Diocese be, and hereby is, empowered to pay any expenses incurred by the committee so constituted, upon requisition by the committee, to the total amount of one hundred dollars, or any part thereof.

The Chair then announced the following:

## STANDING COMMITTEES.

### *On the Admission of New Parishes.*

Rev. R. N. Spencer                      Mr. J. V. B. Ellard

### *On Constitution and Canons.*

Rev. E. H. Eckel                      Mr. J. T. Harding  
 Rev. J. A. Schaad                      Mr. H. D. Ashley  
 Rev. C. A. Weed                      Mr. James Blain  
    Rev. Dr. C. T. Brady

### *On Unfinished Business.*

Mr. F. C. Florance                      Mr. Henry Kraft, Jr.  
    Mr. W. F. Eves

### *On Finance.*

Mr. A. C. Stowell                      Mr. B. B. Lee  
    Mr. W. A. Remfry.

### *On Assessments.*

Mr. W. C. Goffe                      Mr. H. L. Arnold  
 Mr. D. H. Smith                      Mr. C. H. Childs  
 Mr. A. C. Stowell                      Mr. Horace Stringfellow  
    Mr. E. C. Hamill

### *On Missions.*

Archdeacon Johnson                      Rev. A. W. Farnum  
    Dr. V. W. Gayle

### *On Christian Education.*

Rev. J. Stewart-Smith                      Rev. E. W. Flower  
    Rev. Chas. H. Bohn

### *On Sunday School Work.*

Rev. D. H. Atwill                      Rev. S. E. Prentiss

### *On Missionaries' Traveling Expenses.*

Mr. J. E. Long                      Mr. Jay M. Lee

### *On the State of the Church.*

Rev. J. D. Ritchey, D.D.                      Rev. J. Stewart-Smith  
 Rev. C. R. Taylor                      Mr. T. C. Bradley  
 Rev. A. W. Farnum                      Capt. F. C. Florance

The Rev. Cyrus Townsend Brady, L.L. D., introduced the following preamble and resolutions, which, on motion, were adopted and referred to the Standing Committee on St. Luke's Hospital:

PREAMBLE AND RESOLUTIONS REGARDING ST. LUKE'S HOSPITAL AND ITS FUTURE, OFFERED BY THE REV. CYRUS TOWNSEND BRADY, L.L.D., RECTOR OF ST. GEORGE'S CHURCH, KANSAS CITY, MO.

*Whereas*, The future of St. Luke's Hospital, our only Diocesan institution, gravely demands immediate consideration at the hands of the Diocese. So far as it goes, this institution is one of, if not the best, of the kind in the city. The proof of this fact is seen in the testimony of physicians, well informed visitors and patients. For lack of room the Hospital daily turns away from its doors patients who would fain enjoy and are usually willing to pay for its facilities; sometimes as many as thirty or forty a week. It does a large amount of charity work, and is practically self-supporting in spite of its limited capacity. As a training school for nurses it ranks with any institution in the country, the high quality of the applicants for places in the school being remarkable. This is largely due to the extraordinary aptitude and ability of the Superintendent. Not only is the Hospital hampered by lack of beds and other facilities, but it has none of the auxiliary arrangements which church hospitals ought to have; as, for instance, a chapel, quarters for a resident chaplain, who could do missionary work on the side, by the way, quarters for an interne or resident physician, proper quarters for the matron, working rooms, retiring rooms, for which there is often the most pressing need by friends and relatives of the patients, business offices, laundry, ambulances, etc. Other churches in the community are building, or are planning to build, great hospitals. The constant and irritating inability of St. Luke's Hospital to do the work for which it is established will by-and-by divert from it physicians and prospective patients, and the ability of the Superintendent will certainly cause her to be taken from us by institutions which offer larger fields for the exercise and development of her peculiar talents. This will result in a diminution of revenue, which again will further result in a diminution of ability to do that charity work for which the Church stands, through its hospitals.

*Therefore Be It Resolved*, That this Council places itself upon record as declaring that the work of enlarging St. Luke's Hospital should be undertaken at once by the erection of at least one unit of a comprehensive plan, to include many units, each one of which shall cost not less than \$75,000.

*Be It Further Resolved*, That this Council authorizes and instructs the Board of Managers of St. Luke's Hospital to solicit among charitably disposed Church or other people, in the Diocese or out of it, sums of money aggregating a minimum of \$75,000. Such sums to be gifts outright or, if that be not possible, to be loans without mortgage or other legal security, to be made on the faith of the Church and the honor of the Hospital, backed by the pledge of the Diocesan Council that it will solemnly accept the responsibility and take measures from time to time, as may be expedient, to discharge these obligations, so that the enlargement may begin immediately.

*Be It Further Resolved*, If the Board of Managers of the Hospital



feels unequal to this undertaking, it shall have power to add to its membership for this purpose such clergy and laymen of the Diocese as, in its judgment, would facilitate the work.

*Be It Further Resolved*, That nothing in the above resolutions shall limit the Board of Managers to the erection of one unit if it can compass two or a dozen.

Upon motion it was **RESOLVED**: That the Special Committee of the Assessment Plan report, and that it be made a special order of business on Wednesday at 11 a. m.

The Rev. J. D. Ritchey, D. D., introduced the following report for the Standing Committee:

#### **REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.**

The Standing Committee beg leave to make the following report:

Immediately after their election, they held a meeting and organized by the election of Rev. J. Stewart-Smith to the presidency of the committee and the Rev. J. D. Ritchey as secretary. Since that time the Committee has held four meetings. They have received the proper papers relating to Mr. Duncan Weeks and Mr. John Boden, candidates for Holy Orders, and in each case consent has been given. Consent has been given to the consecration of the Bishop-Coadjutor-elect of Maryland, of the Bishop-Coadjutor-elect of Virginia, and to the consecration of the Bishop of the Missionary District of Western Colorado. Consent was given to St. George's Church, this city, to sell real estate owned by said church on the northeast corner of Thirty-third Street and The Paseo, this city. The counsel and advice of the Committee was sought by the Bishop of the Diocese as to receiving an Italian Roman Catholic Priest and congregation of this city under the Episcopal care of the Bishop of this diocese. The Committee recommended that the petition of said priest and congregation be granted.

J. D. RITCHEY, Secretary.

On motion by the Rev. J. A. Schaad, it was **RESOLVED**: That the portion of the Bishop's address which refers to the formation of a Church Laymen's Union be referred to a Special Committee.

Mr. A. C. Stowell gave notice of intention to add Section 12 to Canon XII:

"It shall be the duty of the Treasurer to receive, disburse and account for all funds and moneys collected for any and all church purposes. Such Treasurer shall give bond in such amount and form, and with such sureties as shall be approved by the Wardens and Secretary of the Vestry. Corporations duly authorized and empowered by the laws of the State of Missouri to sign as sureties, or give bond for the faithful discharge of duty by public officers or others, and regularly engaged in such business, may be accepted as sureties upon the bonds required by this Canon. The cost of procuring bonds shall be paid by the Parishes."

Mr. A. C. Stowell gave notice of intention to amend Section 2, Canon IV, as follows:

"In Section 2 take the words 'who shall report on the same to that Council' and add the following: The Treasurer shall give bond in such form and with such sureties as shall be approved by the Standing Committee. Corporations duly authorized and empowered by the laws of the State of Missouri to sign as sureties, or give bond for the faithful discharge of duty by public officers and others, and regularly engaged in such business, may be accepted as sureties upon bonds required by this Canon. The cost of procuring bonds shall be paid by the Diocese."

These amendments were referred to the Committee on Constitutions and Canons.

The Rev. J. A. Schaad introduced the following amendment to Section 1, Canon X:

"No Parishes or Missions shall be organized within less than a mile from the nearest Parish or Mission Church without the consent of the Bishop and Standing Committee of the Diocese, provided that on the granting of such consent, the contiguous Parish within the above limit shall be given official notice and opportunity to enter protest."

This, on motion, was referred to the Committee on Constitution and Canons.

The Rev. J. A. Schaad introduced the following amendment to Section 1, Canon VIII:

"The Board of Missions shall consist of twelve members—six clergymen and six laymen, the same to be elected by ballot by the Council of the Diocese. The terms of office shall be determined as follows:

At the first meeting of the Board elected by the Council in which this Canon is adopted, the terms of office, both of the clergy and laymen respectively, shall be divided into one, two and three year periods and apportioned by lot. In the succeeding years, there being only four vacancies in the Board, the Council shall elect two clergymen and two laymen for periods of three years each. Said Board, together with the Bishop, shall have the management of missionary operations and the distribution of all funds raised for the support of missionaries in the Diocese."

This, on motion, was referred to the Committee on Constitution and Canons.

The Bishop appointed the following as a Committee on the organization of a Church Laymen's Union:

REV. J. A. SCHAAD

MR. H. D. ASHLEY

REV. E. C. JOHNSON

MR. ALBERT WHITE

MR. J. T. HARDING

The Council now proceeded to the election of the Standing Committee.

The following were placed in nomination:

REV. J. STEWART-SMITH

MR. A. C. STOWELL

REV. J. D. RITCHEY, D.D.

MR. J. T. HARDING

REV. E. H. ECKEL

MR. B. D. ROWE

REV. R. N. SPENCER

MR. HORACE STRINGFELLOW

REV. C. T. BRADY, L.L.D.

The Chair appointed as tellers for the Clerical votes:

REV. D. H. ATWILL

REV. A. W. FARNUM

The Chair appointed as tellers for the Lay votes:

MR. J. M. LEE

CAPT. F. C. FLORANCE

On motion of the Rev. Dr. Brady, it was resolved that the privilege of the floor be extended to the visiting Clergy. The Rev. Canon Talbot, Chaplain of Bethany College of Topeka, was called forward and introduced by the Bishop.

Mr. J. E. Long moved that a Committee of three be appointed to consider extending an invitation to the General Convention for 1913, and report tomorrow. Seconded.

Mr. H. D. Ashley moved to amend the motion, that three of the Committee be members of the Council, and that Mr. E. M. Clendening be added as a fourth. This suggestion was accepted by Mr. Long and the amended motion was carried. The Bishop appointed Mr. J. E. Long, Mr. J. T. Harding, the Rev. Dr. Brady and Mr. E. M. Clendening as such Committee.

On motion of the Rev. E. H. Eckel, it was RESOLVED: That the Roll Call for Clergy and Laity be given simultaneously hereafter in ballot.

The Rev. Canon Talbot addressed the Council in a few words.

The Tellers for the Clerical vote for Standing Committee and the Tellers for the Lay Vote for Standing Committee reported.

It being apparent that some misunderstanding had arisen with regard to voting, it was ruled by the Bishop that there be a new ballot.

The Rev. Dr. Brady and the Rev. R. N. Spencer withdrew their names.

On motion of the Rev. J. D. Ritchey, it was RESOLVED: That we take up No. 12 in the regular order of business.

On motion, it was RESOLVED: That the rules be suspended and the Secretary cast the ballot of the Council for Mr. Walton H. Holmes for Treasurer. The ballot having been

cast, Mr. Walton H. Holmes was declared elected as Treasurer.

The tellers for Lay votes for members of the Standing Committee reported as follows:

*Lay Vote.*

REV. J. STEWART-SMITH. ....28	A. C. STOWELL.....28
REV. E. H. ECKEL.....27	J. T. HARDING.....25
REV. DR. RITCHEY.....24	B. D. ROWE.....17
REV. J. A. SCHAAD.....20	L. T. GOLDING..... 1
HORACE STRINGFELLOW.....30	C. H. CHILDS..... 1

The tellers for Clerical votes for members of the Standing Committee reported as follows:

*Clerical Vote.*

REV. J. STEWART-SMITH. ....16	J. T. HARDING.....20
REV. J. A. SCHAAD.....16	HORACE STRINGFELLOW.....18
REV. DR. RITCHEY.....14	A. C. STOWELL.....17
REV. E. H. ECKEL.....13	B. D. ROWE..... 5
REV. DR. BRADY..... 1	

The following were declared elected:

REV. J. STEWART-SMITH	MR. J. T. HARDING
REV. J. D. RITCHEY, D.D.	MR. A. C. STOWELL
MR. HORACE STRINGFELLOW	

On motion by the Rev. E. H. Eckel it was RESOLVED: That it is the sense of this Council that the Standing Committees appointed at the beginning of each Council do continue in existence until the next Council, and report thereat.

The Tellers of the Clerical vote and the Tellers of the Lay vote for the remaining member of the Standing Committee reported that the Rev. E. H. Eckel was elected.

The following were named for delegates to the General Convention:

REV. J. A. SCHAAD	D. H. SMITH
REV. E. H. ECKEL	W. F. EVES
REV. DR. RITCHEY	ALBERT WHITE
REV. C. A. WEED	H. D. ASHLEY
REV. C. R. TAYLOR	J. E. LONG
REV. DR. BRADY	A. C. STOWELL
REV. J. STEWART-SMITH	J. Q. WATKINS
REV. R. N. SPENCER	F. A. H. GARLICH
REV. D. H. ATWILL	H. L. ARNOLD

The Chair appointed as Tellers for the Clerical vote the Rev. Oscar Homburger and the Rev. F. F. Beckerman, and as Tellers for the Lay vote Mr. Jay M. Lee and Mr. Horace

Stringfellow. Tellers for the Clerical vote reported the following ballot:

REV. C. A. WEED.....	17	H. D. ASHLEY.....	18
REV. E. H. ECKEL.....	16	A. C. STOWELL.....	17
REV. J. A. SCHAAD.....	14	J. Q. WATKINS.....	10
REV. J. STEWART-SMITH. ....	11	J. E. LONG.....	9
REV. DR. RITCHEY.....	10	D. H. SMITH.....	5
REV. R. N. SPENCER.....	4	F. A. H. GARLICHs.....	5
REV. DR. BRADY.....	4	W. F. EVES.....	4
REV. C. R. TAYLOR.....	3	ALBERT WHITE.....	4
REV. D. H. ATWILL.....	1	H. L. ARNOLD.....	2

Tellers for the Lay vote reported the following ballot:

REV. E. H. ECKEL.....	29	H. D. ASHLEY.....	31
REV. J. A. SCHAAD.....	25	A. C. STOWELL.....	30
REV. DR. RITCHEY.....	25	J. Q. WATKINS.....	19
REV. C. A. WEED.....	20	J. E. LONG.....	19
REV. DR. BRADY.....	17	F. A. H. GARLICHs.....	15
REV. J. STEWART-SMITH. ....	12	H. L. ARNOLD.....	15
REV. R. N. SPENCER.....	7	D. H. SMITH.....	7
REV. D. H. ATWILL.....	6	W. F. EVES.....	6
REV. C. R. TAYLOR.....	5	ALBERT WHITE.....	5

The following were declared elected on this ballot:

REV. E. H. ECKEL	A. C. STOWELL
REV. J. A. SCHAAD	H. D. ASHLEY
REV. C. A. WEED	

On motion of Mr. J. M. Lee, it was RESOLVED: That the following resolution be substituted for the resolution of the Special Committee on the Method of Assessment, and that it be referred to the Committee of the whole:

RESOLUTION.

*Resolved,* That beginning with the year 1911, the assessment of the Diocesan Fund shall be based upon the sums reported by the several parishes and missions under the items of parochial expense, as found in the parochial reports contained in the Diocesan Journal for the year next preceding, said items of parochial expense to include all parochial expenditures other than for charity, interest, permanent improvements, parochial or city missions, and Sunday Schools: and that the rate of assessment be fixed as follows, to-wit:

Each parish or mission shall be assessed three (3) per cent of its parochial expense as hereinbefore defined, up to the amount of one thousand dollars (\$1,000) of such parochial expense, and fifteen (15) per cent of such parochial expense in excess of one thousand dollars (\$1,000). The resulting total shall be the basis of assessment of all such parishes and missions; and may be increased or diminished in any year by such

percentage, uniformly applied, as will provide the aggregate sum needed for the next conciliar year, after allowance has been made for a ten (10) per cent discount for payment within thirty (30) days from the beginning of the several respective quarters of the year; which quarters for the purposes hereof are understood to begin on the first day of the months of May, August, November and February of each year.

*Resolved*, That it shall be the duty of the Assessment Committee to hear complaints from any parish or mission which believes the amount of its assessment thus fixed to be beyond its ability to pay; whereupon it shall be the duty of the Assessment Committee, if in its opinion such complaint is just, to make written report to the Council of the facts, with its recommendation for an allowance or discount to such parish or mission upon its assessment, with such further recommendations as to conditions for prompt payment or otherwise as shall seem proper.

*Resolved*, That if it shall appear to the Assessment Committee that the report of any parish or mission of its parochial expense for the preceding year does not fairly indicate the ability of such parish or mission to meet its proper assessment, it shall be within the power of the Assessment Committee to recommend to the Council an increase in such assessment; provided, however, that no parish or mission shall in any case, without its own consent, be assessed a greater amount than would be assessed on the foregoing plan, using as a basis the average annual parochial expenses (as hereinbefore defined) of such parish or mission for the five years last preceding such Council; and provided further, that the assessment of no parish or mission shall be increased or diminished from the amount called for under the foregoing plan, without a vote of the Council, following a written report from the Assessment Committee.

*Resolved, further*, That if any parish or mission shall fail to make a report of its parochial expenditures in any year, the Assessment Committee shall be and is hereby empowered to fix the assessment of such parish or mission for the ensuing year following such failure, upon such basis as shall seem to said committee to be just and proper.

J. M. LEE.

The following report was presented from the Treasurer of the General Clergy Relief Fund:

**CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVED FROM THE CHURCHES AND  
MISSIONS IN THE DIOCESE OF KANSAS CITY  
FROM MAY 11, 1909, TO MAY 11, 1910.**

All Saints', West Plains.....	\$ 2.25
Christ, Lexington.....	3.00
Trinity, Marshall.....	8.50
Trinity, Kansas City.....	20.36
Grace, Kansas City.....	34.00
All Saints', West Plains.....	3.10
St. Matthias', St. Joseph.....	1.55
St. Oswald, Atchison County.....	6.72
St. John's, Springfield.....	7.20

St. Mark's, Kansas City.....	28.15
Calvary, Sedalia.....	5.25
Christ, Springfield.....	7.40
St. John's, Cameron.....	4.29
St. Mary's, Kansas City.....	47.46
St. John's, Kansas City.....	5.70
Christ, St. Joseph.....	103.50
St. Luke's, St. Joseph.....	3.50
St. Paul's, Kansas City.....	54.36
Grace, Chillicothe.....	4.00
Trinity, Independence.....	2.25
St. George's, Kansas City.....	20.35
St. George's, Kansas City (Automatic Pensions at 64).....	21.25
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	\$394.14
Diocesan Funds—Interest on Smith Loan.....	51.00
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	\$445.14

Also interest on Invested Funds.

Total contributions from May 11, 1909, to May 11, 1910.....	\$445.14
Grants from the General Clergy Relief Fund for the same period..	598.50
Number of Beneficiaries.....	4

The following report was presented from the Trustees of the Parochial Trust Fund:

#### REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE PAROCHIAL TRUST FUND.

The Trustees of the Parochial Trust Fund have held four meetings during the year, at three of which the matter of giving permission to Christ Church, Springfield, Mo., to execute a loan for fifteen hundred dollars was considered and permission given. At another meeting permission was given to the Vestry of St. Philip's Church, Trenton, Mo., to execute a loan of three hundred dollars. The Secretary was ordered to write to the Recorder of Deeds of each county in which the Church holds property, asking for information concerning the titles of said property. The Secretary regrets to say that no information has yet been obtained.

J. D. RITCHEY, Secretary.

The following report was presented from the Committee on Constitution and Canons. The Resolutions contained therein were adopted by the Council.

#### REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONSTITUTION AND CANONS.

Your Committee on Constitution and Canons, to which by resolution of last year's Council was referred the revision of the Constitution and Canons, respectfully beg leave to report that in their judgment this work

may well be postponed until after the General Convention in order to give the committee the advantage of any new legislation of that body which may have a bearing on Diocesan legislation.

They therefore ask leave to defer the proposed revision until next year, and offer the following resolutions:

*Resolved*, That the Committee on Constitution and Canons have leave to postpone the revision of the Constitution and Canons until next year's Council.

*Resolved*, That the Secretary of the Council be directed to print as an appendix to this year's Journal such articles or parts of articles, and such canons or parts of canons, as in the judgment of the Bishop and Secretary are most needful for the information and guidance of the clergy and lay officers of the Diocese, parishes and missions in the administration of the same.

EDWARD HENRY ECKEL.

J. A. SCHAAD,

C. A. WEED,

HENRY D. ASHLEY,

JAMES BLAIN.

The Tellers reported on the Clerical vote on the second ballot for delegates to the General Convention, in which ballot the Rev. Dr. Ritchey received the majority of votes.

The Tellers of the Lay vote on the second ballot for the delegates to the General Convention reported, and they also declared that the Rev. Dr. Ritchey received the majority of the votes.

The Rev. Dr. Ritchey was declared the fourth Clerical delegate to the General Convention. There was no election of a Lay delegate.

The Committee on St. Luke's Hospital presented the following report. The resolution contained therein was unanimously adopted by a rising vote.

#### **REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ST. LUKE'S HOSPITAL.**

As last year, the report in its statistical portions covers the year ending November 30th of the year preceding the Council, that being the date on which reports are prepared for the Kansas City Hospital Day Association, of which this Hospital is one of the beneficiaries. In other respects the report is as of May 1, 1910.

The efficiency of the Hospital during the year has been in all respects maintained, and we believe it is steadily growing in favor. One evidence of this is the constant inability of the Hospital to accept the many patients who apply for admission, owing to physical limitations of the institution. A capacity of manifold that at present could be kept crowded.



The Superintendent reports as follows:

### SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

Total number of beds in Hospital wards.....	16
Total number of beds in private rooms.....	9
Number of nurses employed November 30, 1909.....	13
Total number of patients treated in the Hospital for the twelve months ending November 30, 1909.....	330
Total number of wholly or partially free patients treated in Hospital for same year.....	65
Total number of days of Hospital care of all patients for the same period. . . . .	6,362
Number of days of Hospital care for free patients during same period. . . . .	1,538

The financial report is as follows:

### BALANCE SHEET NOVEMBER 30, 1909.

#### ASSETS.

Real Estate and Buildings (see note below).....	\$38,581.41	
Furnishings and Equipment.....	3,631.92	
Investments: Sanford G. Sponable Estate.....	4,250.00	
Other resources, including amts. due from patients	733.15	
Cash in bank and on hand.....	1,289.36	
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		\$48,485.84

#### LIABILITIES.

Due to Church Charity Association.....	\$24,829.64	
Mortgage payable.....	18,750.00	
Current accounts payable.....	977.19	
Building Fund. . . . .	2,642.25	
Certificates for services to be rendered.....	25.00	
Surplus. . . . .	1,261.76	
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		\$48,485.84

NOTE—*Bed Endowment*: By bequest of Mr. Sanford G. Sponable, estate settled in May, 1906, \$5,000 was invested, with the approval of the Probate Court of Jackson County, in about five acres of land near the center of the City of Independence, Mo.

The above statement is correct and in accordance with the books of St. Luke's Hospital.

SMITH, BRODIE & CORNELL,  
Certified Public Accountants.

**STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENDITURE.**  
**DECEMBER 1, 1908, TO NOVEMBER 30, 1909.**

INCOME.

From Invested Funds.....	\$ 415.00	
Charged to Patients.....	13,703.57	
Received from Hospital Day Association.....	717.00	
Donations (see Schedule A).....	5,007.11	
Annual Dues and Life Memberships.....	1,270.00	
Interest and Discounts.....	108.39	
	<hr/>	\$21,221.07

EXPENDITURES.

Maintenance. . . . .	\$13,143.54	
Repairs and Renewals.....	517.36	
Administration, Salaries and Expenses of Officers..	1,561.14	
Expended on Appeals, Festivals, etc.....	1,038.03	
Balance, Net Income.....	4,961.00	
	<hr/>	\$21,221.07

The above statement is correct and in accordance with the books of St. Luke's Hospital.

SMITH, BRODIE & CORNELL,  
 Certified Public Accountants.

In June, 1909, a class of six nurses was graduated from the Training School, making a total of twelve nurses now in active practice who have gone out from the school. The annual commencement exercises, at which another class will be graduated, will be held about the middle of June next. The school now consists of twelve undergraduate nurses.

The Bishop Atwill Cot Fund had on December 1, 1909, increased to the sum of \$1,731.81. By a resolution of the Board all dues and Life Membership fees are appropriated to this fund. It is suggested that no more fitting gift can be made than to this fund, or to establish a similarly endowed cot.

Attention is called to the recently published "Seventh Annual Report" of the Hospital, in which the history, progress and aims of the Hospital are more fully set forth; and in which the noble work being constantly carried on by the St. Luke's Hospital Club and the St. Luke's Hospital Auxiliary is shown. The former, an organization of young women (with the "Busy Bees," a junior auxiliary of little children) have maintained two free beds in the Children's Ward, a ward which they had previously furnished in full, and which it is their aim during the coming year to maintain as wholly free.

The St. Luke's Hospital Auxiliary, consisting of representative Churchwomen from the various parishes in Kansas City and Independence, have contributed liberally of their time and means to the support of the Hospital, and in awakening interest in it. Their most recent undertaking is the furnishing complete of a chapel in the Hospital. For this most necessary and appropriate adjunct to a Church Hospital, a room has been

designated on the ground floor of the building, and immediate work upon its transformation is contemplated.

In October, 1909, the Board of Directors purchased the commodious residence occupying the 50-foot lot at the southwest corner of Eleventh Street and Garfield Avenue, adjoining the Hospital grounds, for use as a Home for the nurses, where they are now housed in quarters convenient to the Hospital, and in comfort and cheerfulness more in keeping with their deserts.

We have long talked of and hoped for a new building; large, modern fire-proof, worthy of the Church, and a credit to the Diocese. The time has now arrived for this talk and these hopes to take effect in action. Our present building has long passed its ability to fulfill the demands made upon it. Other organizations and other Christian bodies are preparing to fill the demand. We must either advance or go backward. Plans have been prepared by architects of standing for a four-story, modern, fire-proof building to occupy the present site. A cut of the proposed exterior may be seen in the annual report. The estimated cost of this building is about \$225,000 to \$250,000. The west wing, upon the ground now owned by the Hospital and standing vacant, can be erected for about \$75,000. This, with the present building, which can be retained until another section of the new building is erected, would provide a capacity of about 100 beds, besides the most up-to-date operating rooms, etc., and a chapel. Who will give the \$10,000, \$20,000 or \$50,000 asked for by our Bishop in his address for this purpose?

A schedule of endowments has been adopted by the Board of Directors, running from \$300 for the privilege of nominating a patient to one bed for one year to \$20,000 for the endowment of a free room in perpetuity, with the privilege of naming the room and nominating a patient for occupancy of same on the part of the endower and his successors.

We cannot close this report without an acknowledgment of our appreciation of the services of our efficient, self-denying and womanly superintendent, Miss L. Eleanor Keely, and of our corps of loyal and hard-working nurses; a body in whom the Diocese may well take pride. Nor can we omit to acknowledge our debt to the many churches, individuals and business firms who have contributed so liberally in money and supplies during the past year. A detailed list of these contributors may be seen in the annual report to which reference has been made.

The Committee having carefully considered the resolution of Rev. Cyrus Townsend Brady, D.D., referred to it, recommends that it be adopted by the Council.

Respectfully submitted,

JAY M. LEE,  
J. Q. WATKINS,  
A. C. STOWELL.

The Tellers on the third ballot for Lay delegates to the General Convention reported, and Mr. J. Q. Watkins was declared elected.

Fourth and fifth ballots were taken with no result. On

the sixth ballot Mr. F. A. H. Garlich was declared elected.

On motion by the Rev. Dr. Brady, it was RESOLVED: That the delegates to the General Convention be paid \$50.00 each, by the Treasurer of the Diocese, for expenses incurred.

On motion, it was resolved that \$100.00 be appropriated from the Diocesan funds for the Bishop's expenses to the General Convention.

Mr. B. J. Fradenburg introduced the following motion: "Be it RESOLVED: That a 10 per cent assessment (net) be made, based on the diocesan assessment of 1910, to pay for the necessary expenses of the Clergy and Laity to the General Convention, and to be paid by September 15th, 1910. Seconded and carried.

Council adjourned until 8 p. m.

8:00 P. M.

The meeting was called to order. On behalf of the Missionary Board, Rev. Dr. Ritchey introduced the following report:

#### REPORT OF THE MISSIONARY BOARD OF THE DIOCESE OF KANSAS CITY.

*To the Right Reverend Edward Robert Atwell, D.D., Bishop of the Diocese of Kansas City, Missouri, and the Twenty-first Annual Council:*

The Missionary Board of the Diocese of Kansas City, elected at the Twentieth Annual Council of the Diocese, beg leave to submit the following report:

I. As shown by the Journal of the Twentieth Annual Council there are twenty-seven parishes in the Diocese. Of these, fifteen are self-sustaining in so far as their sustentation depends upon this Board, and twelve are dependent in greater or less degree upon this Board. To these dependent parishes the Board appropriated last year the sum of \$800, distributed among them as indicated in Appendix "A" to this report.

II. As shown by the Journal of the Twentieth Annual Council there are thirty organized missions in the Diocese, all of which are dependent upon this Board except St. John's, Kansas City, and St. Luke's, St. Joseph. For work in these organized missions the Board appropriated last year the sum of \$2,750, which amount was distributed as indicated in Appendix "B" to this report. The following named organized missions, twelve in number, received no direct support in the way of an appropriation from the Board, to-wit: Amazonia, Butler, Excelsior Springs, Hamilton, Holden, Lebanon, Mountain Grove, Plattsburg, Rich Hill, Savannah, Stanberry and Sweet Springs.

III. As shown by the Journal of the Twentieth Annual Council there are ten unorganized missions in the Diocese, all of which are

dependent upon this Board, except Grace Mission, Kansas City. In addition to the above the Board appropriated last year \$200 towards the support of Holy Spirit Mission, Kansas City, which is devoted to work among the deaf mutes.

IV In addition still to the above the Board appropriated last year \$300 towards the salary of an Archdeacon.

V. The meetings of the Board have been changed from quarterly to monthly sessions and an effort has been made to pay all stipends monthly instead of quarterly as heretofore.

VI. The Board has taken steps toward what it deems a better organization, and has appointed a committee to present to the Council a plan to make the Missionary Board a continuous body, instead of one that has all its membership terminate at the same time each year.

VII. The Board has appointed one of its number Auditor of the Quarterly Reports of its missionaries in the Diocese.

VIII. From the foregoing it will be seen that the Board has by direct appropriation assisted the work in the Diocese to the extent of the following amounts, distributed as indicated:

12 Dependent Parishes.....	\$ 800.00
16 Organized Missions.....	2,750.00
1 Unorganized Mission.....	200.00
Salary of Archdeacon.....	300.00
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	\$4,050.00

IX. The receipts of the Board during the past year have been as follows:

Apportionment and Pledges.....	\$3,733.36
Advent Mite Boxes.....	150.34
Investment from Endowment.....	184.67
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	\$4,068.37

X. The Board recommends that the Diocese be divided into Missionary Districts or Circuits for the more efficient prosecution of the work. A suggestive grouping of the Diocese into such districts, together with other data relating to such plan, is appended to this report as Appendix "C."

XI. In order to raise the amounts necessary to carry on the work for the ensuing year as outlined above, the Board would recommend that the apportionment system be used, as well as the voluntary gifts of the people, together with the income derived from the trust funds held by the Board. The Board would therefore make the following suggestions as to the sources from which the money should be raised:

Interest and Investment.....	\$ 200.00
Apportionment. . . . .	3,800.00
Voluntary Pledges.....	1,000.00
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	\$5,000.00

The apportionment appended to this report marked Appendix "D," suggested by the Bishop, is recommended by the Board as the amount to be expected from that source.

XII. The Board would further recommend that both the apportionment of each parish and mission for Diocesan Missions and the amount promised from each for the support of its own services be paid to the Board and that the Board then pay in full the salaries of all missionaries of the Diocese.

C. R. TAYLOR,  
B. C. HOWARD,  
J. D. RITCHEY.

#### APPORTIONMENT FOR DIOCESAN MISSIONS.

Boonville. . . . .	\$ 65.00
Carrollton. . . . .	10.00
Carthage. . . . .	160.00
Chillicothe. . . . .	125.00
Fayette. . . . .	25.00
Joplin. . . . .	150.00
Kansas City—Grace. . . . .	500.00
St. George's. . . . .	300.00
St. Mark's. . . . .	50.00
St. Mary's. . . . .	75.00
St. Paul's. . . . .	650.00
Trinity. . . . .	200.00
Lexington. . . . .	30.00
Maryville. . . . .	25.00
Nevada. . . . .	20.00
Pleasant Hill. . . . .	20.00
St. Joseph—Christ Church. . . . .	500.00
Holy Trinity. . . . .	50.00
Sedalia. . . . .	60.00
Springfield—Christ Church. . . . .	100.00
St. John's. . . . .	75.00
Warrensburg. . . . .	40.00

#### MISSIONS.

Amazonia. . . . .	2.00
Aurora. . . . .	6.00
Butler. . . . .	15.00
Clinton. . . . .	30.00
Harrisonville. . . . .	25.00
Hamilton. . . . .	3.00
Lee's Summit. . . . .	20.00
Kansas City—St. Augustine's. . . . .	30.00
St. John's. . . . .	40.00
Holy Spirit. . . . .	5.00
Lamar. . . . .	15.00
Lebanon. . . . .	20.00
Liberty. . . . .	15.00
Marshall. . . . .	20.00
Monett. . . . .	15.00
Mountain Grove. . . . .	25.00

Neosho. . . . .	30.00
St. Oswald's.....	30.00
Plattsburg. . . . .	20.00
St. Joseph—St. Matthias'.....	10.00
St. Luke's.....	15.00
Savannah. . . . .	10.00
Stanberry. . . . .	5.00
Trenton. . . . .	15.00
Utica. . . . .	5.00
Webb City.....	25.00
West Plains.....	25.00
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	\$3,706.00

The Rev. Dr. Brady presented the Duplex Envelope System as a proper method by which to meet missionary obligations.

On motion of the Rev. Dr. Brady, it was RESOLVED: That the Council adopt the system and scheme recommended by the Board of Missions, and that the Duplex System of envelopes, or some other similar method, be used to collect the offerings for missions.

It was RESOLVED: That we adopt that portion of the report that calls for the missions to pay their pledges for the support of their own missionaries to the Board, and the Board pay the missionaries.

On motion of the Rev. A. W. Farnum, it was RESOLVED: That it is the sense of this house that the clergy co-operate with the Board of Missions in the collection of stipends from points served by Diocesan Missionaries.

Mr. B. R. Clarke presented his report to the Missionary Board for the year ending May 10th, 1910.

**REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF THE DIOCESAN MISSIONARY BOARD FOR THE YEAR ENDING MAY 10, 1909.**

**Summary.**

Balance on hand at Council June 1, 1909.....	\$ 430.16	
Receipts from Parishes and Missions.....	2,299.32	
Receipts from Other Offerings.....	1,121.73	
	<hr/>	\$3,851.21
Disbursements. . . . .	\$3,490.90	
Expenses. . . . .	130.45	
Cash on hand May 10, 1910.....	229.86	
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**REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF THE DIOCESIAN MIS-  
SIONARY BOARD FOR THE YEAR ENDING MAY 10, 1910.**

**RECEIPTS.**

Balance on hand at Council June 1, 1909.....		\$ 430.16
From:		
Boonville. . . . .	25.00	
Carthage. . . . .	50.00	
Chillicothe. . . . .	75.00	
Joplin—St. Philip's.....	40.00	
Kansas City—Grace.....	400.00	
St. George's. . . . .	100.00	
St. Mark's. . . . .	100.00	
St. Mary's. . . . .	100.00	
St. Paul's. . . . .	450.00	
Trinity. . . . .	125.00	
St. Joseph—Christ Church.....	400.00	
Holy Trinity.....	10.00	
Sedalia. . . . .	50.00	
Springfield—Christ Church.....	50.00	
Blackburn. . . . .	2.00	
Brunswick. . . . .	1.00	
Warrensburg. . . . .	35.00	
Nevada. . . . .	25.00	2,038.00

**MISSIONS.**

Clinton. . . . .	30.00	
Special. . . . .	10.00	
Fayette. . . . .	1.70	
Harrisonville. . . . .	20.00	
Kansas City—St. Augustine's.....	3.50	
St. John's.....	35.00	
Lamar. . . . .	15.00	
Lebanon. . . . .	20.00	
Marshall. . . . .	5.00	
Special. . . . .	10.00	
Neosho. . . . .	15.40	
St. Oswald. . . . .	10.00	
St. Joseph—St. Matthias'.....	5.00	
St. Luke's.....	15.00	
Savannah. . . . .	15.00	
Trenton. . . . .	5.00	
Webb City.....	10.72	
West Plains.....	25.00	
Cameron. . . . .	10.00	261.32



## OTHER OFFERINGS.

J. D. Ritchey.....	\$ 10.00
Mrs. C. H. Childs.....	10.00
Mrs. H. J. S. Seeley.....	5.00
Mrs. Robert Carey. . . . .	10.00
Memorial, Mrs. J. E. Cobb, Webb City.....	15.00
Dr. W. M. Harrison.....	5.00
St. Paul's Sunday School, Kansas City.....	50.00
Douglass D. Harding.....	10.00
John T. Harding.....	15.00
James Blain. . . . .	10.00
W. G. Goffe.....	25.00
Rev. C. T. Brady.....	25.00
T. J. Brodnax.....	10.00
B. J. Fradenburg.....	5.00
Mrs. B. J. Fradenburg.....	5.00
Jay M. Lee.....	10.00
Mr. Nearing. . . . .	25.00
J. F. Langton.....	25.00
Rev. D. H. Atwill.....	5.00
Rev. J. A. Schaad.....	25.00
Albert White. . . . .	10.00
J. Q. Watkins.....	25.00
Mrs. Hebel. . . . .	10.00
Mr. C. H. Childs.....	10.00
H. Stringfellow. . . . .	25.00
E. W. Flower.....	5.00
Mr. Hamil. . . . .	10.00
Mr. Cutler. . . . .	10.00
Mrs. R. H. Weller, Special.....	10.00
Mr. Schroeder. . . . .	10.00
John Gosling. . . . .	10.00
St. John's Sunday School, Kansas City.....	5.00
St. Mary's Sunday School, Kansas City.....	25.00
St. Paul's Primary Department.....	10.00
Trinity Juniors, Kansas City.....	5.00
St. Elizabeth's Guild, Grace Church, Kansas City.....	5.00
Rev. A. W. Farnum.....	5.00
Sedalia Sunday School.....	5.00
D. H. Smith.....	10.00
Rev. J. Stewart-Smith.....	10.00
Christ Church Sunday School, St. Joseph.....	60.00
St. Paul's Primary Dept., Kansas City (for last year)..	10.00
James Symanon. . . . .	2.00
St. Mary's, Savannah.....	2.00
Carrollton. . . . .	10.00
Richmond, Easter offering.....	7.67
To Collection taken up at Council, 1909.....	12.72
Interest July 1st on two Kansas City Ry. Bonds.....	40.00

Interest January 1st on two Kansas City Ry. Bonds..	40.00	
Interest on Funds in Bank.....	5.04	
Two coupons South Highlands Land & Improvement Company Bonds.....	60.00	
Interest on balance in Bank.....	3.29	
Interest on South Highlands Land & Improvement Company Bonds and one month's advance interest at cancellation.....	44.67	
Trinity Church, Kansas City, 1908-1909.....	125.00	
Received from Cameron for Rector for 1909 at Cam- eron. . . . .	25.00	
Received from Cameron.....	.50	
J. C. Hathaway, account of pledge (out of stipend)....	5.00	
Amazonia (voluntary).....	1.00	\$ 968.89
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B. C. Howard, Advent Mite Boxes.....	\$ 150.34	
B. C. Howard, Advent Mite Boxes, to offset.....	2.50	152.84
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		\$3,851.21

All items marked "Special" are to be devoted to an Archdeacon.

#### DISBURSEMENTS.

Stipend paid Rev. C. R. Taylor.....	\$ 137.50	
Stipend paid Rev. E. S. Willett.....	150.00	
Stipend paid Rev. C. A. Weed.....	216.70	
Stipend paid Rev. F. C. O'Meara.....	50.00	
Stipend paid Rev. E. C. Johnson.....	200.05	
Stipend paid Rev. H. E. Batcheller.....	75.00	
Stipend paid Rev. J. M. Koehler.....	200.00	
Stipend paid Rev. W. A. Pearman.....	400.00	
Stipend paid Rev. J. C. Hathaway.....	233.33	
Stipend paid Rev. E. W. Flower.....	100.00	
Stipend paid Rev. R. J. Belt.....	200.00	
Stipend paid Rev. C. H. Bohn.....	400.00	
Stipend paid Rev. James Senior. . . . .	150.00	
Stipend paid Rev. A. M. Griffin.....	75.00	
Stipend paid Rev. S. C. Walton.....	200.00	
Stipend paid Rev. Oscar Homburger. . . . .	263.32	
Stipend paid Rev. Stephen A. Prentiss.....	250.00	
Stipend paid Rev. R. O. Mackintosh.....	25.00	
Rev. E. S. Willett, North End Work.....	165.00	\$3,490.90

#### EXPENSES.

Space in Diocese of Kansas City one year.....	50.00
Leo Wetherill, Stenographer.....	1.00
E. H. Eckel, traveling expenses.....	48.92
Printing. . . . .	7.00
J. A. Schaad, traveling expenses.....	7.00

H. D. Ashley, traveling expenses.....	7.00	
Secretary's Postage. . . . .	7.03	
Sunday School Mite Boxes, to offset.....	2.50	
Cash on hand May 10, 1910.....	229.86	360.31
		<u>\$3,851.21</u>

I hold the following investments for the Board:

Two 4 per cent \$1,000 gold bonds of the Kansas City Elevated Railway Company.

\$2,000 in cash for re-investment. This money was received from the two 6 per cent \$1,000 bonds of the South Highlands Land & Improvement Company, which were redeemed February 14, 1910.

B. R. CLARKE, Treasurer.

The Rev. E. S. Willett made a short report on his work in the North End. Considerable interest was manifested in the work, and pledges were received from St. George's, Grace, St. Paul's and Trinity to contribute \$30.00 each to this work.

The Rev. E. C. Johnson, Archdeacon of the Diocese, made a statement and an appeal for work.

The Committee on St. Luke's Hospital had elevation and ground plans for the proposed new building and presented them to the Council for their consideration.

Adjournment was taken.

### Second Day.

Wednesday, May 11th, 1910. 9:30 a. m.

The Council met pursuant to adjournment.

On motion of the Rev. A. W. Farnum, the Council dispensed with the reading of the minutes of the previous day.

On motion of the Rev. J. A. Schaad, the roll was called and a quorum declared present.

The Bishop then called for nominations for alternate delegates to the General Convention, and appointed the Rev. G. H. Sharpley and the Rev. S. E. Prentiss Tellers for the Clergy, and Mr. Jay M. Lee and Mr. B. J. Fradenburg Tellers for the Laity.

On motion, the Council listened to the report of the Treasurer.

REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF THE DIOCESE OF  
KANSAS CITY FROM JUNE 1, 1909, TO MAY 11, 1910.

General Fund.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand at Council June, 1909..... \$1,305.85

From—	TO DUES FROM PARISHES.	
Lackburn, Mediator. . . . .	\$	8.00
Donoville, Christ. . . . .		81.40
Brookfield, Grace. . . . .		10.25
Runswick, St. Paul's.....		10.00
Marthage, Grace. . . . .		100.00
Hillicoth, Grace. . . . .		160.00
Layette, St. Mary's.....		5.70
Independence, Trinity. . . . .		37.00
Doplin, St. Philip's.....		90.00
Kansas City—		
Grace. . . . .		630.00
St. George's. . . . .		360.00
St. Mark's. . . . .		146.30
St. Mary's. . . . .		270.00
St. Paul's. . . . .		742.56
Trinity. . . . .		375.00
Nevada, All Saints'.....		48.75
Pleasant Hill, Calvary.....		10.00
Medalia, Calvary. . . . .		160.90
Springfield—		
Christ. . . . .		163.35
St. John's. . . . .		34.80
St. Joseph—		
Christ. . . . .		1,035.00
Holy Trinity. . . . .		30.38
Varrensburg, Christ. . . . .		54.47
		4,563.86
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		\$5,869.71

From—	TO DUES FROM MISSIONS.	
Amazonia, St. Matthew's.....	\$	1.00
Butler, St. Mark's.....		4.50
Cameron, St. John's.....		19.00
Clinton, St. Paul's.....		27.00
Harrisonville, St. Peter's.....		20.00
Holden, Mt. Calvary.....		6.83
Kansas City—		
St. John's. . . . .		72.00
St. Augustine's. . . . .		50.00
Lamar, Trinity. . . . .		9.00
Lee's Summit, St. Paul.....		10.00

Lebanon, Trinity. . . . .	30.00	
Liberty, Grace. . . . .	5.00	
Monett, St. Stephens. . . . .	10.00	
Mountain Grove, St. Mark's. . . . .	12.00	
Neosho, St. John's. . . . .	14.63	
Oswald, St. Oswald. . . . .	18.50	
Savannah, St. Mary's. . . . .	9.00	
St. Joseph, St. Matthias. . . . .	5.70	
Trenton, St. Philip's. . . . .	15.00	
Webb City, St. Paul's. . . . .	18.00	
West Plains, All Saints. . . . .	37.00	\$ 394.16
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		\$6,263.87
Interest received from Helen Maitland Smith Fund, to January 21, 1910. . . . .		60.00
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		\$6,323.87

DISBURSEMENTS.

By—	
Bishop's Salary. . . . .	\$4,600.00
Secretary's Salary. . . . .	150.00
L. M. Lykins, salary (Treasurer's work) . . . . .	55.00
Printing Journal (1909) . . . . .	237.95
1 book Diocesan Receipts for Treasurer. . . . .	3.20
Postage stamps for Treasurer for mailing notices and receipts. . . . .	8.00
Armorial painting of arms and design of Diocesan Seal	45.00
3 zincs of Seal at \$1.50 each. . . . .	4.50
Engraved seal (for Bishop Atwill) . . . . .	15.00
Printing and furnishing 60 double postal cards, mailed by Rev. E. B. Woodruff, for Council 1909. . . . .	3.20
Yale lock cash box for Rev. J. D. Ritchey, by order of Standing Committee. . . . .	3.75
Postage stamps for mailing 1909 Journal, label names from Parish Publishers, rubber bands, and letter file, for Secretary. . . . .	18.90
500 catalogue envelopes for Secretary. . . . .	2.40
Seal for use of the Trustees of the Parochial Trust Fund. . . . .	2.50
One page space in the "Diocese of Kansas City" for year ending April, 1910. . . . .	50.00
Assessment of the Diocese of Kansas City for the ex- penses of the Department of the Southwest. . . . .	15.00
2-page letter (with paper) and blank form Parochial Reports for 1910 Council. . . . .	7.75
Envelopes for mailing Parochial Reports, and return envelopes for reports. . . . .	2.25
Postage, mailing Council notices for 1910. . . . .	2.88
Diocesan check book for Treasurer. . . . .	2.00

Drayage for removing papers, books, etc., from Grace Church to Trinity Church files.....	.50	\$5,229.78
Balance on hand.....		\$1,094.09

Theological Education Fund.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand at Council, June, 1909.....		\$ 30.17
Contributions—		
St. Mark's, Kansas City, Mo.....	\$ 4.00	
St. John's, Kansas City, Mo.....	2.25	
Interest on Thos. Maloney loan.....	72.00	\$ 78.25
		\$ 108.42

DISBURSEMENTS.

Appropriation for Henry Irving Batcheller, candidate for Holy Orders in our Diocese.....	\$ 70.00
Balance on hand.....	\$ 38.42

Episcopal Residence Fund.

Balance on hand at Council, June, 1909.....	\$1,009.83
Balance on hand.....	\$1,009.83
(Certificate of Deposit \$1,009.83, bearing 3 per cent interest, issued by the Pioneer Trust Co.)	

Summary.

Credit balance of General Fund.....	\$1,094.09
Credit balance of Theological Education Fund.....	38.42
Credit balance Episcopal Residence Fund.....	1,009.83
	\$2,142.34

Investment

THEOLOGICAL EDUCATION FUND.

Thomas T. Maloney, 6 per cent real estate loan.....	\$1,200.00
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Respectfully submitted,  
WALTON H. HOLMES, *Treasurer.*

On motion of the Rev. Oscar Homburger, nominations for alternate delegates to the General Convention were closed.

On motion of the Rev. C. R. Taylor, an invitation was extended to Miss Sleppy, of St. Paul, to address the Council on her method of instilling the missionary spirit in a Parish, especially among the children.

On motion of the Rev. E. H. Eckel, it was **RESOLVED**: That the offering of the first day of the session be devoted to Diocesan Missions.

The Rev. E. H. Eckel, for the Committee on Constitution and Canons, presented their Report No. 2, as follows:

I. The amendment of Canon XII by the addition of a new section, to be known as Section 12, in which slight verbal changes were made by the Committee, was recommended for adoption, so that Canon XII, Section 12, as amended, would read:

"Section 12. It shall be the duty of the Treasurer of every Parish and Mission to receive, disburse and account for all funds and moneys collected for any and all church purposes. Such Treasurers shall give bond in such amount and for, with such sureties, as shall be approved by the Wardens and Secretary of the Vestry. Corporations duly authorized and empowered by the laws of the State of Missouri to sign as sureties, or give bonds for the faithful discharge of duty by public officers and others, and regularly engaged in such business, may be accepted as sureties upon the bonds required by this Canon. The cost of procuring bonds shall be paid by the Parish or Mission."

On motion, the amendment as reported was adopted.

II. The amendment of Canon IV, Section 2, with the insertion of a necessary clause in the first part of the Section, was recommended for adoption, so that Canon IV, Section 2, as amended, would read:

"Section 2. It shall be the duty of the Treasurer to collect from any predecessor in office, or from his estate, or from the sureties on his bond, any balance due from such predecessor. He shall be subject to the direction of the Standing Committee in relation to the mode and place of depositing the funds received by him, and the manner of paying them out; and his accounts and books shall at all times be subject to the inspection of the Standing Committee, or any two members thereof. His accounts shall be rendered annually to the Council, and shall be examined by a committee appointed for that purpose, who shall report on the same to that Council.

"The Treasurer shall give bond in such amount and form, with such sureties as shall be approved by the Standing Committee. Corporations duly authorized and empowered by the laws of the State of Missouri to sign as sureties, or give bonds for the faithful discharge of duty by public officers and others, and regularly engaged in such business, may be accepted as sureties upon bonds required by this Canon. The cost of procuring bonds shall be paid by this Diocese."

On motion, the amendment as reported was adopted.

III. The Committee offered a substitute amendment of Canon X, Section 1, in lieu of the form referred to them, so that the last sentence of the Section as amended, would read:

"If in any city where there are one or more Parishes or organized Missions, no Parish or Mission shall be organized within less than one mile from the nearest Parish or Mission Church without the consent of the Bishop and Standing Committee of the Diocese, in case of a Parish, or the consent of the Bishop and the Board of Missions of the Diocese, in case of a Mission; provided, that before granting such consent, the contiguous Parishes or organized Missions within the above limit shall be given official notice and opportunity to enter protest. Beyond the said limit new Churches and Missions may be located with the consent of the Bishop and Standing Committee."

On motion, the amendment as reported was adopted.

IV. The Committee presented a new proposition as a substitute for the amendment of Canon VIII, Section 1, referred to them, and recommended its adoption, so that Canon VIII, Section 1, as amended would read:

"Section 1. The Board of Missions of the Diocese shall be composed of the Bishop and the Archdeacon of the Diocese, the Deans of the Convocation *ex officio*, and one lay member elected by each Convocation, together with such other clergymen and laymen as may be elected by the above members, not to exceed three clergymen and five laymen."

On a division the amendment was rejected by a vote of 17 yeas and 18 nays.

On motion the original amendment proposed by the Rev. J. A. Schaad (Page 45) was recommitted to the Committee.

The Tellers for the Lay vote for alternates reported, and the Tellers for the Clerical vote reported.

The following were declared elected:

REV. R. N. SPENCER

MR. H. L. ARNOLD

REV. J. S. SMITH

MR. W. F. EVES

REV. C. R. TAYLOR

MR. E. M. CLENNENING

On motion, the Committee on Constitution and Canons was instructed to so amend the Canons as to have the Treasurer of the Board of Missions bonded the same as other treasurers.

The Order of the Day being called for, the Rev. E. H. Eckel presented the report of the Committee on the Plan of Assessment.

On motion, it was decided that the Council go into a Committee of the whole, to discuss the Assessment Plan.

When the Council resumed, the Tellers of the Lay vote and the Tellers of the Clerical vote reported.

The following were elected:

Rev. A. W. Farnum,

Mr. B. J. Fradenburg.

Recess was then taken.



**2 P. M.**

Council called to order.

The Bishop presented the Rev. H. P. Silver.

The Rev. E. H. Eckel presented the report of the Rev. J. M. Koehler.

To the Bishop and Council of the Diocese of Kansas City.

Reverend Father and Brethren: I respectfully submit herewith my report as your Missionary to Deaf Mutes for the year ending May 1.

Services have been held as follows: Kansas City, 29; St. Joseph, 14; Carthage, 9; Webb City, 6; Joplin, 1. Total, 59. Eight visits have been made at Independence, and four at Joplin, where there was no opportunity of holding services. The people at Independence are accustomed to attending services at Kansas City, while those at Joplin have attended services at Carthage and Webb City.

Holy Communion has been celebrated at Kansas City six times. There has been no opportunity for celebrations at other points.

One adult was baptized at Kansas City, and three children at Carthage. Four were confirmed at Kansas City. Another class is forming. I officiated at one wedding in Kansas City.

In addition to three services, five secular lectures have been delivered at Kansas City, two at St. Joseph, two at Webb City and one at Carthage. I have attended eight social gatherings of the deaf in Kansas City, two at Independence, one at St. Joseph and one at Webb City.

Last August the meeting of the State Association of the Deaf was held in the Parish Hall of Grace Church. Some one hundred and fifty deaf people were present, about one-fourth of whom were Church members. I acted as Chaplain of this meeting and was chosen as one of the trustees of the society.

The principal object of the Association is the securing of a state home for aged and infirm deaf mutes; and the funds now in hand approximate \$1,500. I was recently named as one of the board of managers of this fund. The society is incorporated under the laws of the State, and has for its general object the promotion of the moral and temporal welfare of the deaf.

In February I attended a similar meeting of the Northwestern Association at St. Joseph, acting as Chaplain and serving as a member of various committees. Through my efforts this Association, which had heretofore acted independently of the State Association, decided to "bury the hatchet" and become a branch of the State Society. I have in other ways worked to promote harmony and good will among these people; and I refer to these matters simply to show the influence of the Mission in the various affairs of the people whom it is desired to bring into Church relations.

I append herewith my statement of receipts and expenditures for the year:

## RECEIPTS.

Offerings at services for the deaf—	
Kansas City.....	\$ 47.38
St. Joseph.....	15.15
Carthage. . . . .	13.71
Webb City.....	2.85
Joplin. . . . .	1.10
	———— \$ 80.19
Special Offerings—	
Grace Church, Kansas City.....	\$ 33.85
St. George's Church, Kansas City.....	4.20
St. Mark's, Kansas City.....	2.70
Deaf Mutes, Kansas City.....	8.50
Woman's Auxiliary, Kansas City.....	5.00
Christ Church, St. Joseph.....	11.00
Rev. Mr. O'Meara, Carthage.....	2.00
	———— \$ 67.25
Total receipts.....	\$147.44
Expenses of travel, postage, etc.....	145.09
	————
Balance. . . . .	\$ 2.35

Besides the work done in this Diocese, I have served as Missionary in the Dioceses of Kansas, Oklahoma, Nebraska, Colorado, Iowa and South Dakota. I have travelled approximately 60,000 miles during the year, holding nearly three hundred services and visiting some thirty-five different points, most of them monthly. Twenty-seven have been baptized, a similar number confirmed, while classes aggregating about forty candidates are under instruction. My total receipts outside of stipend have been \$635.45 from the whole field, and the expenses of travel, postage, printing, etc., have been \$538.18. Transportation to the amount of approximately \$1,000 has been furnished by friends who do not wish to be named, and it is to their generosity alone that I have been able to cover my large field and accomplish what has been done.

My stipend for the year has been as follows: Kansas City, \$200; Kansas, \$150; Oklahoma, \$80; Nebraska, \$60;. Total, \$490.00. I have reason to believe that Colorado may make some provision for stipend at the coming convention. South Dakota has made a proposition to pay me at least \$10.00 for every service held, provided I can make monthly visits to Sioux Falls, and I am not without hope that Iowa may also make some arrangement of the kind. At the Oklahoma Missionary Council, in January, steps were taken by certain laymen to augment my stipend by at least \$250—possibly \$500 per year, but at this time I have not been advised of the result of the plan. Application was made last fall by the Bishop of Kansas and others for an appropriation of \$400 by the General Board of Missions, but the Board felt unable to grant it.

I make these statements with no desire to call attention to the meagreness of my support, but because I consider it due you to present a definite

statement of my position with regard to income. I am encouraged to hope and believe that as the need and importance of this work is realized larger support will be forthcoming.

The past year has been one of observation and enquiry, with the view of becoming acquainted with the field and its needs and to enable me to decide where and how the work may be carried on most advantageously. With 6,000 or more deaf mutes scattered over this large field, it has been no easy matter to determine fixed routes and permanent stations. A start has been made, however, and encouraging results attained.

I wish to express here my appreciation of the kindness shown me on every hand, and the many encouragements offered by both clergy and people. In a word, I have been made to feel perfectly at home!

I desire also to acknowledge my indebtedness to the Rector and Vestry of Grace Church for the free use of the Church and Parish House, without which it would not have been possible for me to do so much here in Kansas City. The Mission has been domiciled at Grace Church for many years, but I think the Rector will bear me out in saying that never before has the Mission made so many requests for the use of the buildings. It has not been possible to grant all requests. The limitations of parochial activities are many. And this leads me to express the need of a building of their own, adapted to the peculiar circumstances of the deaf people of Kansas City, of whom there are some 300 or more. A Guild has recently been formed by the deaf to promote a building fund, and \$1.85 is on hand. To be sure this does not seem much, but it is something to have made a beginning! One other feature in the development of the work in Kansas City occurred recently and has been a source of gratification to me. For some years there has been a voluntary "Ladies' Aid Society," composed of some twenty-five deaf women of the city, who have devoted themselves to the care of the sick and destitute. They have done much good and are a force in the affairs of the community. Only a few of the members are Church women. Recently, however, a proposition was made to me to have this society become actively identified with the Mission, even to a change of name, if necessary, and the matter is now being considered. The society has some \$200 in bank, and with such a force of workers, the material prospects of the work would be largely increased; and with a building of our own, no matter how modest or unpretentious, these prospects would be doubled. God grant that we may have it! And may He, too, continue to guide and bless this work in the future as in the past.

Respectfully submitted,

J. M. KOEHLER, *Missionary.*

Miss Sleppy, of St. Paul, made a short address on Missionary work as conducted in the Junior Auxiliary.

The Rev. Dr. Brady called for the Order of the Day, and presented his resolutions with reference to a Special Committee to investigate the State of the Church.

After general discussion, on motion of the Rev. R. J. Belt,

it was resolved that the preamble and resolutions be referred to the Committee on the State of the Church, and that they be empowered to add two laymen to their number. Carried.

The Rev. E. H. Eckel presented Report No. 3 on Constitution and Canons.

The Rev. E. H. Eckel, for the Committee on Constitution and Canons, recommended the adoption of the proposed amendment of Canon VIII, Section 1, so that the section, as amended, would read:

"Section 1. The Board of Missions shall consist of twelve members—six clergymen and six laymen, the same to be elected by ballot of the Council of the Diocese. The terms of office shall be determined as follows:

"At the first meeting of the Board elected by the Council in which this Canon is adopted, the terms of office, both of the clergy and laymen respectively, shall be divided into one, two or three year periods, and apportioned by lot. In the succeeding years, there being only four vacancies in the Board, the Council shall elect two clergymen and two laymen for periods of three years each. Said Board, together with the Bishop, shall have the management of missionary operations and the distribution of all funds raised for the support of missionaries in the Diocese."

On motion, this amendment was re-committed with instruction to report next year.

Mr. J. T. Harding presented the report of the Committee on Invitation to the General Convention to meet in Kansas City, as follows:

"Your committee begs leave to report that Kansas City has all hotel, hall and other facilities to accommodate the general convention to a high degree; that financial backing may be easily had to take care of the expenses of holding the Convention here; that it is advisable to appoint a committee, to be composed of the Bishop, the clerical and lay deputies, and three to be chosen by the Council, preferably Mr. E. M. Clendenning, Mr. E. F. Swinney and Mr. Gardiner Lathrop, to present an invitation to hold the next General Convention here, and present and press upon the Convention our claims."

Report adopted.

The Council then resolved itself into a Committee of the whole.

Upon re-convening, with the Bishop in the Chair, Mr. J. T. Harding, as Chairman of the Committee of the whole, reported to the Council that the Committee recommended the re-committal to the Special Committee on the Assessment

Plan of the several plans considered by the Committee of the whole.

The Rev. E. H. Eckel, for the Committee on Constitution and Canons, presented their Report No. 4, as follows, and recommended the amendment of Canon VIII, by the addition of Section 8, as follows:

"Section 8. It shall be the duty of the Treasurer of the Board to collect from any predecessor in office, or from his estate, or from the sureties on his bond, any balance due from such predecessor. He shall be subject to the direction of the Missionary Board in relation to the mode and place of depositing the funds received by him and the manner of paying them out; and his accounts and books shall at all times be subject to the inspection of the Missionary Board, or any two members thereof. His accounts shall be rendered annually to the Council, and shall be examined by a committee appointed for that purpose, who shall report on the same to that Council.

"The Treasurer shall give bond in such amount and form, with such sureties as shall be approved by the Missionary Board. Corporations duly authorized and empowered by the laws of the State of Missouri to sign as sureties, or give bonds for the faithful discharge of duty by public officers and others, and regularly engaged in such business, may be accepted as sureties upon bonds required by this Canon. The cost of procuring bonds shall be paid by the Missionary Board."

On motion, the amendment was adopted.

Moved by Mr. H. D. Ashley and seconded, to refer proposed Canon VIII to Committee on Canons to report as special order of the day to the Council of 1911, proposed Canon to be printed. Carried.

On motion of Mr. M. G. Harmon, it was moved that the rules be suspended and that the Secretary cast the ballot of the Council for the following names as members of the Board of Missions:

REV. J. A. SCHAAD  
REV. J. D. RITCHEY, D.D.  
REV. CHAS. A. WEED  
REV. E. H. ECKEL  
REV. R. N. SPENCER  
REV. C. R. TAYLOR

MR. B. J. FRADENBURG  
MR. F. A. H. GARLICH  
MR. JAS. P. NEWELL  
MR. B. C. HOWARD  
MR. H. D. ASHLEY  
MR. B. R. CLARKE

Carried.

The President of the Sunday School Institute being absent, Mr. Jay M. Lee reported for him. Report adopted.

In the absence of the President of the Sunday School Institute, Mr. B. C. Howard, who is unavoidably kept from the Council by illness, a full report of the Institute cannot be presented.

Briefly it may be stated that a very successful week-long meeting of the Institute was held in December last, at which a series of addresses were made on Sunday School work by the Rev. Henry E. Cooke, of Cleveland.

The resolution adopted by the Council last year providing for the taking up of an Advent Mite Box offering by the Sunday Schools of the Diocese was acted upon, resulting in the addition of \$150.34 to the Diocesan Missionary Board.

A Missionary mass meeting of the Sunday Schools was held in December, 1909, and another on the Sunday after Ascension, 1910, the former addressed by Rev. Henry E. Cooke, and the latter by the Right Rev. Francis K. Brooke, Bishop of the Missionary Jurisdiction of Oklahoma.

In conclusion I move that the resolutions adopted at the last Council, relating to Advent Offerings, be again adopted.

JAY M. LEE, *of the Executive Committee.*

The Rev. Dr. Ritchey gave an invitation to the Council of 1911 to meet at St. Paul's Church. Invitation accepted.

On motion it was resolved that the Bishop select the delegates to the Missionary Council which is to meet at St. Louis, January, 1911, from the following nominations:

REV. W. A. PEARMAN  
REV. A. W. FARNUM  
REV. R. N. SPENCER  
REV. C. A. WEED  
REV. E. C. JOHNSON  
MR. A. C. STOWELL

MR. F. C. FLORANCE  
MR. J. E. COBB  
MR. J. E. LONG  
MR. H. D. ASHLEY  
MR. JAMES BLAIN  
MR. HORACE STRINGFELLOW

For the Committee on Missionaries' expenses, Mr. J. E. Long reported the total amount necessary to defray expenses would be \$33.47. On motion, the report was accepted and the expenses of the missionaries were allowed.

On motion of Mr. Jay M. Lee, it was RESOLVED:

That the Treasurer of the Diocese be, and he is hereby, authorized to borrow such an amount, not exceeding two thousand dollars (\$2,000.00) as he may find necessary to carry on the work of the Diocese during the ensuing year.

Carried.

On motion of Mr. Jay M. Lee, it was RESOLVED:

That a summary of the proceedings of the Council be published in the next issue of the Diocesan magazine, "The Diocese of Kansas City," and that the sum of ten dollars (\$10.00) be, and is hereby, appropriated to pay for same.

Carried.

The following report of the Committee on Diocesan paper was received and placed on file:

Report of the Committee on "The Diocese of Kansas City," Oct. 1st, 1909, to April 30th, 1910:

RECEIPTS.

Advertising. . . . .	\$213.90
Space. . . . .	307.17
Subscriptions. . . . .	116.40
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	\$637.47
Balance Rev. J. A. S. . . . .	8.91
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	\$646.38
	643.84
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Balance, April 30. . . . .	\$ 2.54

EXPENDITURES.

Printing, postage, etc. . . . .	\$643.84
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On motion of Mr. J. T. Harding, the Council appropriated \$600.00 for the Bishop's traveling expenses.

On motion, the Secretary was authorized to publish 600 copies of the Journal.

On motion, it was RESOLVED:

That the sincere thanks of this Council be tendered the Rector, Vestry and ladies of St. George's Parish for their hospitality during the meetings of the present Council, to which was added that \$5.00 be appropriated to the janitor on account of his work in connection with the sessions of the Council.

On motion by Mr. A. C. Stowell, the Treasurer was authorized to pay Miss Lykins, his assistant, \$5.00 per month.

The report of the Assessment Committee was received and adopted:

REPORT OF ASSESSMENT COMMITTEE.

The Committee on Assessment recommend that the assessment for 1911 be the same as for the year 1910, as appearing on pages 55 and 56 of the Journal for 1909.

The Committee recommends the continuance of the 10 per cent discount plan for the prompt payment of assessments.

Your Committee would also recommend that the Council adopt the

plan of the last two years—to appropriate \$600.00 for the Bishop's traveling expenses.

W. C. GOFFE, *Chairman*,  
A. C. STOWELL,  
HORACE STRINGFELLOW,  
H. L. ARNOLD,  
C. H. CHILDS,  
D. H. SMITH,  
EDWARD C. HAMILL.

On motion, the salary of the Secretary was fixed at \$150.00 for the ensuing year.

On motion, Mr. C. H. Childs was named to take the place of the late Mr. T. B. Tomb, as a member of the Boards of Trustees of the Permanent Fund for the Support of the Episcopate.

On motion of Mr. J. E. Long, it was resolved, That the Committee on the Publication of the Diocesan Paper, "The Diocese of Kansas City," be commended for the excellent results of their second year's work.

*Resolved*, That the Council recommends the continuance of the paper under the same plan of management as last year; that the Council recognizes it as the official organ of the Diocese, and instructs the Treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Board to continue rental spaces in the paper, as last year.

*Resolved*, That the Council urges all Diocesan organizations to support the paper by taking space therein.

Seconded and carried.

On motion, it was resolved, that the report of the Special Committee on a Revised Parochial Report be laid on the table.

On motion, it was resolved, that the Bishop and Secretary prepare proper report form for Annual reports.

On motion of the Rev. D. H. Atwill, it was resolved, that a committee of three delegates from Kansas City be appointed to draft resolutions upon the deaths of T. B. Tomb and the Rev. J. C. Hathaway, and that the resolutions be embodied in the Diocesan Journal. The Bishop appointed as such committee Rev. J. A. Schaad, Rev. Dr. Ritchey, Mr. H. D. Ashley.

The Rev. Dr. Ritchey moved that a committee of three be appointed to take care of the proposition regarding a school at Sweet Springs. Motion carried. The Bishop appointed as such committee Rev. Dr. Ritchey, Mr. J. E. Long, Mr. R. W. Cary.



On motion of Mr. J. T. Harding, it was resolved that after singing Hymn No. 672 and the pronouncing of the Benediction, the Council will adjourn. The hymn was sung and the Bishop pronounced the Benediction.

The Council adjourned sine die.

E. R. ATWILL, Bishop.

Attest: CARL R. TAYLOR, Secretary.

## Parochial Reports

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### BOONVILLE.

#### CHRIST CHURCH.

Rector, S. C. Walton, Boonville, Mo.

Wardens: S. W. Ravenal, Senior Warden; Dr. G. A. Russell, Junior Warden.

Secretary, Fred Sombart, Boonville, Mo.

Treasurer, C. P. Gott, Boonville, Mo.

Vestrymen: S. W. Ravenal, G. T. Irwin, F. Sauter, J. W. Cosgrove, C. P. Gott, Fred Sombart, W. S. Stephens, M. E. Schmidt, G. A. Russell.

Families, 25; souls, 90; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 121; communicants 69, male 21, female 48, total 69; baptisms, 1; confirmed, 5; marriages, 2; burials, 4; celebrations of the Holy Communion, public 100, in private 6, total 106; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 126; sermons and addresses, 126; Sunday School, yes; number of teachers, 5; scholars, 43. Is there a church building? Yes. Number of seats, free, ——. A rectory? Yes. Amount of insurance on church and rectory, \$4,300.00. Is it paid in full? Yes. Who holds title? Rector and members. Salary: Amount promised by Parish \$700; amount paid to April 30th, \$720.

#### FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1910.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$973.22; permanent improvements, \$1,600.56; charity, \$1.50; other expenses within the Parish, none. Total, \$2,575.28.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$81.40; Diocesan missions, \$25.00; Disabled clergy fund, \$4.20; other objects within the Diocese, \$4.20. Total, \$114.80.

Total expenditures for all purposes, \$2,690.08.

Value of Church Property: Church and grounds, \$6,000.00; rectory and grounds, \$3,000.00; other property, \$2,000.00.

Total value of all parish property, \$11,000.00.

Indebtedness on Church Property: Indebtedness on rectory (bonded), \$600.00; floating debt, \$296.79. Total indebtedness, \$896.79.

Amount paid on bonded debt during the year, none.

**BROOKFIELD.****GRACE CHURCH.**

Organized 1874.

Rector, none since November 1, 1907.

Wardens: J. F. McElwain, John McCartney.

Treasurer, L. E. Dewey, Brookfield.

Vestrymen: L. E. Dewey, C. W. Green, J. F. Turner, George Johnson, E. G. Chapman.

## PAROCHIAL STATISTICS.

Families, 20; souls, 100; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 85; communicants, male 10, female 35, total 45; number of communions made at Easter, 25; baptisms, 1; confirmed, none; marriages, 1; burials, 4; celebrations of the Holy Communion, public 6, private 1, total 7; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 14; sermons and addresses, 14. Is there a church building? Yes. Number of seats, free, 175. A Rectory? No. Amount of insurance on church, \$2,000.00. Is it paid in full? Yes. Who holds title? K. C. P. & T. Co.

## FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1910.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$33.05.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$10.25; Bishop's Purse, \$9.35.

Total expenditures for all purposes, \$52.65.

Value of Church Property: Church and grounds, \$6,000.00.

Indebtedness on Church Property: Indebtedness on church (bonded), \$1,000.00. Total indebtedness, \$6,000.00.

**CARROLLTON.****ST. PAUL'S CHURCH.**

Organized November 4, 1872.

Rector, Archdeacon.

Wardens: H. M. Pettie, R. H. Monies.

Vestrymen: Jay Higgenbottom, W. E. Scott, Arthur Phillips.

## PAROCHIAL STATISTICS.

Families, 11; souls, 36; communicants, male 4, female 8, total 12; baptisms, infants 1, adults 2, total 3; confirmed, 2; celebrations of the Holy Communion, public 4, in private none, total 4; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 2. Is there a church building? Yes. Number of seats, free, 150. A Rectory? No. Amount of insurance on church, \$1,000.00. Is it paid in full? Yes. Who holds title? P. Trust Co. Amount received from all sources, \$35.35.

## FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1910.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$35.35.

Bishop's Purse: \$11.00.

Total expenditures for all purposes, \$46.35.

Indebtedness: None of any kind.

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### CARTHAGE.

#### GRACE CHURCH.

Wardens: T. N. Davey, Senior Warden; A. M. Drake, Junior Warden, Secretary, M. C. Conkey, Carthage, Mo.

Treasurer, R. E. Frey, Carthage, Mo.

Vestrymen: T. N. Davey, A. M. Drake, R. E. Frey, Guy Wells, Chas. F. Drake, A. F. Bencke, W. R. Moses, M. C. Conkey.

#### PAROCHIAL STATISTICS.

Families, 54; souls, —; communicants, male 35, female 80, total 115; baptisms, infants 2, adults 5; total 7; confirmed, 9; marriages, 8; burials, 3; celebrations of the Holy Communion, monthly; public services (exclusive of celebrations), about 70. Sunday School? Yes. Number of teachers, 6; scholars, 60. Is there a church building? Yes. Number of seats, free, 180. A rectory? Yes. Amount of insurance on church and rectory, \$5,000.00. Is it paid in full? Yes. Who holds title? Vestry. Salary, none.

#### FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1910.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$2,000.00; permanent improvements, \$200.00; other expenses within the parish, \$150.00. Total, \$2,350.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$100.00.

Value of Church Property: Church and grounds, \$15,000.00; rectory and grounds, \$5,000.00. Total value of all parish property, \$20,000.00.

Indebtedness on Church Property: Indebtedness on rectory (bonded), \$700.00. Total indebtedness, \$700.00.

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### CHILLICOTHE.

#### GRACE CHURCH.

Organized 1858.

Rector, Arthur M. Griffin, Chillicothe.

Wardens: A. McVey, Senior Warden; Dr. R. Barney, Junior Warden. Secretary, R. E. Moss, Chillicothe.

Treasurer, Louis H. Gould, Chillicothe.

Vestrymen: John Milbank, G. B. Sherman, W. W. Voelkner, C. B. Swan A. Leeper, Fred Harris, Harvey Hunt, J. F. Hawley, Mason Little, Fred Hawley.

#### PAROCHIAL STATISTICS.

Families, 66; souls, about 200; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, about 190; communicants, male 37, female 85, total

122; number of communions made at Easter, 91; baptisms, infants 3, adults 3, total 6; confirmed, 13; marriages, 3; burials, 4; celebrations of the Holy Communion, public 84, in private 6, total 90; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 200; sermons and addresses, 190. Sunday School? Yes. Number of teachers, 4; scholars, 26; total, 30. Is there a church building? Yes. Number of seats, free, 200. A rectory? Yes. Amount of insurance on church and rectory, \$7,000.00. Is it paid in full? Yes. Who holds title? Rector and vestry. Salary: Amount promised by parish, \$1,200; amount paid to April 30th, \$1,200.

#### FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1910.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$1,427.80; permanent improvements, \$1,762.20; charity, \$75.00; other expenses within the parish, \$147.00. Total, \$3,411.00.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$160.00; Diocesan missions, \$100.00; disabled clergy fund, \$5.00; theological education fund, \$5.00; Bishop's purse, \$5.00; other objects within the Diocese (St. Luke's Hospital), \$5.00. Total, \$280.00.

General: General missions, \$30.00; other objects without the Diocese (S. S. Miss.), \$15.00. Total, \$45.00.

Total expenditures for all purposes, \$3,736.00.

Value of Church Property: Church and grounds, \$6,500.00; rectory and grounds, \$5,000.00. Total value of all parish property, \$11,500.00.

Indebtedness on Church Property: Indebtedness on rectory (bonded), \$2,000.00; floating debt, \$425.00. Total indebtedness, \$2,425.00.

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### INDEPENDENCE.

#### TRINITY CHURCH.

Organized 1844.

Rector, Oscar Homburger, 403 N. Liberty St.

Wardens: Mark S. Salisbury, Florian C. Florance.

Secretary, Frank G. Wallace, 219 N. Delaware St.

Treasurer, Clifford W. Lyon, 920 S. Main St.

Vestrymen, M. S. Salisbury, F. C. Florance, F. G. Wallace, C. W. Lyon, S. Wheeler, E. B. Loveland, H. B. Merrill.

#### PAROCHIAL STATISTICS.

Families, 55; souls, 180; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 125; communicants, male 32, female 51, total 83; number of communions made at Easter (Tuesday), 15; baptisms, 2; confirmed, 1; marriages, 1; celebrations of the Holy Communion, public 12, in private 1, total 13; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 156; sermons and addresses, 130. Sunday school, number of teachers 5, scholars 25, total 30. Is there a church building? Yes. A rectory? No. Number of seats, free, 250. Amount of insurance on church, \$3,000. Is it paid in full? Yes. Who holds title? Bishop and Wardens. Salary:

Amount promised by parish for 1910-1911, \$720; amount paid to April 30 from October 1, \$360; amount received from diocesan board from October 1, \$233.33; amount received from other sources from October 1, \$45.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1910.

Parochial: Current expenses from October 1, 1909 (including all salaries, \$500.23; charity, \$10.00; other expenses within the parish, \$105.15. Total, \$616.38.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$40.00; diocesan mission, \$12.50; permanent Episcopal fund, \$1.11; bishop's purse, \$5.00. Total, \$58.61.

General: General missions, \$11.00; other objects without the Diocese clergy relief, \$2.25. Total, \$13.25.

Total expenditures for all purposes, \$688.24.

Value of Church Property: Church and grounds, \$7,000. Total of all parish property, \$7,000.

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JOPLIN.

ST. PHILIP'S CHURCH.

Organized 1874. Admitted 1891.

Rector, Chas. A. Weed, 706 Byers Ave.

Wardens, A. E. Bendelari, Haywood Scott.

Secretary, F. S. Cook, 309 Wall.

Treasurer, Frank Sharp, 227 Joplin St.

Vestrymen, Dr. A. R. Snyder, A. A. Spencer, Col. H. H. Gregg.

PAROCHIAL STATISTICS.

Families, 67; souls, 197; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 180; communicants, male 24, female 103, total 127; number of communions made at Easter, 71; baptisms, infants 8, adults 3, total 11; confirmed (special), 1; marriages, 5; burials, 8; celebrations of the Holy Communion, public 67, in private 4, total 71; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 87; sermons and addresses, 121; Sunday School, number of teachers 3, scholars 35, total 38. Is there a church building? Yes. A rectory? Yes. Number of seats, free, 130. Amount of insurance on church and rectory, \$3,000. Is it paid in full? Yes. Who holds title? Vestry. Salary: Amount promised by parish, \$1,260; amount paid to April 30, \$1,260.

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1910.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$1,840.50; permanent improvements, \$14,000; charity, \$35.75; other expenses within the parish, \$50.00. Total, \$14,926.25.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$100.00; Diocesan missions, \$20.00. Total, \$120.00.

General: Other objects without the Diocese (\$5,000,000 clergy fund), \$10.00. Total, \$10.00.

Total expenditures for all purposes, \$15,056.28.

Value of Church Property: Church and grounds, \$29,000; rectory and grounds, \$4,000. Total value of all parish property, \$33,000.00.

Indebtedness on Church Property: Indebtedness on church (bonded), \$12,000; floating debt, \$200.00. Total indebtedness, \$12,200.00.

Owing to changes on vestry and loss of some of our book accounts, partially incomplete.

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## KANSAS CITY.

### GRACE CHURCH.

Organized July 20, 1870.

Rector, J. A. Schaad, 415 West Thirteenth St.

Wardens, H. D. Ashley and B. D. Rowe.

Secretary, E. M. Clendenning, Commercial Club.

Treasurer, L. R. Moore, Jr.

Vestrymen: E. P. Pratt, W. R. Jacques, W. C. Goffe, B. C. Christopher, W. M. Reid, B. Rockwell, T. B. Tomb, J. W. MacKenzie, W. H. Chapman, N. W. Casey, B. R. Clarke.

### PAROCHIAL STATISTICS.

Families (estimated), 200; souls (estimated), 600; communicants, male 131, female 254, total 385; number of communions made at Easter, 227; baptisms, infants 21, adults 12, total 33; confirmed, 19; marriages, 12; burials, 20; celebrations of the Holy Communion, public 136, in private, 6, total 142; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 220; sermons and addresses, 168; Sunday School, number of teachers 18, scholars 252. Is there a church building? Yes. A rectory? No. Number of seats, free, 610, rented 176, assigned 14; total 800. Amount of insurance on church and rectory, \$49,000. Is it paid in full? Yes. Who holds title? Grace Church. Salary: Amount promised by parish, \$3,000.00; amount paid to April 30th, \$3,000.00.

### FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1910.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$6,447.17; permanent improvements, \$2,069.15; charity, \$165.90; other expenses within the parish, guilds and societies, \$2,441.86. Total, \$11,124.08.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$621.00; Diocesan missions, \$537.50; Bishop's purse, \$280.00; other objects within the Diocese Grace Hall (city mission), \$3,046.85; miscellaneous, \$296.65, \$3,333.50. Total, \$4,772.00.

General: General missions, \$372.16; foreign missions, specials, \$20.00; other objects without the Diocese, aged and infirm clergy, \$34.00. Total, \$426.16.

Total expenditures for all purposes, \$16,322.24.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$100,000.00. Other property, organ, \$10,000.00; miscellaneous, \$12,000.00, \$22,000.00; total value of all parish property, \$122,000.00.

Floating debt, \$2,092.56.

### ST. GEORGE'S CHURCH.

Organized March 23, 1891.

Rector, Cyrus Townsend Brady, LL.D., 2929 Tracy Ave.

Wardens, A. C. Stowell (Rector's) and F. M. Hayward (Vestry's).

Recording Secretary, W. L. Richards, 3912 Manheim Road.

Financial Secretary, A. W. Peet, 3606 Cherry St.

Treasurer, William Mendenhall, 3125 Woodland Ave.

Vestrymen: The above and R. T. Alexander, J. V. B. Ellard, F. S. Ford, C. W. Heitzman, B. C. Howard, P. W. Martine, W. A. Remfry, Robert Waddell, J. Q. Watkins and George Wise.

### PAROCHIAL STATISTICS.

Families (about), 200; souls (about), 650; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 504; communicants, male 138, female 271, total, 409; number of communions made at Easter, 286; baptisms, infants 7, adults 8, total 15; confirmed, 19; marriages, 10; burials, 4; celebrations of the Holy Communion, public 86, in private 3, total 89; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 290; sermons and addresses, 290; Sunday School, number of teachers 21, scholars 174, Bible Class 50, total 245. Is there a church building? New parish house used as a church. A rectory? Yes. Number of seats, free, 650. Amount of insurance on church and rectory, \$25,000.00. Is it paid in full? Yes. Who holds title? The Rector, Wardens and Vestry of St. George's Protestant Episcopal Church. Salary: Amount promised by parish, at rate of \$2,500.00 and rectory; amount paid to April 30th, at rate of \$2,500.00 and rectory.

### FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1910.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$5,726.46; permanent improvements, \$44,662.27; charity, (rectory fund), \$134.54. Total, \$50,523.27.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$360.00; Diocesan missions, \$100.00; theological education fund, \$17.31; Bishop's purse, \$81.20; other objects within the Diocese, \$71.55. Total, \$630.06.

General: General missions, \$155.21; foreign missions, \$54.82; other objects without the Diocese, \$45.80. Total, \$255.83.

Total expenditures for all purposes, \$51,409.16.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$40,000.00; rectory and grounds, \$15,000.00; other property, \$5,000.00. Total value of all parish property, \$60,000.00.

Indebtedness on church property: Indebtedness on church (bonded) and indebtedness on rectory (bonded), \$25,000.00; floating debt (bills payable), \$7,000.00. Total indebtedness, \$32,000.00.



**NOTE**—During the year the parish has purchased an acre of ground adjoining Troost Park on Tracy Avenue and has erected thereon a commodious parish house and a delightful rectory. Having been without a place of worship during part of the year accounts for decrease in some items above. The parish has just started a parochial mission (called St. Andrew's) at Thirty-ninth and Prospect Avenue.

### St. MARK'S CHURCH.

Organized April 12, 1889.

Rector, A. W. Farnum, 518 Prospect Ave.

Wardens, Timothy C. Bradley and Ivor Caleb.

Secretary, Ross Hawkins, 2618 East Eighth St.

Treasurer, Alfred Hamlin, 500 Brooklyn Ave.

Vestrymen: A. D. Johnson, Fred H. Wood, Clement A. Whittaker, W. Meigs Bland, William T. Hall.

### PAROCHIAL STATISTICS.

Families, 86; souls, 299; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 271; communicants, male 57, female 97, total 154; number of communions made at Easter, 123; baptisms, infants 9, adults 2, total 11; confirmed, 10; marriages, 4; burials, 3; celebrations of the Holy Communion, public 113, in private 16, total 129; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 220; sermons and addresses, 122; Sunday School, number of teachers 9, scholars 45, total 54. Is there a church building? Yes. A rectory? No. Number of seats, free, 200. Amount of insurance on church, \$3,000.00. Is it paid in full? Yes. Who holds title? Rector, Wardens and Vestry. Salary: Amount promised by parish, \$1,500.00; amount paid to April 30th, \$1,300.00.

### FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1910.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$1,929.64; permanent improvements, \$145.10; charity, \$21.50; other expenses within the parish (insurance), \$30.00. Total, \$2,126.24.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$146.30; Diocesan missions, \$100.00; the Diocese of Kansas City, \$32.80; commission to agent of Diocese, \$2.36; permanent Episcopal fund, \$5.00; St. Luke's Hospital, \$10.00; theological education fund, \$4.00; Bishop's purse (of which W. Aux'y \$15.00), \$36.75; entertainment of Council delegates, \$8.86. Total, \$346.07.

General: Sunday School Lenten offering, \$48.11; united offering, \$2.55; general missions, \$40.12; missionary box to North Dakota, \$20.00; domestic missions, \$8.87; aged and infirm clergy (of which \$5,000.00 pension fund, \$23.82), \$50.97; Bishop Blyth's Mission in Jerusalem, \$6.05; work in Syria, \$0.50; W. A. Scholarship, \$9.00; traveling expenses Mrs. Rumares, \$1.00. Total, \$187.17.

Total expenditures for all purposes, \$2,659.48.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$6,000.00. Total value of all parish property, \$6,000.00.

Indebtedness on church property: Indebtedness on church lot, \$2,000.00. Total indebtedness, \$2,000.00.

## ST. MARY'S CHURCH.

Organized December 14, 1857.

Rector, J. Stewart-Smith, 1307 Holmes St.

Wardens, B. E. Fryer, M.D., Thomas Pain.

Secretary, M. G. Harman, 308 Hall Bldg.

Treasurer, F. A. Smith, 803 Commerce Bldg.

Vestrymen: E. C. Hamill, A. P. Devereux, F. H. Cutler, J. L. Jost, J. S. Smith.

## PAROCHIAL STATISTICS.

Families, 50; souls, 300; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 275; communicants, 220; number of communions made at Easter, 130; baptisms, infants 9, adults 13, total 22; confirmed, 15; marriages, 10; burials, 19; celebrations of the Holy Communion, public, 387, in private 39, total 411; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 574; sermons and addresses, 147; Sunday School, number of teachers 6, scholars 50, total 56. Is there a church building? Yes. A rectory? Yes. Number of seats, free, 911. Amount of insurance on church and rectory, \$..... Is it paid in full? Yes. Who holds title? Rector, Church Wardens and Vestry. Salary: Amount promised by parish, \$1,500.00; amount paid to April 30th, \$1,500.00.

## FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1910.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$2,610.73; other expenses within the parish, \$235.00. Total, \$2,845.73.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$270.00; Diocesan missions, \$150.00; disabled clergy fund, \$47.46; Bishop's purse, \$6.17. Total, \$473.63.

General: General missions, \$200.00. Total, \$200.00.

Total expenditures for all purposes, \$3,519.36.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$70,000.00; other property, \$4,500.00. Total value of all parish property, \$74,500.00.

Indebtedness on church property: Indebtedness on church (bonded), \$4,600.00; indebtedness on other property (bonded), \$2,900.00. Total indebtedness, \$7,500.00. Amount paid on bonded debt during the year, \$100.00.

## ST. PAUL'S CHURCH.

Organized May 5, 1891.

Rector, J. D. Ritchey, Fortieth and Walnut Sts.

Wardens, Walton H. Holmes, Sr. W.; Egbert H. Chapman, Jr. W.

Secretary, O. W. Pratt, First National Bank Bldg.

Treasurer, T. J. Brodnax, Exchange Bldg., city.

Vestrymen: Gardiner Lathrop, Edward George, John G. Groves, C. W. Armour, H. Stanley Young, C. J. Hubbard, John Fennelly, Paul A. Simonds, Benj. B. Lee.

## PAROCHIAL STATISTICS.

Families, 393; souls, 900; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 830; communicants, male 110, female 276, total 386; number of communions made at Easter, 300; baptisms, infants 9, adults 19, total 28; confirmed, 25; marriages, 16; burials, 9; celebrations of the Holy Communion, public 65; in private 3, total 68; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 133; sermons and addresses, 174; Sunday School, number of teachers 23, scholars 215, total 238. Is there a church building? Yes. A rectory? No. Number of seats, free 50, rented 480, assigned 30, total 560. Amount of insurance on church, \$36,500.00. Is it paid in full? Yes. Who holds title? Rector, Wardens and Vestrymen. Salary: Amount promised by parish, \$3,600.00; amount paid to April 30th, \$3,600.00.

## FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1910.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$9,592.40; permanent improvements, \$400.00; charity, \$450.47. Total, \$10,442.87.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$742.56; Diocesan missions, \$450.00; disabled clergy fund, \$54.36; Bishop's purse, \$165.00; other objects within the Diocese, \$125.00. Total, \$1,536.92.

General: General missions, \$325.00; domestic missions, Sunday School Lenten offering, \$125.00. Total, \$450.00.

Total expenditures for all purposes, \$12,429.79.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$56,000.00. Total value of all parish property, \$56,000.00.

Indebtedness on church property (bonded), \$14,000.00; floating debt, \$4,350.00. Total indebtedness, \$18,350.00.

Amount paid on bonded debt during the year, \$4,000.00; amount paid on floating debt, \$2,050.00. Total paid on debt, \$6,050.00.

## TRINITY CHURCH.

## Organized

Rector, Robert Nelson Spencer, 1004 Park Ave.

Wardens, Hon. John T. Harding, John Gosling.

Secretary, J. E. Long, 3513 Garner Ave.

Treasurer, F. B. Mertshimer, 610 New York Life Bldg.

Vestrymen: R. W. Cary, Albert White, J. H. Ashley, E. F. Swinney, H. H. Embry, W. M. Federmann, J. C. Fuller, F. B. Mertshimer, J. E. Long, C. H. Childs, William Cooper, J. R. Gregg.

## PAROCHIAL STATISTICS.

Families, 180; souls, 675; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 550; communicants (Note—There has really been a gain in number of communicants: the apparent loss results from a careful revision of list), 394; number of communions made at Easter, 272; baptisms, infants 18, adults 4, total 22; confirmed, 10; marriages, 18; burials, 7; celebrations of the Holy Communion, public 76, in private 12, total 88; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 170; sermons

and addresses, 200; Sunday School, number of teachers 12, scholars 66, total 78. Is there a church building? Yes. A rectory? No. Number of seats, free, 600. Amount of insurance on church, \$35,000.00. Is it paid in full? Yes. Who holds title? American Church Building Fund Company. Salary: Amount promised by parish, \$2,000.00; amount paid to April 30th, \$2,000.

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1910. .

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$3,410.00; permanent improvements, \$200.00; charity, \$150.00. Total, \$3,760.00.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$375.00; Diocesan missions, \$125.00; disabled clergy fund, \$21.86; Bishop's purse, \$14.32; other objects within the Diocese, St. Luke's Hospital \$12.85, L. M. M. expense \$40.00. Total, \$588.53.

Total expenditures for all purposes, \$4,348.53.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$80,000.00. Total value of all parish property, \$80,000.00.

Indebtedness on church property: Indebtedness on church (bonded), \$23,000.00. Total indebtedness, \$23,000.00.

Amount paid on bonded debt during the year, \$1,240.00.

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LEXINGTON.

CHRIST CHURCH.

Organized 1842.

Rector, Charles H. Bohn, Marshall, Mo.

Warden, J. F. Forster.

PAROCHIAL STATISTICS.

Families, 19; souls, 85; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 50; communicants, male 12, female 32, total 44; number of communions made at Easter (Sunday in the Octave); baptisms, 8; confirmed, 1; burials, 3; celebrations of the Holy Communion, public 18, in private 2, total 20; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 32; sermons and addresses, 51; Sunday School, number of teachers 5, scholars 52, total 57. Is there a church building? Yes. A rectory? No. Number of seats, free, 250. Amount of insurance on church, \$1,500.00. Is it paid in full? Yes. Who holds title? Parochial Trust Fund. Salary: Amount promised by parish, \$400.00; amount paid to April 30th, \$400.00; amount received from Diocesan Missionary Board, \$100.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1910.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$500.00; permanent improvements, \$450.00; charity, \$20.00; other expenses within the parish, \$40.00. Total, \$1,010.00.

Diocesan: Diocesan missions, \$11.00; Bishop's purse, \$3.00. Total, \$14.00.

**General:** General missions, \$8.00; other objects without the Diocese, Sunday School, \$14.00. Total, \$22.00.

Total expenditures for all purposes, \$1,046.00.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$5,000.00; grounds, \$2,000.00. Total value of all parish property, \$7,000.00.

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### NEVADA.

#### ALL SAINTS' CHURCH.

Organized in 1866.

Missionary, E. C. Johnson, Kansas City, Mo.

Wardens, Henry Kraft, Jr., and F. B. George.

Secretary, F. B. George, Nevada, Mo.

Treasurer, Robert Gabrielson, Nevada, Mo.

Vestrymen: Robert Gabrielson, F. B. George, Dr. Harry Cocky, H. W. Sutton, Col. H. Mitchell, C. O. Graves, Henry Kraft, Jr.

#### PAROCHIAL STATISTICS.

Families, 33; souls, 64; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 64; communicants, male 19, female 45, total 64; number of communions made at Easter, 50; baptisms, infants 2, adults 2, total 4; confirmed, 5; celebrations of the Holy Communion—No minister being here the Archdeacon held communion whenever he came; sermons and addresses, only during visits of Bishop and Archdeacon; Sunday School, number of teachers 4, scholars 25, total 29. Is there a church building? Yes. A rectory? No. Number of seats, all free. Amount of insurance on church, \$1,000.00. Is it paid in full? Yes. Who holds title? Parochial Trust Fund. Salary: Amount promised by parish per year, \$500.00.

#### FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1910.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$524.96; permanent improvements, \$50.00 other expenses within the parish, \$169.67. Total, \$744.63.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$50.00; Diocesan missions, \$25.00. Total, \$75.00.

General: Foreign missions, \$7.50. Total, \$7.50.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$8,000.00; other property, \$500.00. Total value of all parish property, \$8,500.00.

Indebtedness on church property: Indebtedness on other property (bonded), \$132.65. Total indebtedness, \$132.65.

Amount paid on bonded debt during the year, \$61.00.

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### PLEASANT HILL.

#### CALVARY CHURCH.

Organized May 28, 1868.

Rector, Oscar Homburger, Independence, Mo.

Wardens, John Holloway and James Ainsworth.

Secretary, John Holloway, Pleasant Hill, Mo.

Treasurer, John Holloway, Pleasant Hill, Mo.

Vestrymen: John Holloway, James Ainsworth, George Fox.

#### PAROCHIAL STATISTICS.

Families, 12; souls, 25; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 25; communicants, male 7, female 16, total 23; number of communions made at Easter (fourth Sunday after), 12; baptisms, 2; confirmed, 2; burials, 1; celebrations of the Holy Communion, public 3; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 24. Is there a church building? Yes. A rectory? No. Number of seats, free, 100. Amount of insurance on church, \$800.00. Is it paid in full? Yes. Who holds title? Bishop. Salary: Amount paid to April 30th, \$49.20.

#### FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1910.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$56.20.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$6.00.

Total expenditures for all purposes, \$62.20.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$1,200.00; other property, \$100.00. Total value of all parish property, \$1,300.00.

### ST. JOSEPH.

#### CHRIST CHURCH.

(Not including St. Luke's Mission, for which see page —.)

Organized 1852.

Rector, Edward Henry Eckel, Christ Church Rectory.

Curate, Giles Herbert Sharpley, 2307 Jule St.

Wardens, W. R. Millan and Horace Stringfellow.

Secretary, W. S. Hendrick, 607 South Seventh St.

Treasurer, Horace Stringfellow, 731 South Fourth St.

Vestrymen: F. E. Endebrock, F. A. H. Garlich, C. E. Green, H. M. Hansen, E. C. Hartwig, W. S. Hendrick, C. L. Holland, James Hull, O. B. Knight and A. E. Martin.

#### PAROCHIAL STATISTICS.

Families, 415; souls, 847; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 802; communicants, 515; number of communions made at Easter, 363; baptisms, infants 15, adults 3, total 18; confirmed, 12; marriages, 20; burials, 10; celebrations of the Holy Communion, public 107, in private 24, total 131; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 295; sermons and addresses, 184; Sunday School, number of teachers 27, scholars 161; total 188. Is there a church building? Yes. A rectory? Yes. Number of seats, 518. Amount of insurance on church and rectory, \$15,000.00. Is it paid in full? Yes. Who holds title? The Rector, Church Wardens and Vestrymen. Salary: Amount promised by parish, rector \$2,860.00, curate \$1,000.00 raised by rector privately, total \$3,860.00; amount paid to April 30th, whole amount.

## FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1910.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$7,935.31; permanent improvements, \$27.99; charity, \$122.69. Total, \$8,085.99.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$1,095.00; Diocesan missions, \$467.75; theological education fund, \$31.30; Bishop's purse, \$105.21; other objects within the Diocese, \$98.88. Total, \$1,798.14.

General: General missions, \$588.10; domestic missions, \$351.23; foreign missions, \$100.52; other objects without the Diocese, \$139.00. Total, \$1,178.85.

Total expenditures for all purposes, \$11,062.98.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$35,000.00; rectory and grounds, \$15,000.00; other property, St. Mark's \$2,200.00, St. Luke's \$3,000.00, total \$5,200.00. Total value of all parish property, \$55,200.00.

REMARKS—The smaller number of confirmees reported above, compared with last year's figures, results from a pruning of the list. Although specific figures are given for families, souls and baptized persons, corresponding to an actual enumeration, these figures must be understood to be at best but approximations, because of the difficulty of determining the real status of many on our lists.

The acquisition of a lot and house—the latter to be remodeled and used as a chapel after June 1st—by the congregation of St. Luke's Mission marks an important step forward.

E. H. E.

## CHURCH OF THE HOLY TRINITY.

## Organized

Wardens, John F. Howe and Edward L. Graham.

Secretary, E. L. Graham.

Treasurer, C. F. Horan, 3104 Messanie St.

Vestrymen: James H. Allen, Thomas Brown, P. D. Keys, F. D. Archer, Charles Compton, Charles Sowter, Wilson J. Moore and C. F. Horan.

## PAROCHIAL STATISTICS.

Families, 44; souls, 111; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 100; communicants, male 25, female 48, total 73; number of communions made at Easter, 52; baptisms, 1; confirmed, 4; burials, 1; celebrations of the Holy Communion, public 9; public services (exclusive of celebrations), about 75; sermons and addresses, 75; Sunday School, number of teachers 5, scholars 45, total 50. Is there a church building? Yes. A rectory? No. Number of seats, free, 250. Amount of insurance on church, \$3,500.00. Is it paid in full? Yes. Who holds title? Parochial Trust Fund. Salary: Amount promised by parish, \$500.00; amount paid to April 30th, \$286.50.

## FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1910.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$535.00; permanent improvements, \$75.00; charity, \$2.50; other expenses within the parish, \$70.00. Total, \$682.50.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$40.00; Diocesan missions, \$40.00; disabled clergy fund, \$5.42; Bishop's purse, \$3.15. Total, \$88.57.

General: General missions, \$30.00. Total, \$30.00.

Total expenditures for all purposes, \$721.07.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$8,000.00. Total value of all parish property, \$8,000.00.

Indebtedness on church property: Floating debt, \$65.00. Total indebtedness, \$65.00.

### SEDALIA.

#### CALVARY CHURCH.

Organized 1868.

Rector, D. H. Atwill, 700 West Fourth St.

Wardens, D. H. Smith and A. D. Stanley.

Secretary, E. W. Lamy, Tenth and Missouri.

Treasurer, C. C. Evans, Sedalia Trust Company.

Vestrymen: W. J. Maltby, D. H. Smith, A. D. Stanley, E. W. Lamy, O. E. Parsons, C. N. Price, W. J. Mellor, Ed Metcalf, H. H. Schuare.

#### PAROCHIAL STATISTICS.

Families, 103; souls, 325; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 294; communicants, male 73, female 99, total 172; number of communions made at Easter, 118; baptisms, infants 6, adults 1, total 7; confirmed, 10; marriages, 5; burials, 7; celebrations of the Holy Communion, public 58, in private 1, total 59; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 157; sermons and addresses, 110; Sunday School, number of teachers 8, scholars 52, total 60. Is there a church building? Yes. A rectory? Yes. Number of seats, free 100, rented 200, total 300. Amount of insurance on church and rectory, \$14,000.00. Is it paid in full? Yes. Who holds title? Rector, Church Wardens and Vestry. Salary: Amount promised by parish, \$1,200.00; amount paid to April 30th, \$1,200.00.

#### FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1910.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$1,677.00; permanent improvements, \$130.00; charity, \$18.24; other expenses within the parish, \$39.89. Total, \$1,865.13.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$165.00; Diocesan missions, \$50.00; disabled clergy fund, \$5.25; permanent Episcopal fund, \$8.50; Bishop's purse, \$15.00; other objects within the Diocese, \$4.50. Total, \$248.25.

General: General missions, \$50.00. Total, \$50.00.

Total expenditures for all purposes, \$2,163.38.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$20,000.00; rectory and grounds, \$7,500.00; other property, \$1,500.00. Total value of all parish property, \$29,000.00.

Indebtedness on church property: Indebtedness on rectory (bonded), \$3,050.00; floating debt, \$100.00. Total indebtedness, \$3,150.00.

Amount paid on bonded debt during the year, \$200.00.



**SPRINGFIELD.  
CHRIST CHURCH.**

Organized 1860.

Rector, F. F. Beckerman, Christ Church Rectory.

Wardens, James Blain and Harry Cooper.

Secretary, James Syfan, Springfield, Mo.

Treasurer, H. Z. Williams, Springfield, Mo.

Vestrymen: James Blain, Harry Cooper, Ernest Hudson, George H. McCann, John Syfan, H. Z. Williams.

\*PAROCHIAL STATISTICS.

Families, 101; souls, 327; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 236; communicants, male 40, female 112, total 152; number of communions made at Easter, 77; baptisms, infants 6, adults 4, total 10; confirmed, 10; marriages, 5; burials, 5; celebrations of the Holy Communion, 33; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 77; sermons and addresses, 93; Sunday School, number of teachers 4, scholars 56, total 60. Is there a church building? Yes. A rectory? Yes. Number of seats, free, yes. Amount of insurance on church and rectory, \$5,000.00 and \$3,000.00, total \$8,000.00. Is it paid in full? Yes. Who holds title? Parochial Trust Fund, Kansas City.

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1910.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$1,226.46; charity, \$12.85.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$181.50; Diocesan missions, \$50.00; disabled clergy fund, \$7.40; permanent Episcopal fund, \$7.40; Bishop's purse, \$8.85. Total, \$1,494.46.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$10,000.00; rectory and grounds, \$5,000.00. Total value of all parish property, \$15,000.00.

Indebtedness on church property: Indebtedness on rectory (bonded), \$1,850.00. Total indebtedness, \$1,850.00.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH.

Organized

Rector, R. O. Mackintosh, Springfield, Mo.

Wardens, M. H. Coil and N. Hawkins.

Secretary, J. Hicks, Springfield, Mo.

Treasurer, Prof. A. F. Cowper, Springfield, Mo.

Vestrymen: M. H. Coil, N. Hawkins, J. Hicks, A. F. Cowper, Charles Peterson, James Perkins, T. K. Bowman, C. Wagner, Richard Love.

PAROCHIAL STATISTICS.

Families, 113; souls, 375; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 360; communicants, male 51, female 194, total 245; number of communions made at Easter, 90; baptisms, infants 11, adults 21, total 13; confirmed (one received from the residence), 16; marriages, 1; burials, 9; celebrations of the Holy Communion, 40; public services

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\*Report dates from October 1, 1909, the beginning of the present rectorship.

(exclusive of celebrations), 86; sermons and addresses, 60; Sunday School, number of teachers 8, scholars 80, total 88. Is there a church building? Yes. A rectory? Yes. Amount of insurance on church and rectory, \$10,000.00. Is it paid in full? Yes. Who holds title? Vestry. Salary: Amount promised by parish, \$1,000.00; amount paid to April 30th, \$391.68.

**FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1910.**

**Parochial:** Current expenses (including all salaries), \$584.35; permanent improvements, \$860.90; other expenses within the parish (insurance, gas, interest on mortgage, etc.), \$263.27. Total, \$1,708.52.

**Diocesan:** Diocesan assessment, \$34.80; Diocesan missions, \$4.70; disabled clergy fund, \$7.20; Bishop's purse, about \$15.00.

Total expenditures for all purposes, \$1,770.22.

**Indebtedness on church property:** Indebtedness on rectory (bonded), \$1,500.00; indebtedness on other property (bonded), \$250.00. Total indebtedness, \$1,750.00.

Amount paid on bonded debt during the year, \$300.00.

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**WARRENSBURG.**

**CHRIST CHURCH.**

Organized 1868.

Rector.

Warden, Charles A. Shepard.

Secretary, J. A. Zimmerman.

Treasurer, Lillian Duffield.

Vestrymen: C. A. Shepard, W. B. Tuttle, J. A. Zimmerman, Ewing Cockrell.

**PAROCHIAL STATISTICS.**

Families, 22; souls, 58; communicants, male 4, female 27, total 31; baptisms, 26; burials, 2; celebrations of the Holy Communion, 5; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 28; sermons and addresses, 28. Is there a church building? Yes. A rectory? Yes. Number of seats, free, 100. Amount of insurance on church and rectory, \$1,500.00. Is it paid in full? Yes.

**FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1910.**

**Parochial:** Current expenses (including all salaries), \$102.97; other expenses within the parish, \$13.15. Total, \$116.12.

**Diocesan:** Diocesan assessment, \$55.95; Diocesan missions, \$35.00. Total, \$90.95.

**General:** General missions, \$12.00. Total, \$12.00.

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**PARISHES FROM WHICH NO REPORT HAS BEEN RECEIVED.**

Blackburn.....	Church of the Mediator
Brunswick.....	St. Paul's Church
Fayette.....	St. Mary's Church
Maryville.....	St. Paul's Church
Weston.....	St. John's Church

## Organized Mission Reports

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### AMAZONIA.

#### ST. MATTHEW'S CHURCH.

Missionary, E. W. Flower, 422 North Sixteenth St., St. Joseph, Mo.  
Treasurer, Mrs. Frances Thomas, Amazonia.

##### PAROCHIAL STATISTICS.

Families, 4; souls, 16; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 14; communicants, 5; number of communions made at Easter, 5; baptisms, infants 5; celebrations of the Holy Communion, 12; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 1; sermons and addresses, 13. Is there a church building? Yes. A rectory? No. Number of seats, all free. Is insurance paid in full? Yes.

##### FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1910.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$11.23. Total, \$11.23.  
Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$1.00; Diocesan missions, \$1.00. Total \$2.00.

Total expenditures for all purposes, \$13.23.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$1,000.00. Total value of all parish property, \$1,000.00.

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### AURORA.

#### TRINITY CHURCH.

##### PAROCHIAL STATISTICS.

Families, 5; souls, 6; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 9; communicants, male 2, female 4, total 6; baptisms, infants 1; celebrations of the Holy Communion, 2; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 3; sermons and addresses, 3. Is there a church building? Yes. A rectory? No. Number of seats, free, 100. Amount of insurance on church, \$500. Is it paid in full? Yes. Who holds title? Bishop.

##### FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1910.

Total value of all parish property, \$800.00.

**BUTLER.****ST. MARK'S MISSION.**

Organized 1875.

Missionary, John Boden, Nevada, Mo.

Warden, M. S. Clay.

Secretary, H. M. Cannon, Butler, Mo.

**PAROCHIAL STATISTICS.**

Families, 8; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 20; communicants, male 2, female 8, total 10; celebrations of the Holy Communion, 7; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 5; sermons and addresses, 10. Is there a church building? Yes. A rectory? No. Amount of insurance on church, \$1,000.00. Is it paid in full? Yes. Who holds title? Bishop Atwill. Salary: Amount promised by mission, \$150.00.

**FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1910.**

Parochial: Charity (communion alms), \$10.00.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$1,100.00.

Total value of all parish property, \$1,100.00.

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**CAMERON.****St. JOHN'S CHURCH.**

Organized 1869.

Missionary, S. E. Prentiss, Cameron, Mo.

Warden, A. J. Althouse, Cameron, Mo.

Secretary, J. A. Franklin, Cameron, Mo.

Treasurer, Thomas E. Turney, Cameron, Mo.

**PAROCHIAL STATISTICS.**

Families, 12; souls, 52; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 40; communicants, male 9, female 21, total 30; number of communions made at Easter, 18; confirmed, 2; burials, 2; celebrations of the Holy Communion, public 9; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 75; sermons and addresses, 73; Sunday School, number of teachers 3, scholars 25, total 28. Is there a church building? Yes. A rectory? No. Number of seats, free, 125. Amount of insurance on church, \$1,200.00. Is it paid in full? Yes. Who holds title? Local Trustee. Salary: Amount promised by mission, \$300.00; amount paid to April 30th, \$175.00; amount received from Diocesan Missionary Board, \$112.50; amount received from other sources, general missions, \$50.00.\*

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\*General Board has sent me \$100.00 for one-half year to cover all points, half of which is reported here.

## FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1910.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$175.00; permanent improvements, \$270.75; other expenses within the parish, \$35.70. Total, \$481.45.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$19.00; Diocesan missions \$10.50, Advent offering \$6.67, total \$17.17; Bishop's purse, \$5.00. Total, \$41.17.

General: General missions, Lenten offering, \$14.43.

Total expenditures for all purposes, \$874.55.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$2,500.00. Total value of all parish property, \$2,500.00.

Commenced work here October 1, 1909.

## CLINTON.

## ST. PAUL'S MISSION.

Organized July 10, 1886.

Missionary, W. A. Pearman, 416 East Green St., Clinton.

Wardens, Richard Bowen, Senior Warden, and W. L. Gurner, Junior Warden.

Secretary, H. H. Williams, Clinton, Mo.

Treasurer, H. H. Williams.

Vestrymen: Richard Bowen, W. L. Gurner, H. H. Williams, James McClain, Maj. A. C. Landon, C. W. Hoen.

## PAROCHIAL STATISTICS.

Families, 31; souls, 88; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 116; communicants, male 7, female 41, total 48; number of communions at Easter, 41; baptisms, 2; confirmed, 3; marriages, 1; burials, 3; celebrations of the Holy Communion, public 22; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 40; sermons and addresses, 60; Sunday School, number of teachers 5, scholars 30, total 35. Is there a church building? Yes. A rectory? No. Number of seats, free, 200. Amount of insurance on church and organ, \$3,500.00. Is it paid in full? Yes. Who holds title? The Bishop. Salary: Amount promised by mission, \$300.00; amount paid to April 30th, \$300.00; amount received from Diocesan Missionary Board, \$300.00; amount received from other sources, \$300.00.

## FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1910.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$674.88; permanent improvements, \$1,800.00. Total, \$2,474.88.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$30.00; Diocesan missions, \$40.00; disabled clergy fund, \$11.25; Bishop's purse, \$2.50. Total, \$83.75.

General: General missions, \$20.00; other objects without the Diocese, Bishop Blyth for Jerusalem work, \$3.00. Total, \$23.00.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$7,000.00.

**HARRISONVILLE**  
**ST. PETER'S CHURCH.**

Organized 1871.

Missionary, W. A. Pearman, Clinton, Mo.

Wardens, F. J. Clarke, Senior Warden; J. A. Davis, Junior Warden.

Secretary, R. W. Adams, Harrisonville, Mo.

Treasurer, R. W. Adams, Harrisonville, Mo.

Vestrymen: F. J. Clarke, J. A. Davis, R. W. Adams, Will Deacon,  
Charles H. Pearson.

PAROCHIAL STATISTICS.

Families, 12; souls, 40; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 45; communicants, male 7, female 20, total 27; number of communions made at Easter, 17; confirmed, 3; marriages, 2; burials, 1; celebrations of the Holy Communion, public 11; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 40; sermons and addresses, 50. Is there a church building? Yes. A rectory? No. Number of seats, free, 150. Amount of insurance on church, \$1,500.00. Is it paid in full? Yes. Who holds title? Trustees. Salary: Amount promised by mission, \$200.00; amount paid to April 30th, in full; amount received from Diocesan Missionary Board, \$100.00.

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1910.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$200.00; charity, St. Luke's Hospital, \$5.00. Total, \$205.00.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$20.00; Diocesan missions, \$20.00; other objects within the Diocese, Archdeacon, \$5.00. Total, \$45.00.

General: Other objects without the Diocese, general clergy relief, \$3.00.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$4,000.00.

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**KANSAS CITY.**

**ST. AUGUSTINE'S MISSION.**

Organized 1882.

Missionary, E. S. Willett, 1016 Virginia St., Kansas City, Mo.

Warden, R. T. Coles.

Secretary, Dr. L. E. Bailor, 2824 Michigan Ave.

Treasurer, J. E. Herriford, 1217 Woodland Ave.

Bishop's Committee: C. E. Bailor, W. H. Bousfield, F. C. Trent, Isaac James, C. A. Jackson, Clayborn Johnson, R. Wasson, W. T. White, T. D. Williamson.

PAROCHIAL STATISTICS.

Families, 28; souls, 200; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 200; communicants, male 36, female 94, total 130; number of communions made at Easter, 78; baptisms, infants 3, adults 10, total 13; confirmed, 6; marriages, 1; burials, 4; celebrations of the Holy Com-

munion, public 121, in private 8, total 129; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 167; sermons and addresses, 148; Sunday School, number of teachers 4, scholars 48, total 52. Is there a church building? Yes. A rectory? No. Number of seats, free, 200. Who holds title? Parochial Trust Fund Company. Salary: Amount promised by mission, \$400.00; amount paid to April 30th, \$600.00; amount received from Diocesan Missionary Board, \$200.00; amount received from other sources, \$400.00.

#### FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1910.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), ~~\$847.62~~; permanent improvements, \$200.00; charity, \$53.00; other expenses within the parish, \$15.75. Total, \$1,176.37.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$50.00; Diocesan missions, \$8.50; Bishop's purse, \$20.00; other objects within the Diocese, \$4.00. Total, \$82.50.

General: General missions, \$10.00; other objects without the Diocese, \$4.50. Total, \$14.50.

Total expenditures for all purposes, \$1,273.37.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$12,000.00. Total value of all parish property, \$12,000.00.

#### ST. JOHN'S MISSION.

Missionary, Carl Reed Taylor, 525 Kensington Ave.

Warden, Donald G. Murray.

Secretary, Jay M. Lee, 605 R. A. Long Bldg.

Treasurer, Charles R. Kenmuir, 20 Clinton Place.

Bishop's Committee: Baron J. Fradenburg, Fred C. Adams, John Beckett, Eugene F. Rommell, Lorenzo B. Deagle, Richard H. Weatherhogg.

#### PAROCHIAL STATISTICS.

Families, 112; souls, 426; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 334; communicants, confirmed 203, communed this past year 150; number of communions made at Easter, 93; baptisms, infants 12, adults 1, total 13; confirmed, 12; marriages, 3; burials, 6; celebrations of the Holy Communion, public 75, in private 5, total 80; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 126; \*sermons and addresses, 153; Sunday School, number of teachers 14, scholars 75; Sunday School, St. John's Chapel, number of teachers 7, scholars 31; total 127. Is there a church building? Yes. A rectory? No. Number of seats, free, 200. Amount of insurance on church, \$5,600.00. Is it paid in full? Yes. Who holds title? Parochial Trust Fund.

#### FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1910.

Parochial:

Current expenses (including all salaries).....\$1,364.19

By Treasurer. . . . . \$1,336.29

By Guild, for Christmas..... 11.75

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\*In addition to these services and addresses, thirty-nine services with addresses have been held at St. Luke's Hospital by me.

By Daughters of King (altar).....	20.73		
By Young People (choir).....	8.47		
Permanent improvements (miscellaneous).....	\$ 379.50		
By Guild, on lot.....	500.00	879.50	
Interest. . . . .		14.45	
Charity (Communion Alms).....		28.85	
Sunday School. . . . .		27.73	
Mission Work, "St. John's Chapel".....		100.40	\$2,415.12
Diocesan:			
Diocesan Assessment (\$80 less 10 per cent disc.)..	\$ 72.00		
Diocesan Missions: Pledge.....	\$ 35.00		
S. S. Advent Mite Boxes.....	11.60	46.60	
Theological Education Fund.....		2.25	
Bishop's Purse. . . . .	\$ 13.05		
Woman's Auxiliary. . . . .	53.60		
Junior Auxiliary. . . . .	3.00	69.65	
Other Objects Within the Diocese:			
St. Luke's Hospital.....		6.40	196.90
General:			
General Missions: Woman's Auxiliary..	\$ 12.29		
Junior Auxiliary.....	3.00		
Sunday School Auxiliary.....	51.35		
Apportionment. . . . .	40.00		
Additional (Balance on 1908-9).....	4.15		
	\$ 110.79		
Domestic Missions: Woman's Aux..	\$49.25		
Junior Auxiliary. . . . .	18.35	67.60	
Foreign Missions (Junior Auxiliary).....	2.00		
Clergy Relief Fund.....	5.70	186.09	186.09
Total Expenditures for All Purposes.....			\$2,798.11
Value of Church Property:			
Church and Grounds.....	\$11,100.00		
Other Grounds. . . . .	1,500.00		
Other Property (Guild Hall).....	300.00		
Endowment Fund (invested).....	300.00		
Total value of all Mission Property.....	\$13,200.00		
Indebtedness: (1) On church, none; (2) floating debt, none; (3) on lot adjoining church (balance of purchase price), \$1,000.00.			

The foregoing report includes items from "St. John's Chapel" at 103 Oakley avenue.



**LAMAR.****TRINITY CHURCH.**

Organized 1903.

Missionary, James Senior, Lamar, Mo.

Secretary, Mrs. Paul Tucker, Lamar, Mo.

Treasurer, Mr. Walter J. Miller, Lamar, Mo.

Vestrymen: Mrs. Walter J. Miller and Mrs. Charles A. Lockwood.

**PAROCHIAL STATISTICS.**

Families, 10; souls, 32; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 32; communicants, 22; number of communions made at Easter, 9; baptisms, 3; marriages, 2; celebrations of the Holy Communion, public 12; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 46; sermons and addresses, 48. Sunday School? Yes. Number of teachers, 1; scholars, 7. Is there a church building? Yes. A Rectory? No. Amount of insurance on church and furniture, \$1,600.00. Is it paid in full? Yes. Who holds title? Trustees Parochial Trust Fund Co. of Kansas City. Salary: Amount promised by parish, indefinite; amount paid to April 30, \$460.00; amount received from Diocesan Missionary Board, \$300.

**FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1910.**

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$518.25.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$9.00; diocesan missions, \$15.00; Bishop's purse, \$4.50. Total, \$28.50.

General: General Missions, \$10.00.

Total expenditures for all purposes, \$556.75.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$1,200.00; old church, \$300.00; other property (fund accumulating for rectory), \$570.90. Total value of all parish property, \$2,070.90.

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**LEBANON.****TRINITY CHURCH.**

Warden, Charles Palmer, Lebanon.

Secretary, H. F. Wright, Lebanon.

Treasurer, E. F. Stebbins, Lebanon.

**PAROCHIAL STATISTICS.**

Families, 7; souls, 30; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 33; communicants, male 11, female 15, total 26; celebrations of the Holy Communion, public, 6; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 10; sermons and addresses, 10. Sunday School? Yes. Number of teachers, 3; scholars, 10, total 13. Is there a church building? Yes. Seats, free. A rectory? No. Amount of insurance on church,

\$1,000.00. Is it paid in full? Yes. Who holds title? Church. Salary: Amount paid to April 30, \$44.55; amount received from Diocesan Missionary Board, \$25.00; amount received from other sources, \$61.58.

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1910.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$60.68.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$30.00; diocesan missions, \$10.00; Bishop's Purse, \$9.40. Total, \$49.40.

General: General missions, \$15.00.

Total expenditures for all purposes, \$125.08.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$1,500.00.

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LEE'S SUMMIT.

ST. PAUL'S MISSION.

Organized 1879.

Missionary, O. H. Homberger, Independence, Mo.

Wardens: E. H. Groves, Wm. Rogers, C. H. Makin.

Vestrymen: E. H. Groves, Wm. Rogers, C. H. Makin.

PAROCHIAL STATISTICS.

Families, 14; souls, 12; number of baptized persons (infant and adult), in cure, 18; communicants, male 3, female 7, total 10; burials, 2; celebrations of the Holy Communion, public 2, total 2. Is there a church building? Yes. Seats, free. A rectory? No. Amount of insurance on church, \$1,300.00. Is it paid in full? Yes. Who holds title? Wardens.

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1910.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$10.00; Bishop's purse, \$2.68.

General: General missions, \$1.00.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$3,000.00.

Indebtedness on church property: Indebtedness on church (bonded), \$300.00. Total indebtedness, \$300.00.

Amount paid on bonded debt during the year, \$155.00.

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MARSHALL.

TRINITY MISSION.

Missionary, Charles H. Bohn, Marshall.

Wardens: J. V. Chase, Dr. W. M. Harrison.

Secretary, F. W. Miles, Marshall.

Treasurer, Edmund Brown, Marshall.

Vestrymen: J. V. Chase, Dr. W. H. Harrison, F. W. Miles, Edmund Brown.

## PAROCHIAL STATISTICS.

Families, 18; souls, 65; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 60; communicants, male 18, female 20, total 38; number of communions made at Easter, 35; burials, 1; celebrations of the Holy Communion, public 15, in private 5, total 20; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 35; sermons and addresses, 49. Sunday School? Yes. Number of teachers, 4; scholars, 21; total, 25. Is there a church building? Yes. Seats free? Yes. A rectory? Yes. Amount of insurance on church and rectory, \$2,000.00. Is it paid in full? Yes. Who holds title? Parochial Trust Fund. Salary: Amount promised by mission, \$570; amount paid to April 30, \$500; amount received from Diocesan Missionary Board, \$100.

## FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1910.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$600.00; permanent improvements, \$125.00; charity, \$20.00; other expenses within the parish, \$30.00. Total, \$775.00.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$40.00; diocesan missions, \$10.00; Bishop's purse, \$11.00; other objects within the Diocese, \$5.00. Total, \$66.00.

General: General missions, \$7.00; other objects without the Diocese, \$20.50. Total, \$27.50.

Total expenditures for all purposes, \$868.50.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$4,000.00; rectory and grounds, \$1,800.00. Total value of all parish property, \$5,800.00.

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**MONETT.**
**ST. STEPHEN'S MISSION.**

Organized 1893.

Secretary, Mrs. John W. Bingham, Monett, Mo.

Treasurer, Mrs. John Bingham, Monett, Mo.

## PAROCHIAL STATISTICS.

Families, 10; souls, 33; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 26; communicants, male 3, female 16, total 19; number of communions made at Easter, 10; baptisms, 3; burials, 1; celebrations of the Holy Communion, public, 2; public services (exclusive of celebrations), about 28. Sunday School, number of teachers 3, scholars 21, total 24. Is there a church building? Yes. A Rectory? No. Amount of insurance on church and rectory, \$1,200.00. Is it paid in full? Yes. Who holds the title? Trustees Parochial Trust Fund. Salary: Amount paid to April 30, \$73.61.

## FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1910.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$73.61; permanent

improvements, painting of church, \$60.50; other expenses within the parish, \$44.96. Total, \$179.07.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$10.00; Bishop's purse, \$3.81. Total, \$13.81.

General: Domestic missions, \$2.48; foreign missions, \$2.16. Total, \$4.64.  
Total expenditures for all purposes, \$197.52.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$2,000.00. Total value of all parish property, \$2,000.00.

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## NEOSHO.

### ST. JOHN'S MISSION.

Organized June 28, 1889.

Missionary, C. A. Weed, Joplin, Mo.

Warden, W. F. Eves, Neosho, Mo.

Secretary, J. E. Rathell, Neosho, Mo.

Treasurer, F. N. Price, Neosho, Mo.

#### PAROCHIAL STATISTICS.

Families, 14; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 55; communicants, male 13, female 35, total 48; number of communions made at Easter, about 36; baptisms, infants 1, adults none, total 1; celebrations of the Holy Communion, public 14; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 97. Sunday School, number of teachers, 3; scholars 21, total 24. Is there a church building? Yes. Number of seats, free, 100; rented, none; assigned, none. A Rectory? No. Amount of insurance on church, \$1,200.00. Is it paid in full? Yes. Who holds title? Parochial Trust Fund. Salary: Amount promised by parish (mission), \$180.00; amount paid to April 30, in full.

#### FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1910.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$284.05. Total, \$284.05.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$15.00; diocesan missions (including S. S. Advent \$9.60), \$25.00; Bishop's purse, \$4.65. Total, \$44.65.

General: General missions (including S. S. Lenten \$15.08), \$32.48. Total, \$32.48.

Total expenditures for all purposes, \$361.18.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$2,100.00. Total value of all parish property, \$2,100.00.

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## ATCHISON COUNTY.

### ST. OSWALD CHURCH.

Organized 1891.

Missionary, E. W. Flower, 422 N. 16th St., St. Joseph, Mo.

Warden, Isaac Tyson, Skidmore, Mo., R. F. D.

Secretary, Miss Elizabeth Tyson, Skidmore, Mo., R. F. D.

Treasurer, William Bowness, Fairfax, Mo., R. F. D.

#### PAROCHIAL STATISTICS.

Families, 12; souls, 49; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 46; communicants, male 17, female 20, total 37; number of communions made at Easter, 25; confirmed, 1; burials, 1; celebrations of the Holy Communion, 26; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 25; sermons and addresses, 50. Sunday School, number of teachers 3, scholars 20, total 23. Is there a church building? Yes. Number of seats free, all. A rectory? No. Amount of insurance on church, \$1,700. Is it paid in full? Yes. Who holds title? Parochial Trust Fund. Salary: Amount promised by mission, \$300.00; amount paid to April 30, \$278.50; amount received from Diocesan Missionary Board, \$100.00.

#### FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1910.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$278.50; other expenses within the parish, \$23.66. Total, \$302.16.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$20.00; diocesan missions, \$10.00; disabled clergy fund (General Clergy Relief), \$6.72; Bishop's purse, \$9.52; other objects within the diocese (women's auxiliaries), \$1.25. Total, \$37.09.

General: General Missions, \$10.18. Total, \$10.18.

Total expenditures for all purposes, \$360.78.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$2,000.00. Total value of all parish property, \$2,000.

### PLATTSBURG.

#### ST. MARY'S CHURCH.

Organized 1874.

Missionary, S. E. Prentiss, Cameron.

Warden, Frank B. Ellis, Plattsburg.

Treasurer, F. B. Ellis, Plattsburg.

#### PAROCHIAL STATISTICS.

Families, 5; souls, 22; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 20; communicants, male 3, female 13, total 16; number of communions made at Easter, average number 7; baptisms, 2; burials, 1; celebrations of the Holy Communion, 2; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 10; sermons and addresses, 10. Is there a church building? Yes. Number of seats, 100, all free. A rectory? No. Salary: Amount promised by parish \$125.00; amount paid to April 30, \$31.75.

#### FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1910.

Parochial: Total, \$31.75.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$1,500.00.

Commenced work here October, 1909.

**ST. JOSEPH.****ST. LUKE'S MISSION.**

(Supplementary to Christ Church, St. Joseph.)

Organized November 2, 1906.

Curate in Charge, Giles Herbert Sharpley, 2307 Jule St.

Warden, A. K. Pickle, 124 E. Missouri Ave.

Secretary, DeForrest Walmsley, 209 Virginia Ave.

Treasurer, F. E. Vancil, 209 E. Missouri Ave.

Vestrymen: A. K. Pickle, J. T. Hendra, J. W. Vaughan, F. E. Vancil, DeF. Walmsley, P. P. Letts, Alex McIntosh.

**PAROCHIAL STATISTICS.**

Families, 33; souls, 89; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 58; communicants, male 19, female 22, total 41; number of communions made at Easter, 28; baptisms, infant 1; confirmed, 8; celebrations of the Holy Communion, public 14, in private 1, total 15; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 110, sermons and addresses 70. Sunday School, number of teachers 5, scholars 28, total 33.

**FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1910.**

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$335.20; permanent improvements, \$5.50. Total, \$340.70.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$15.00; Bishop's purse, \$11.28; other objects within the Diocese (St. Luke's Hospital), \$1.15. Total, \$27.43.

Total expenditures for all purposes, \$368.13.

Value of church property: Other property (Building Fund), \$201.94.

(a) Other expenses within the parish, \$8.39.

(b) Other objects within the Diocese (St. Luke's Hospital), \$1.15.

(c) Other objects without the Diocese (Infirm Clergy Fund), \$3.50.

(d) General Missions (Lenten Mite Boxes), \$5.45.

**ST. MATTHEWS' CHURCH.**

Organized 1885.

Missionary, E. W. Flower, 422 N. 16th St., St. Joseph, Mo.

Warden, Robert L. Scott, 2205 Sylvania St.

Secretary, Mrs. W. D. Hawkins, 1713 Angelique St.

Treasurer, Mrs. R. L. Scott, 2205 Sylvania St.

**PAROCHIAL STATISTICS.**

Families, 5; souls, 22; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 22; communicants, male 3, female 11, total 14; number of communions made at Easter, 9; baptisms, infants 1; burials, 6; celebrations of the Holy Communion, public 29, in private, none, total 29; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 105; sermons and addresses, 191. Is there a church building? Yes. Number of seats, 50, all free. A Rectory? No. Amount of insurance on church, \$600.00 Is it paid in

full? Yes. Who holds title? Parochial Trust Fund. Salary: Amount promised by mission, not fixed; amount paid to April 30, \$47.25; amount received from other sources (General Board Missions), \$300.00.

**FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1910.**

**Parochial:** Current expenses (including all salaries), \$64.25; permanent improvements, \$15.15; charity, \$2.00; other expenses within the parish, \$27.40. Total, \$108.80.

**Diocesan:** Diocesan assessment, \$6.00; diocesan missions, \$5.00; Disabled Clergy fund (Gen. Clergy Relief), \$1.55; Bishop's Purse, \$5.00;. Total, \$17.55.

**General:** General missions, \$5.00; other objects without the Diocese (a mission), \$1.00. Total, \$6.00.

Total expenditures for all purposes, \$137.55.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$1,000.00. Total value of all parish property, \$1,000.00.

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**TRENTON.**

**ST. PHILIP'S MISSION.**

Organized 1893.

**Missionary,** S. E. Prentiss, Cameron, Mo.

**Warden,** G. T. McGrath, Trenton, Mo.

**Secretary,** Dr. D. E. Archer, Trenton, Mo.

**Treasurer,** G. T. McGrath, Trenton, Mo.

**PAROCHIAL STATISTICS.**

Families, 15; souls, 35; number of baptized persons (infants and adult) in cure, 35; communicants, male 9, female 19, total 28; number of communions made at Easter (average number), 15; baptisms, infants 1, adults 4, total 5; confirmed, 4; celebrations of the Holy Communion, public 7; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 28; sermons and addresses, 28. Sunday School, number of teachers 3, scholars 25. Is there a church building? Yes. Number of seats, free, 125. A rectory? No. Amount of insurance on church, \$1,000.00. Is it paid in full? Yes. Who holds title? Parochial Trust Fund. Salary: Amount promised by mission, \$200.00; amount paid to April 30, \$116.66; amount received from Diocesan Missionary Board, \$112.50; amount received from other sources, \$50.00. General Board has paid \$100.00 for all points I cover, from October until May 1, 1910, half of which is reported here.

**FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1910.**

**Parochial:** Current expenses (including all salaries), \$116.66; permanent improvements, \$430.30; other expenses within the parish, \$35.00. Total, \$861.12.

**Diocesan:** Diocesan missions, \$5.00; Bishop's purse, \$3.41. Total, \$8.41.

**General:** General missions, \$5.00.

Total expenditures for all purposes, \$874.53.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$3,000.00. Total value of all parish property, \$3,000.00.

Indebtedness on church property: Indebtedness on church (bonded) \$397.00.

Amount paid on bonded debt during the year, \$97.00.

Commenced work here October 1, 1909.

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## UTICA.

### TRINITY CHURCH.

Organized 1873.

Missionary, A. M. Griffin, Chillicothe.

Warden, Geo. Rice.

Secretary, E. J. Miller, Utica.

Treasurer, Geo. Rice, Utica.

#### PAROCHIAL STATISTICS.

Families, 4; souls, 6; communicants, male 2, female 3, total 5; celebrations of the Holy Communion, public 1; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 4; sermons and addresses, 4. Is there a church building? Yes. Number of seats, free, 122. Amount of insurance on church \$1,000.00. Is it paid in full? Yes. Who holds title? Bishop. Salary: Amount received from Diocesan Missionary Board, \$100.00.

#### FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1910.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$2,000.00.

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## WEBB CITY.

### ST PAUL'S MISSION.

Organized November 20, 1899.

Missionary, C. A. Weed, Joplin.

Warden, F. C. Wallower.

Secretary, J. E. Cobb, Globe Office, Webb City.

Treasurer, F. W. Kellogg, 404 N. Ball St.

Vestrymen: F. L. Forlow, W. Geo. Waring, P. H. Eastby, T. Frank Lennan.

#### PAROCHIAL STATISTICS.

Families, 25; souls, 80; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 38; communicants, male 10, female 13, total 23; number of communions made at Easter, 19; baptisms, infants 1, adults 1, total 2; confirmed, 9; burials, 2; celebrations of the Holy Communion, public 8; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 33; no regular service



until after January, 1910; sermons and addresses, 33. Sunday School, number of teachers 5, scholars 20. Is there a church building? Yes. Number of seats, free, 75. A rectory? No. Amount of insurance on church, \$400.00. Is it paid in full? Yes. Who holds title? Bishop. Salary: Amount promised by mission annually, \$200.00; amount paid to April 30th, since February 15, 1910, \$47.43.

#### FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1910.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$94.94; permanent improvements, \$95.28; charity (estimated), \$5.00. Total, \$155.61.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$18.00; diocesan missions, \$10.72; Bishop's purse (estimated), \$5.00. Total, \$33.72.

General: General missions (S. S. Lenten), \$3.25; domestic missions (Advent), \$3.42. Total, \$6.67.

Total expenditures for all purposes, \$196.00.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$1,500.00. Total value of all parish property, \$1,500.00.

Indebtedness on church property: Indebtedness on church (bonded), on lot, \$500.00; floating debt (sidewalk), \$80.00. Total indebtedness, \$580.00.

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### WEST PLAINS.

#### ALL SAINTS' CHURCH.

Organized 1889.

Missionary, Robert James Belt, West Plains, Box 503.

Warden, Wm. W. Mantz, West Plains.

Secretary, Joseph Knoerle, West Plains.

Treasurer, Wm. T. Gleerup, West Plains.

Vestrymen: Richard Miller, Charles A. Hovey, Charles Brown, Ralph H. Day.

#### PAROCHIAL STATISTICS.

Families, 13; souls, 91; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 81; communicants, male 13, female 34, total 47; number of communions made at Easter, 18; baptisms, infants 2, adults 5 (of which number one young man was baptized at Mountain Grove), total 6; confirmed, 6; celebrations of the Holy Communion, public 102; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 167; sermons and addresses, 163. Sunday School, number of teachers and officers, 5; scholars, 24; total, 29. Is there a church building? Yes. Seats free? Yes. A rectory? No. Amount of insurance on church, \$2,100.00. Is it paid in full? Yes. Salary: Amount promised by mission, \$420.00; amount paid to April 30th, \$20.00 (\$20.00 paid since April 30th. This will all be paid up promptly); amount received from Diocesan Missionary Board, \$200.00; amount received from other sources, \$205.00.

## FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1910.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries and repairs), \$506.43; permanent improvements (carpet from Guild), \$60.00; charity (com'n alms), \$14.54; other expenses within the parish (not including repairs), \$50.00. Total, \$630.97.

Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$40.00; diocesan missions, \$25.00; Bishop's purse, \$4.00; other objects within the Diocese (St. Luke's Hospital), \$3.50. Total, \$72.50.

General: General missions (Appt.), \$10.00; other objects without the Diocese (General Clergy Relief, General Clergy Fund), \$15.38. Total, \$25.38.

Total expenditures for all purposes, \$728.85.

Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$3,500.00. Total value of all parish property, \$3,500.00.

Unorganized Mission Reports

LIBERTY.

GRACE MISSION.

Missionary, Carl R. Taylor, 525 Kensington Ave., Kansas City, Mo.  
Secretary, Mrs. A. V. Clark, Liberty, Mo.  
Treasurer, Mrs. A. V. Clark, Liberty, Mo.

PAROCHIAL STATISTICS.

Families, 5; number of baptized persons (infant and adult) in cure, 20; communicants, male 2, female 5, total 7; number of communions made at Easter, 6; confirmed, 1; celebrations of the Holy Communion, public 3; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 83; sermons and addresses, 36. Is there a church building? Yes. Number of seats, free, 40. Amount of insurance on church, \$700.00. Is it paid in full? No. Who holds title? Carl Reed Taylor, Wynkoop Kiersted, Trustees.

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1910.

Parochial: Current expenses (including all salaries), \$84.00; permanent improvements, \$175.00. Total, \$259.00.  
Diocesan: Diocesan assessment, \$5.00; Bishop's purse, \$5.80. Total, \$10.80.  
Value of church property: Church and grounds, \$1,500.00.  
Indebtedness on church property: Indebtedness on church (bonded), \$800.00; floating debt, \$74.50. Total indebtedness, \$874.50.  
Amount paid on bonded debt during the year, \$862.20.

KANSAS CITY.

ST. SIMON, THE CYRENIAN.

(North End Mission, Kansas City, Mo.)  
(Unorganized.)

Missionary, E. S. Willett.  
Number of communicants, 2; baptized persons, 10; souls, 30; number of services, 36; sessions of Sunday School, 50; Sunday School pupils, 28; teachers 2, total 30. No church, no rectory, no salary paid to missionary.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Received from Diocesan Board of Missions for expenses.....\$180.00  
Received from other sources..... 30.45

Received from offerings..... 5.10

Total. . . . . \$215.55

Paid out—

Rent. . . . . \$144.00

Furniture. . . . . 12.00

Fuel. . . . . 12.00

Literature. . . . . 4.80

Incidentals aside from above..... 24.00

Charity. . . . . 16.95

Total. . . . . \$212.75

Balance on hand..... 2.80

Balance on hand from last year..... 1.50

Total. . . . . \$ 4.30

### HOLY SPIRIT (Deaf Mute).

(Unorganized.)

Missionary, J. M. Koehler, 415 W. 13th St., Kansas City.

#### PAROCHIAL STATISTICS.

Communicants, male 11, female 10, total 21; number of communions made at Easter (including visitors), 22; baptisms, adults 1; confirmed, 4; marriages, 1; celebrations of the Holy Communion, public 6; public services (exclusive of celebrations), 23; sermons and addresses (including lectures), 36. Salary: Amount received from Diocesan Missionary Board, \$200.00.

The offerings of the people at services, lectures and individually amounted to \$55.88, which were applied to the traveling expenses of the Missionary in his work throughout the Diocese.

A Guild is forming to supply the place of the usual parochial organization, and it is proposed during the coming year to make offerings for the various canonical funds.

The services have been well attended. The average has been about thirty. As many as seventy-five have attended at a time. About 150 people in the city have come within the sphere of the Missionary's influence. A "Pastor's reception" on New Year's Day brought together about sixty people. It is proposed to make this an annual feature.

The Rev. Mr. J. H. Cloud visited the Mission twice during the year. He also officiated for the Missionary at Carthage and Webb City. At Carthage he baptized three infants. Other matters are touched on in the Missionary's annual report to the Council.

## Reports of Clergymen

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### OKLAHOMA CITY.

Oklahoma City, March 30, 1910.

Rt. Rev. E. R. Atwill, D.D.,  
3146 Main St.,  
Kansas City, Mo.

Dear Sir: Since leaving the Diocese, I have conducted services under direction of the Bishop of Oklahoma. There has never been more than a short interval between services, and although I have kept no record, I believe I have held nearly, if not quite, 300. I have assisted at the ordination of one deacon and four priests. I have performed the marriage ceremony at the weddings of four couples. I have baptized five persons and buried two. For six months I had charge of the colored mission in this city, till I was stopped by an attack of typhoid fever. Before and since that time I have held services at various churches throughout the state. I am

Very sincerely yours,

CHARLES FREDERIC CARSON, *Presbyter.*

212½ West First St.

### ST. LOUIS.

St. Louis, Mo., April 11, 1910.

My Dear Bishop: I officiated in Webb City and Carthage for the Rev. Mr. Koehler yesterday and as the Carthage Parish is vacant, I send you the following data for the proper record:

Infant baptisms by the Rev. J. H. Cloud, of St. Louis, at Grace Church, Sunday, April 10, 1910:

Josephine Wilson Phelps, born in Carthage, June 23, 1908; parents, William Howe Phelps, Laura Alice (Bigley); sponsors, Joseph Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. William Harlowe Phelps.

Howe Bigley Phelps, born in Carthage, December 29, 1909; parents, William Howe Phelps, Laura Alice (Bigley); sponsors, Hon. and Mrs. William Harlow Phelps, Joseph Wilson.

Victor Taylor Terry, born in Carthage, January 3, 1910; parents, Howard Leslie Terry, Alice (Taylor); sponsors, Mr. and Mrs. William Howe Phelps, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. John H. Terry.

The parents (fathers) of the infants baptized were former pupils of mine. The other children of the families were baptized by me. This is why the Rev. Mr. Koehler was not asked, I think.

Faithfully yours,

J. H. CLOUD.

## EXPERIENCES.

These are figures from last year's report.

## SMITHSONIAN

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# STATISTICAL

For further information see pages 77-111.

PARISHES.	BAPTISMS		Faster Communicants.	Communioners.	Souls.	Baptized Persons.	Families.	Pastor.	Church Stewards.	SUNDAY SCHOOL		Value of Church and Grounds.	CHURCH PROPERTY.				Total Indebtedness.
	Infants.	Adults.								Teachers.	Scholars.		Value of Church and Grounds.	Value of Other Property.	Debt on Church and Grounds.	Debt on Other Property.	
Boonville Christ Church	140	121	60	121	80	121	27	1	1	4	43	200	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 200.00	\$ 800.00	800.00
Brookfield Grace Church	140	85	115	115	74	85	34	1	1	4	24	173	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	700.00
Carthage St. Paul's Church	11	100	100	100	100	100	3	1	1	4	70	150	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	2,450.00
Carrollton St. Paul's Church	30	100	100	100	100	100	3	1	1	4	20	100	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	2,450.00
Chillicothe Grace Church	107	180	127	127	101	180	3	1	1	4	20	100	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	2,450.00
Fayette St. Mary's Church	25	180	127	127	101	180	3	1	1	4	20	100	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	2,450.00
Indianapolis St. Philip's Church	200	100	100	100	100	100	3	1	1	4	20	100	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	2,450.00
Joplin St. George's Church	200	100	100	100	100	100	3	1	1	4	20	100	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	2,450.00
Kansas City St. Mary's Church	200	100	100	100	100	100	3	1	1	4	20	100	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	2,450.00
Kansas City St. Mary's Church	200	100	100	100	100	100	3	1	1	4	20	100	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	2,450.00
Kansas City St. Paul's Church	200	100	100	100	100	100	3	1	1	4	20	100	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	2,450.00
Kansas City Trinity Church	200	100	100	100	100	100	3	1	1	4	20	100	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	2,450.00
Kennett Christ Church	200	100	100	100	100	100	3	1	1	4	20	100	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	2,450.00
Lexington St. Paul's Church	200	100	100	100	100	100	3	1	1	4	20	100	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	2,450.00
Marion All Saints Church	200	100	100	100	100	100	3	1	1	4	20	100	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	2,450.00
Maryland Hill Calvary Church	200	100	100	100	100	100	3	1	1	4	20	100	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	2,450.00
Neosho Christ Church	200	100	100	100	100	100	3	1	1	4	20	100	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	2,450.00
St. Joseph Holy Trinity Church	200	100	100	100	100	100	3	1	1	4	20	100	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	2,450.00
St. Joseph Holy Trinity Church	200	100	100	100	100	100	3	1	1	4	20	100	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	2,450.00
St. Joseph Holy Trinity Church	200	100	100	100	100	100	3	1	1	4	20	100	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	2,450.00
Springfield Christ Church	200	100	100	100	100	100	3	1	1	4	20	100	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	2,450.00
Springfield St. John's Church	200	100	100	100	100	100	3	1	1	4	20	100	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	2,450.00
Springfield Christ Church	200	100	100	100	100	100	3	1	1	4	20	100	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	2,450.00
Totals	2,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	\$ 1,000,000.00	\$ 1,000,000.00	\$ 1,000,000.00	\$ 1,000,000.00	\$ 1,000,000.00

\*These are figures from last year's report.





# FOOTINGS OF THE TWENTY ONE ANNUAL REPORTS.

	1900.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1900.	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.	1906.	1907.	1908.	1909.	1910.
Clergy.....	27	36	33	40	25	34	32	31	34	33	34	32	31	31	33	30	29	29
Parishes.....	24	26	26	27	27	27	27	26	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27
Organized Missions.....	28	30	34	32	28	28	25	24	24	24	30	28	11	11	31	30	31	31
Unorganized Missions.....	2	8	6	6	16	18	13	13	11	11	9	10	11	13	10	10	10	10
Souls.....	3,150	3,676	7,391	8,156	7,615	8,007	8,440	8,874	8,425	8,232	8,072	7,701	8,931	8,005	8,135	8,212	8,315	8,1
Communicants.....	1,192	2,444	3,073	3,871	3,497	3,827	4,087	4,401	4,898	4,903	4,973	4,927	5,064	5,031	5,072	5,183	5,271	5,2
S. S. Teachers.....	1,902	2,239	2,135	2,205	2,226	2,301	2,346	2,371	2,441	2,468	2,481	2,503	2,537	2,541	2,545	2,545	2,545	2,5
S. S. Scholars.....	*	*	5,278	6,105	6,047	5,690	5,277	4,981	5,040	5,040	3,498	4,240	3,987	4,085	4,536	3,657	3,817	4,2
Services.....	*	*	542	1,065	1,504	1,409	1,452	1,508	1,574	1,646	1,708	2,003	1,683	1,730	1,497	1,642	1,800	2,8
Communions.....	400	420	571	601	505	587	644	730	836	903	997	978	984	980	985	976	985	9
Baptisms.....	249	305	283	269	241	257	279	273	291	317	319	278	278	308	287	285	285	2
Marriages.....	196	187	180	184	188	207	211	221	221	221	211	211	211	211	211	211	211	1
Confirmations.....	120	118	130	139	108	92	109	121	123	131	147	191	154	164	157	170	180	1
Value of Property.....	*	\$450,152	\$488,005	\$44,725	\$41,675	\$40,815	\$42,700	\$45,147	\$48,950	\$47,575	\$49,004	\$48,125	\$45,549	\$49,071	\$49,838	\$52,239	\$51,533	\$52,872
Debits.....	*	\$100,921	\$100,278	\$117,769	\$137,500	\$127,382	\$8,413	\$6,413	\$4,082	\$4,082	\$9,050	\$5,080	\$4,080	\$2,577	\$7,005	\$13,316	\$8,579	\$107,502
Disbursements:																		
Parochial.....	\$38,837	77,638	60,230	58,915	55,074	57,641	65,420	50,585	59,240	57,390	78,835	60,151	63,057	111,514	78,648	73,085	78,240	133,972
Diocesan.....	5,004	4,088	6,071	7,171	5,128	5,844	6,608	6,444	7,758	7,276	8,083	8,309	8,091	9,034	9,446	9,858	11,046	12,676
Extra Diocesan.....	697	777	811	1,360	1,086	353	941	1,114	1,239	1,843	1,997	3,046	2,825	3,045	2,448	2,120	1,876	3,290

\*Not reported in 1900-01.  
\*Not fully reported.

APPENDIX NO. 1.

**Woman's Auxiliary**

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**OFFICERS OF THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY TO THE BOARD  
OF MISSIONS OF THE DIOCESE OF KANSAS CITY.**

**MRS. E. R. ATWILL.....President**  
**3146 Main Street, Kansas City.**

**VICE-PRESIDENTS.**

**MRS. THEODORE GOWDY, Kansas City.**  
**MRS. A. E. MARTIN, St. Joseph.**  
**MRS. C. C. EVANS, Sedalia.**  
**MRS. L. A. SMITH, Brookfield.**  
**MRS. C. A. WEED, Joplin.**  
**MISS MARY BRYAN, Springfield.**

**MRS. S. E. WOODSTOCK.....Recording Secretary**  
**2654 East Twenty-ninth Street, Kansas City.**

**MRS. A. A. MALONEY.....Assistant Recording Secretary**  
**3552 Broadway, Kansas City.**

**MISS GRACE WALDRON.....Corresponding Secretary**  
**3508 Baltimore Avenue, Kansas City.**

**MRS. DONALD F. MOSHER.....Treasurer**  
**3222 Central Street, Kansas City.**

**SPECIAL TREASURERS.**

**MRS. T. H. TURNER.....Mite Boxes**  
**1324 Lafayette Street, St. Joseph.**

**MRS. C. H. NEARING.....United Offering**  
**3554 Jefferson Street, Kansas City.**

**MRS. C. H. NEARING.....Little Helpers**  
**3554 Jefferson Street, Kansas City.**

The Twentieth Annual Meeting of the Kansas City Diocesan Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary will be held D. V., in St. Paul's Church, Kansas City, on Thursday, May 18, 1911.

## APPENDIX NO. 2.

Again we are called upon to record the presence of vacant chairs among us, the former occupants, the Rev. Jay C. Hathaway, rector of St. Paul's Church, Maryville, Mo., and Mr. Thomas B. Tomb, vestryman of Grace Church, Kansas City, having been transferred from the Church militant to the rest of Paradise.

The death of the Reverend Jay C. Hathaway, of Maryville, Mo., with all of its tragic and painful circumstances, is one of the saddest in the Diocese during the year. Mr. Hathaway, by the unanimous testimony of all who knew him, possessed a rare personality. He was a man of high ideals, optimistic, faithful in application and singularly devoted in his service to the Church and her children. His death was a shock and a sorrow to the whole Diocese as truly as to his most intimate and devoted friends.

Mr. Thomas B. Tomb, a vestryman of Grace Church and for many years interested in the advance work of the Church at large, departed this life after months of intermittant pain. Although at the time of his death he was not a resident of this Diocese, his heart seemed to have turned to the city which for many years had been his home, as is shown by his bequest of \$5,000.00 to St. Luke's Hospital. His life is marked by generous giving to every cause which commended itself to his judgment and sympathies. Unostentatiously he went about doing much good. His genial countenance, straightforward manner and warm heart ever held a large circle of friends close to him. His death is a distinct loss to the Church in this Diocese.

The Committee appointed by the Diocesan Council to set forth somewhat of the appreciation of the character and worth of these two splendid men, and to express something of its feeling of sorrow and loss at their death, desire to write upon the permanent records of the Diocese this slight expression of their appreciation and fraternal love.

May light perpetual shine upon them.

J. A. SCHAAD,  
J. D. RITCHEY,  
H. D. ASHLEY.

## APPENDIX NO. 3.

**REPORT OF THE BISHOP'S PURSE TO APRIL 30, 1910.**  
1909.

Balance on hand.....	\$ 244.69
June 1 St. Mary's, Kansas City.....	6.17
June 3 St. Paul's, Kansas City.....	40.00
June 6 Lamar. . . . .	2.00
June 6 Holy Trinity, St. Joseph.....	1.95
June 13 St. Oswald's.....	9.52
June 20 Carrollton. . . . .	7.31
June 21 St. George's, Kansas City.....	60.75
June 21 Mr. Gardiner Lathrop.....	25.00
June 21 Grace Church, Kansas City, S. S.....	5.00
June 21 Wm. Moses.....	100.00
September 26 Independence. . . . .	15.42
October 5 Richmond. . . . .	8.10
October 10 Carrollton. . . . .	7.90
October 12 Auxiliary. . . . .	118.88
October 14 St. Joseph Clericus.....	1.00
October 14 Annie E. Clarkson.....	5.00
October 19 Wm. Reddie.....	1.00
October 19 Auxiliary. . . . .	25.00
October 24 Brookfield. . . . .	6.00
November 14 Webb City. . . . .	6.35
November 14 Monett. . . . .	2.22
November 14 St. Matthias, St. Joseph.....	5.00
December 3 Harrisonville. . . . .	4.30
December 6 Auxiliary. . . . .	218.25
December 13 West Plains.....	4.00
December 14 Auxiliary from St. Paul's.....	75.00
December 22 St Augustine's, Kansas City.....	2.17
December 26 Liberty. . . . .	3.60

1910.

January 2 St. John's, Kansas City.....	8.33
January 7 Mr. Robert Swift.....	2.00
January 16 Warrensburg. . . . .	3.40
January 23 Lee's Summit.....	2.68
January 27 Auxiliary. . . . .	152.00
January 30 Maryville. . . . .	1.15
February 6 Pleasant Hill.....	3.50
February 9 Nevada. . . . .	1.65
February 13 Brookfield. . . . .	3.35
February 20 Carrollton. . . . .	5.33
February 27 Trenton . . . . .	3.41
February 27 Carrollton. . . . .	4.00
March 3 Harrisonville. . . . .	1.95

March 4 Butler. . . . .	1.70
March 6 Sedalia. . . . .	15.50
March 7 Versailles. . . . .	7.00
March 8 Boonville. . . . .	4.27
March 8 Lamar. . . . .	2.20
March 13 St. John's, Springfield. . . . .	7.50
March 14 Mountain Grove. . . . .	4.55
March 16 Clinton. . . . .	2.20
March 17 Nevada. . . . .	2.40
March 20 St. Mark's, Kansas City. . . . .	21.75
March 22 St. George's, Kansas City. . . . .	20.45
March 22 Christ Church, Springfield. . . . .	8.85
March 23 Webb City. . . . .	5.75
March 23 Carthage. . . . .	3.40
March 27 Monett. . . . .	1.40
March 28 Neosho. . . . .	4.40
April 1 Brunswick. . . . .	3.00
April 3 St. Matthias, St. Joseph. . . . .	5.00
April 3 St. Luke's, St. Joseph. . . . .	11.41
April 3 Christ Church, St. Joseph. . . . .	25.21
April 4 Holy Trinity, St. Joseph. . . . .	3.51
April 4 Carrollton. . . . .	5.00
April 5 Auxiliary. . . . .	77.00
April 5 Cameron. . . . .	1.00
April 10 St. Mary's, Kansas City. . . . .	4.11
April 12 Auxiliary. . . . .	41.25
April 17 St. John's, Springfield. . . . .	7.10
April 17 Lebanon. . . . .	9.40
April 22 Marshall. . . . .	11.00
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	\$1,521.64

## DISBURSEMENTS.

Insurance. . . . .	\$ 19.00
Church repairs. . . . .	450.00
Stipends. . . . .	1,040.66
Special donations. . . . .	197.00
Literature. . . . .	63.00

APPENDIX NO. 4.

ASSESSMENTS FOR THE DIOCESE.

Parishes.

	ASSESSM'T.
Blackburn, Mediator.....	\$ 11.00
Boonville, Christ.....	88.00
Brookfield, Grace.....	75.00
Brunswick, St. Paul's.....	20.00
Carrollton, St. Paul's.....	22.00
Carthage, Grace.....	200.00
Chillicothe, Grace.....	160.00
Fayette, St. Mary's.....	12.00
Independence, Trinity.....	40.00
Joplin, St. Philip's.....	100.00
Kansas City—	
Grace.....	700.00
St. George's.....	400.00
St. Mark's.....	154.00
St. Mary's.....	300.00
St. Paul's.....	825.00
Trinity.....	375.00
Maryville, St. Paul's.....	20.00
Nevada, All Saints'.....	50.00
Pleasant Hill, Calvary.....	10.00
Sedalia, Calvary.....	165.00
Springfield—	
Christ.....	181.50
St. John's.....	137.50
St. Joseph—	
Christ.....	1,150.00
Holy Trinity.....	40.00
Warrensburg, Christ.....	60.50
Weston, St. John's.....	1.10
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	\$5,297.60

Missions.

	ASSESSM'T.
Amazonia, St. Matthew's.....	\$ 1.00
Butler, St. Mark's.....	5.00
Cameron, St. John's.....	20.00
Clinton, St. Paul's.....	30.00
East Sedalia, All Saints'.....	15.00
Fordland, St. Luke's.....	2.50
Hamilton, Trinity.....	2.50
Harrisonville, St. Peter's.....	20.00
Holden, Mt. Calvary.....	15.00
Kansas City—	
St. John's.....	80.00
St. Augustine's.....	50.00

Lamar, Trinity.....	10.00
Lee's Summit, St. Paul's.....	10.00
Lebanon, Trinity.....	30.00
Liberty, Grace.....	5.00
Marshall, Trinity.....	40.00
Monett, St. Stephen's.....	10.00
Mountain Grove, St. Mark's.....	10.00
Neosho, St. John's.....	15.00
Oswald, St. Oswald.....	20.00
Plattsburg, St. Mary's.....	10.00
Richmond, St. Paul's .....	5.00
Rich Hill, St. Luke's.....	5.00
Savannah, St. Mary's.....	10.00
St. Joseph, St. Matthias.....	6.00
Stanberry, Trinity.....	10.00
Trenton, St. Philip's.....	15.00
Utica, Trinity.....	5.00
Webb City, St. Paul's.....	18.00
West Plains, All Saints'.....	40.00
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	\$ 515.00
Total, Parishes. . . . .	\$5,297.60
Total, Missions. . . . .	515.00
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	\$5,812.60



## APPENDIX NO. 5.

Kansas City, Mo., June 13, 1910.

To the Rt. Rev. E. R. Atwill, D.D., Bishop of the Diocese of Kansas City.

The Committee on Finance, appointed at the last Diocesan Council, has examined the accounts of Mr. Walton H. Holmes, Treasurer of the Diocese of Kansas City; Mr. B. R. Clarke, Treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Fund, and finds everything in strict agreement with the reports of the Treasurers.

A. C. STOWELL,  
BENJAMIN B. LEE,  
W. A. REMFRY,  
*Committee.*

## APPENDIX NO. 6.

## REPORT OF THE REGISTRAR.

The Registrar has received the Journals of most of our Dioceses during the year. Accommodations are lacking for the books in the possession of the Diocese. They ought to be made more accessible than they are at present.

CARL R. TAYLOR, *Registrar.*

May, 1910.

## **Extracts from the Constitution of the Church in the Diocese of Kansas City**

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### **ARTICLE III.**

#### **Of Annual and Special Councils.**

SECTION 1. The Council of the Church of this Diocese shall annually assemble on the Tuesday after the second Sunday in May, at such place as shall have been appointed by the preceding Annual Council; but in case of the prevalence of infectious or epidemic disease at the appointed time and place of meeting, or for other sufficient cause, the ecclesiastical authority of the Diocese shall have power to change the time or place, or both, as the emergency may require; *provided*, that due notice of such change shall be given as long before the constitutional date as practicable under the circumstances, to every Clergyman and to the Warden of every Parish and Mission not under the charge of the Clergyman.

SEC. 2. Special meetings of the Council may be called by the ecclesiastical authority when, in the judgment thereof, the good of the Church requires it. The notice of a special meeting shall be issued, by letter or printed circular, to every Clergyman, and to every Vestry, and to the Warden of every Mission in the Diocese, at least thirty days before the time appointed for the meeting, and it shall state the business for which the Council is called. No business shall be transacted at any special Council beyond that mentioned in the call, unless by unanimous consent of the members present.

### **ARTICLE IV.**

#### **Of the Members of the Council.**

SECTION 1. The Council shall be composed of Clergymen and Laymen.

SEC. 2. Every Clergyman in regular standing who shall have been for six months actually and canonically resident in this Diocese shall be entitled to a seat and a vote in the Council; *provided*, that he shall have been admitted, and at the time of the Council shall be actually settled as Rector or Assistant Minister of some Parish in union with the Council, or shall be a Missionary under the direction of the Bishop, or ecclesiastical authority of the Diocese, or shall be engaged as an instructor in some seminary of learning under the auspices of the Church, or in some parochial school within the Diocese, or shall be a Chaplain in the Army or Navy of the United States. A Clergyman's canonical residence shall date from his ordination within the Diocese, or from the date

of the acceptance of his letter of transfer by the ecclesiastical authority of the Diocese.

SEC. 3. A Clergyman once entitled to a seat and a vote in the Council shall not be deprived of these privileges because disabled from the functions of his office by age or infirmity, or by being temporarily without charge; *provided*, that the latter reason shall not apply to a Clergyman exclusively engaged in secular work.

SEC. 4. Every Parish and Mission in union with the Council of this Diocese, having fifty communications or less, shall be entitled to be represented by one Lay Delegate, and also by one Lay Delegate for each additional fifty above the first fifty communicants; *provided*, that no Parish shall have more than five delegates, and *provided also*, that no Lay Delegate shall take his seat until his Parish has paid all assessments in full to the Treasurer, or unless such indebtedness has been remitted by the preceding Council; and the same provision shall apply to Lay Delegates from Missions.

SEC. 5. Lay Delegates shall be chosen for a Parish by the Vestry of a Parish, or if the Vestry fail to act, then by the congregation of the Parish, duly convened. Lay Delegates for a Mission shall be chosen by the congregation duly convened. The Lay Delegates chosen as above shall be male communicants of the Church, in good standing, and shall have been for six months next preceding stated worshipers in the Parish or Mission which they severally represent; they shall be canonically entitled to vote for Vestrymen; but no candidate for Holy Orders shall be admitted as a Lay Delegate to any Council.

## ARTICLE V.

### Divine Service at the Meeting of Councils.

The direction of Divine Service during the session of the Council shall rest with the Bishop alone. In the absence of the Bishop, all services shall be under the direction of the President of the Standing Committee.

## ARTICLE VI.

### Of the Presiding Officer.

SECTION 1. The Bishop of the Diocese shall be *ex officio* President of the Council. But in case of the absence of the Bishop at the time and place appointed for a Council, or any session thereof, or if there be no Bishop, the President of the Standing Committee, or other Clerical member thereof, shall call the Council to order, and if a quorum be found present, a President *pro tem.* shall be elected from among the Presbyters in attendance. If the President at any time leave the chair, he may appoint a Presbyter to preside in his stead.

SEC. 2. The presiding officer shall not join in debate, nor leave the chair for that purpose; but after debate on any motion or resolution shall have been closed, he shall have the right to express his opinion on the whole subject under consideration. The presiding officer shall be

entitled to but one vote on all subjects which may be considered by the Council; and he shall be excused from voting if he shall so desire.

## ARTICLE VII.

### Of the Secretary and Treasurer.

SECTION 1. The annual Council shall elect a Secretary and a Treasurer, whose duties shall be defined by Canon. If either of these officers be not a member of the Council, he shall, nevertheless, be entitled, *ex officio*, to all the privileges of membership except that of voting.

## ARTICLE VIII.

### Of the Transaction of Business.

SECTION 1. One-third of the Clergy entitled to seats in the Council, and Lay Delegates from one-fourth of the Parishes and Missions entitled to representation, when duly assembled, shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business; but a smaller number may adjourn from time to time.

SEC. 2. The Clergy and Laity shall deliberate in one body. Except when herein otherwise expressly provided, a majority of all the votes cast shall determine any question submitted to the Council.

SEC. 3. Any member may call for a vote by yeas and nays, and when such a call is made the Secretary shall call the roll of the Council, and the members shall thereupon announce their votes as their names are called. The votes so cast shall be recorded in the Journal, and no member shall be excused from voting unless by unanimous consent.

SEC. 4. If any five Clergymen, or if any five Laymen representing not less than three Parishes or Missions, shall demand a vote by Orders, the roll of the Clergy shall be called by the Secretary, and the members shall announce their votes as their names are called. Immediately on the completion of this call the roll of Parishes and Missions shall be called by the Secretary, and the Lay Delegates shall announce their votes as their names are called. A majority of the votes of each order shall be necessary to an affirmative decision.

SEC. 5. The Council shall have power to ordain and enact Canons of Discipline for the ecclesiastical government of all Parishes and Missions, Clergy and Laity of the Church within this Diocese—the Bishop alone excepted. But any constitutional provision, or any Canon of the Council which shall be or shall become inconsistent with the Constitution and Canons of General Convention, shall be void.

SEC. 6. Canons proposed for adoption by the Council shall be considered and passed upon, section by section, and a final vote by Orders shall then be taken on the Canons as a whole, unless such vote by Orders be unanimously dispensed with.

SEC. 7. The Rules of Order of any preceding Council shall remain in force until altered by the Council.

SEC. 8. No Constitutional provision, Canon or Resolution, touching the rights, privileges, dignities, duties or obligations of the Bishop of the

Diocese shall be of any force or effect, unless it shall have received the consent of the Bishop at the time of its adoption; and no such action of the Council shall be taken by the Council during any vacancy of the Episcopate.

## ARTICLE XI.

### Of the Standing Committee.

SECTION 1. The Council shall annually elect, by the concurrent ballot of both Orders, a Standing Committee, to consist of three Presbyters and three Laymen.

SEC. 2. The Clerical members of the Standing Committee must be entitled to seats in the Council of the Diocese, and the Lay members must be communicants in good standing, and actually resident in the Diocese.

SEC. 3. The Committee shall meet for organization before the adjournment of the Council at which they were elected, and shall choose a President from among the Clerical members, and a Secretary, either Clerical or Lay, and shall immediately report their organization to the Bishop.

SEC. 4. The records of the Standing Committee, and all papers in their official possession, shall be subject to the examination of the Bishop and the Council. A full report of their actions shall be made at each annual Council. Four members of the Committee (at least two of the four being Clergymen) shall be a quorum for the transaction of business. Vacancies occurring in the Committee may be filled by the remaining members.

SEC. 5. The Standing Committee shall be a council of advice to the Bishop. They shall be summoned by the Bishop whenever he shall desire their advice, and they may, of their own accord, advise the Bishop when they shall think it needful to do so. All the proceedings of the Standing Committee, when acting as a council of advice to the Bishop, shall be strictly confidential, unless the Bishop and the Committee shall otherwise determine.

SEC. 6. During any vacancy in the Episcopate, or in case of the Bishop's incapacity to act, or during the absence of the Bishop from the Diocese—if he shall so appoint—the Standing Committee shall be the ecclesiastical authority of the Diocese, and shall exercise the powers and duties to be performed by the Bishop in matters of discipline, except in those cases where such powers and duties may be specially delegated to, or enjoined upon the Clerical members of the said Committee; *provided*, that in the absence of the Bishop, or because of his inability to act, no sentence shall be pronounced upon a clergyman by any other than a Bishop whom the Standing Committee may call in for that purpose.

## ARTICLE XII.

### Of Deputies to the General Convention.

SECTION 1. At the annual Council next before each triennial meeting of the General Convention, four Presbyters, entitled to seats in the Council,

and four Laymen, communicants of this Diocese, and actually resident therein, shall be elected as Deputies to the General Convention for the next three years. The same number of Provisional Deputies, similarly qualified, shall also be elected.

SEC. 2. It shall be the duty of the Deputies elected to notify the Bishop at least one month before the meeting of the General Convention of their acceptance or declination of the appointment, and if any of the Deputies-elect shall fail so to do, or if any vacancies shall subsequently occur before the meeting of the General Convention, the Bishop, with the consent of the Standing Committee, shall appoint so many of the Provisional Deputies as shall be necessary for a full representation of the Diocese. If full representation cannot be had from the Provisional Deputies chosen by the Council, any other Clergyman or Lay Communicant, similarly qualified, may be appointed by the Bishop in their stead; and if a vacancy shall occur during a session of the General Convention, the Bishop may make appointments from the Clergy or Lay Communicants, similarly qualified, as may be required. In the absence of a Bishop the Standing Committee shall act herein.

SEC. 3. So far as practicable the Diocesan Council shall provide for the expenses of all deputies attending the General Convention.

SEC. 4. If any deputy to the General Convention shall receive money from the Diocese to meet his expenses, and shall fail to attend the full term of the meeting of the General Convention, except for personal sickness, he shall refund to the Treasurer of the Diocese for every day of his absence a sum that shall be equal to a sum obtained by dividing the whole amount so received by the number of days the General Convention shall remain in session, and the sum thus refunded may be paid to the Provisional Deputy who shall supply the place of the Deputy absent as above.

### ARTICLE XIII.

#### Of the Election of Officers.

The election of all officers provided for by this Constitution shall be by ballot, unless the same shall be unanimously dispensed with by the Council. In the event of a failure or neglect to elect at any Council, the person or persons already in office shall hold over until their successors shall have been duly elected. Whenever an election is by ballot, a majority of votes in each Order shall be necessary to elect.

### ARTICLE XV.

#### Of Assessments.

The Council shall have power to assess the Parishes and Missions in union with it for the necessary expenses of the Diocese. Assessments may be made either by canon or resolution.

## **Extracts from the Canons of the Church in the Diocese of Kansas City**

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### **CANON I.**

#### **Of a List of the Clergy.**

Within one week before the meeting of every Council of this Diocese, the ecclesiastical authority shall cause to be prepared a list of all Clergymen canonically resident in the Diocese, annexing the names of their respective Cures, Parishes, Missions, or of the institution of learning, or the occupation in which they are engaged, and in regard to such as are not engaged as above, their places of residence only, specifying at the same time who of any class are Deacons, and who are entitled to seats and votes in the Council. Clergymen while suspended from the Ministry shall be so designated on such list. Such list shall be laid before the Council immediately after it shall be called to order, and the names of the Clerical members shall be called therefrom, and those entitled by the Fourth Article of the Constitution shall thereupon take their seats. The same list shall be prefixed to the Journal and form a part thereof.

### **CANON II.**

#### **Evidence of Membership in the Council.**

SECTION 1. The evidence of the regular admission of a Clergyman into the Diocese, and the evidence of settlement in a Parish thereof, shall consist in proof satisfactory to the Council of a compliance with the Canons of this Diocese and of the General Convention in that behalf for the time being. In all cases of a contested right to a seat, the evidence of employment as a Missionary, or the connection of a Clergyman with a seminary of learning under the auspices of the Church, or with a Parochial school, or as a Chaplain in the Army or Navy of the United States shall be the certificate of the Bishop; or, in case a vacancy in the Episcopate, of the President of the Standing Committee.

SEC. 2. The Secretary of the Council shall furnish every Parish and Mission, through its Rector or Minister in charge (if there be one), otherwise through one of its Wardens, a duplicate form of said certificate, the same to be filled in and returned to him by mail not later than five days before the meeting of the Diocesan Council; and shall, from the same, make up his roll of Lay Delegates prior to said meeting, which roll (including the names both of principals and alternates) he shall call by towns and parishes in alphabetical order immediately after the roll of the Clergy; and shall thereupon report to the Chair whether or not a

Canonical quorum of both orders is present. The original certificates of election of Lay Delegates shall be given the Secretary when the Council convenes. No reference to the Committee on Credentials shall be necessary, except in the case of contested seats.

SEC. 3. It is hereby made the duty of all Parishes and Missions to provide for the expense of their Clergy in attending the Council.

### CANON III.

#### Of the Secretary of the Council.

SECTION 1. The Secretary shall be chosen upon the assembling of the annual Council, and remain in office until the organization of the next annual Council. His duty shall be to take minutes of the proceedings of the Council, to preserve its Journals and Records, to attest the public acts of the body and to faithfully deliver into the hands of his successor all books, pamphlets and papers relative to the concerns of the Council which may be in his possession. It shall be his duty to give the constitutional notice required for any special Council. He shall also transmit annually to each of the Bishops of this Church in the United States and to the Secretary of the last House of Deputies of the General Convention, and to the Secretary of every Diocesan Convention and Missionary Jurisdiction, a copy of the Journal of this Council. He shall also transmit a copy to each Clergyman in the Diocese, and to each delegate attending the Council, and to the secretary of each Vestry or Mission, and copies to each Parish and Mission in the Diocese as they may request.

SEC. 2. The Secretary shall transmit to every General Convention, in addition to the documents called for by its Canons, a certificate, to be signed by himself, containing a list of the Clergymen of this Diocese; and also a like certificate of the appointment of Deputies to the General Convention.

SEC. 3. Any expense incurred by a compliance with the sections of this Canon shall be paid out of the Diocesan fund.

SEC. 4. Immediately upon the close of each Council the Secretary shall transmit to every officer or committee of the Council, and to the Bishop of the Diocese, a certified copy of all the acts of the Council bearing upon the duties of such officer or committee, or upon the duties of the Bishop.

SEC. 5. At any annual or special Council the Secretary may appoint one or two persons as assistants, as he may desire, and who may or may not be members of the Council. But whenever, during a recess of the Council, there shall be a vacancy in the office of Secretary of the Council, the duties thereof shall devolve upon the Secretary of the Standing Committee.

SEC. 6. The Secretary shall receive such compensation for his services as the Council may determine.



**CANON XV.****Of the Suspension of a Parish or Mission From the Council**

**SECTION 1.** Whenever any Parish or Mission in union with the Council shall neglect for two years in succession to make an annual report, no Missionary report being made on its behalf, or shall not, during the same period, have been under the care of a Rector or Missionary, nor requested of the ecclesiastical authority to have the services of a Missionary, such Parish or Mission may be suspended from representation in the Council by a vote of two-thirds of each Order.

**SEC. 2.** Such Parish or Mission, however, may be reinstated upon application to the Council, accompanied by a report of its condition, and on terms imposed by the Council, the reinstatement to take effect upon the rising of the Council taking such action, unless unanimous consent be given for it to take effect at that Council.

**CANON XVIII.****Of the Committee on Finance.**

A Standing Committee on Finance shall be appointed at each regular meeting of the Council by the presiding officer to hold office until their successors are appointed. The committee shall consist of three Laymen and the Treasurer of the Diocese, and its duties shall be: *First*, To act and report upon the business that may be referred to it during the session of the Council. *Second*, To serve as a Board of Advice upon financial matters, as may be desired, to the Treasurer of the Diocese, to the Bishop, to the Standing Committee, and to the managers of the several trusts of the Diocese. *Third*, To audit before the date fixed for the annual meeting of the Council the reports of the various Treasurers, whose duty it is to report to the Council and to examine the balances and the value of the investments, and to report such recommendations as they may deem fit with reference thereto.

**CANON XIX.****Of Assessments.**

**SECTION 1.** Every Parish and Mission in the Diocese shall be annually assessed for Diocesan purposes, and the money obtained by such assessment shall be called the "Diocesan Fund."

**SEC. 2.** At each stated meeting of the Council a committee shall be appointed for the purpose of assessing upon the Parishes and Missions of this Diocese, severally, an amount to be paid by them for the support of the Episcopate, and to meet the contingent expenses of the Council and the Diocese.

**SEC. 3.** It is hereby made the duty of the Treasurer of the Diocese to notify the Warden or Parish Treasurer of every Parish and Mission ten days before the middle of each quarter that a fourth of such annual assessment will be due on such date, and to request prompt payment of

the same. If such quarterly payment be not received within five days after it shall be due, then the Treasurer shall, over his own signature, urgently request from the authorities of the delinquent Parish or Mission the prompt payment of their dues, and it shall be the duty of the Minister or person in charge of such Parish or Mission to read the second notice to the people upon the first occasion that they shall assemble for public worship after the notice shall have been received.

SEC. 4. The mode and basis of any or all assessments made by the Council upon the Parishes and Missions shall be determined each year by the committee, and reported to the Council with the assessment. But any Council may instruct the committee as to what shall be the mode and basis of the assessment for that year.

## CANON XXIX.

### Of Alterations and Amendments.

SECTION 1. No proposed alteration or amendment to the Canons of this Diocese shall be considered by the Council unless at least one day's previous notice thereof shall be given in open Council, or unless by unanimous consent such alteration or amendment shall have been referred to, and reported on, by a committee on Constitution and Canons.

SEC. 2. As the right of government is inherent in the Episcopal office the Bishop shall have the right of veto upon all Canons adopted by the Council.

SEC. 3. All Canonical enactments of this council shall take effect immediately on the rising the Council enacting.



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# General Clergy Relief Fund

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The REV. A. J. P. McCLURE, Treasurer

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The general and official society for the Pension and Relief of Clergy, Widows and Orphans, covering the whole Church. See Canon 53. The general convention recommends an annual offering from every church, and that a percentage of the Communion Alms be given to this fund. Remit to Treasurer, Alfred J. P. McClure, the Church House, 12th and Walnut Streets, Philadelphia, Pa.

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## Diocesan Committee for General Clergy Relief Fund

The Rev. Edward Henry Eckel	-	St. Joseph, Mo.
The Rev. Cyrus T. Brady, LL.D.	-	Kansas City, Mo.
Mr. W. A. Landis	- - -	St. Joseph, Mo.
Mr. Benjamin B. Lee	- - -	Kansas City, Mo.
Mr. Henry D. Ashley	- - -	Kansas City, Mo.

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# Canonical and Stated Offerings

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The following *must* be taken up by every Parish and Mission  
in Union with this Council. (*Canon XX, Sec. 1, 2*).

**Diocesan Assessment**        -        -        -        -        **Quarterly**  
WALTON H. HOLMES, Treas. Pioneer Trust Co., Kansas City

**Diocesan Missions**        -        -        -        -        **Quarterly**  
B. R. CLARKE, Treasurer Diocesan Missionary Board,  
United States Trust Co., Kansas City

**General Clergy Relief Fund**        -        -        -        **Christmas Day**  
REV. A. J. P. McCLURE, 12th and Walnut Sts., Philadelphia.

**Permanent Episcopal Fund**        -        -        **2nd Sunday in Lent**  
JAMES MACKENZIE, Treas., R. A. Long Bldg, Kansas City.

**Theological Education Fund**        -        -        -        **Trinity Sunday**  
WALTON H. HOLMES, Treas., Pioneer Trust Co., Kansas City

The following are recommended and by the terms of Canon 52  
of the General Convention, an offering for General  
Missions is Obligatory.

Prayer Book Distribution Society..... Whitsunday  
The REV. J. A. SCHAAD, Diocesan Commissioner, Kansas City

Domestic Missions ..... 1st Sunday in Advent  
Foreign Missions..... 2nd Sunday after Epiphany  
Missions to Colored people..... Quinquagesima Sunday  
Missions to Indians. .... 4th Sunday after Easter  
American Church Building Fund..... 22nd Sunday after Trinity

GEORGE GORDON KING, Treas., Church Mission House,  
281 Fourth Avenue, New York City

Missions to the Jews..... Good Friday  
WM. G. DAVIES, Treas., 68 East 7th St., New York City

Missions to Deaf Mutes..... 12th Sunday after Trinity  
REV. J. M. KOEHLER, 415 W. 13th St., Kansas City.

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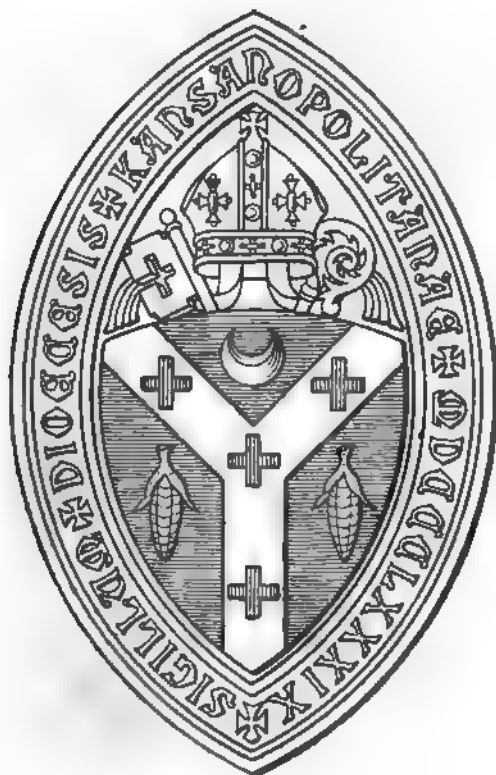
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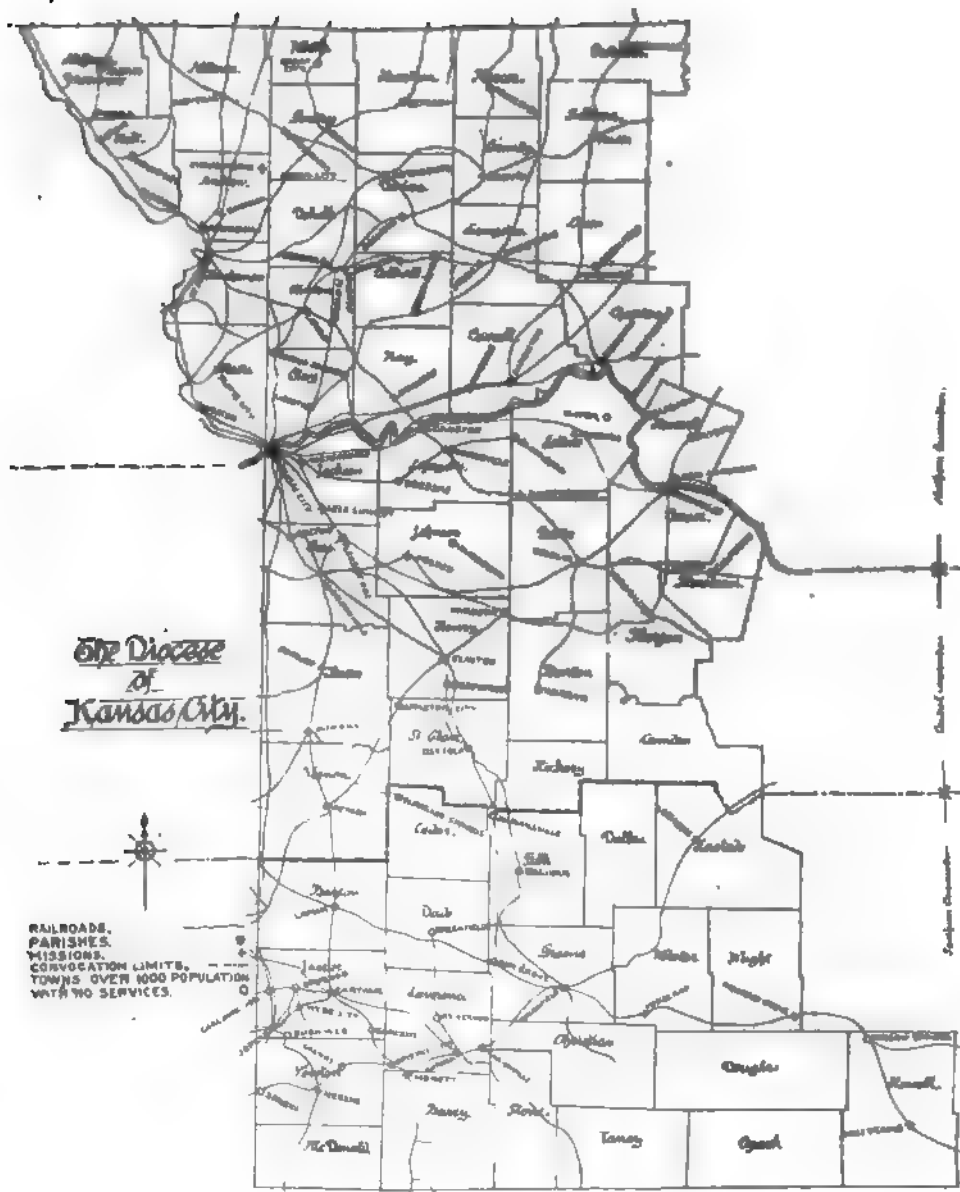




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KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI  
MARCH 7 AND 8, 1911

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**Day of Intercession for the Diocese  
Seventeenth Sunday after Trinity,  
October 8, 1911.**

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**The Twenty-Third Annual Council  
of the Church in the Diocese of Kan-  
sas City will meet, D. V., in Trinity  
Church, Kansas City, on Tuesday,  
May 14, A. D. 1912, at 10 o'clock a. m.**

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## List of the Clergy

IN THE ORDER OF THEIR CONTINUOUS RESIDENCE IN THE DIOCESE OF  
MISSOURI AND KANSAS CITY.

NAME	RECEIVED	FROM
The REV. J. STEWART-SMITH.....	Oct. 26, 1891.....	Chicago
The REV. CECIL P. WILSON.....	June 9, 1898.....	New York
The REV. EDWARD W. FLOWER.....	Sept 20, 1901.....	Albany
The REV. CHARLES A. WEED.....	Oct. 15, 1901.....	Nebraska
The REV. THOMAS G. HARPER*.....	Feb. 1, 1903.....	England
The REV. JEFFERSON D. RITCHEY, D.D.....	Feb. 18, 1905.....	Kansas
The REV. EDWARD H. ECKEL.....	Mar. 3, 1905.....	Harrisburg
The REV. C. R. STEARNS.....	Jan. 11, 1906.....	Southern Ohio
The REV. JULIUS A. SCHAAD.....	May 1, 1906.....	Michigan
The REV. ARTHUR M. GRIFFIN.....	Sept. 1, 1906.....	Salina
The REV. JAMES SENIOR.....	Sept. 15, 1906.....	Nebraska
The REV. CHARLES H. BOHN.....	Feb. 25, 1907.....	Iowa
The REV. ROBERT N. SPENCER.....	Feb. 25, 1907.....	Kansas
The REV. CARL REED TAYLOR.....	May 2, 1907.....	Duluth
The REV. EDWARD S. WILLETT.....	May 4, 1907.....	Springfield
The REV. DOUGLASS HENRY ATWILL.....	June 5, 1907.....	By ordination
The REV. FREDERICK C. O'MEARA.....	April 3, 1908.....	Marquette
The REV. ROBERT J. BELT.....	May 5, 1908.....	Springfield
The REV. WM. A. PEARMAN.....	Oct. 8, 1908.....	Southern, Ohio
The REV. GILES H. SHARPLEY.....	Nov. 4, 1908.....	Minnesota
The REV. CYRUS TOWNSEND BRADY, LL.D.....	Nov. 10, 1908.....	Ohio
The REV. FRANK F. BECKERMAN.....	Sept. 5, 1909.....	Iowa
The REV. EDWARD C. JOHNSON.....	Oct. 15, 1909.....	North Dakota
The REV. STEPHEN E. PRENTISS.....	Oct. 22, 1909.....	South Carolina
The REV. OSCAR HOMBERGER.....	Nov. 5, 1909.....	Arkansas
The REV. F. M. WEDDELL.....	Sept. 1, 1910.....	Missouri
The REV. JOHN BODEN.....	Sept. 24, 1910.....	By ordination
The REV. G. CHURCHILL RAFTER.....		W. New York

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## Official List of Clergy

HAVING A RIGHT TO SEAT AND VOTE IN THE SPECIAL COUNCIL OF THE  
DIOCESE OF KANSAS CITY, MARCH, 1911

### PRIESTS

The REV. DOUGLASS HENRY ATWILL, Rector, Calvary, Sedalia.

The REV. FRANK F. BECKERMANN, Rector, Christ Church, Springfield.

The REV. ROBERT J. BELT, Missionary, All Saints, West Plains.

The REV. CHARLES H. BOHN, Rector, Christ Church, Lexington; Missionary, Marshall.

The REV. CYRUS TOWNSEND BRADY, LL.D., Rector, St. George's, Kansas City.

The REV. EDWARD HENRY ECKEL, Rector, Christ Church, St. Joseph.

The REV. EDWARD W. FLOWER, Missionary, Oswald; St. Matthias, St. Joseph.

The REV. ARTHUR M. GRIFFIN, Rector, St. Mark's, Kansas City.

The REV. EDWARD C. JOHNSON, Archdeacon.

The REV. WILLIAM A. PEARMAN, Rector, Christ Church, Warrensburg.

The REV. STEPHEN E. PRENTISS, Missionary, Cameron, Trenton, Plattsburg.

The REV. JEFFERSON DAVIS RITCHEY, D. D., Rector, St. Paul's, Kansas City.

The REV. JAMES SENIOR, Missionary, Trinity, Lamar.

The REV. JULIUS A. SCHAAD, Rector, Grace Church, Kansas City.

The REV. GILES H. SHARPLEY, Missionary, St. Luke's, St. Joseph.

The REV. ROBERT N. SPENCER, Rector, Trinity, Kansas City.

The REV. J. STEWART-SMITH, Rector, St. Mary's, Kansas City.

The REV. CARL REED TAYLOR, Missionary, St. John's, Kansas City.  
Missionary at Liberty.

The REV. CHARLES ALBERT WEED, Rector, St. Philip's, Joplin; Missionary, Webb City.

The REV. F. M. WEDDELL, Rector, Grace Church, Carthage.

The REV. EDWARD S. WILLETT, Missionary, St. Augustine's, Kansas City.

### DEACON

REV OSCAR HOMBURGER, Minister-in-Charge, Independence, Pleasant Hill.

### CANONICALLY RESIDENT LESS THAN SIX MONTHS.

### DEACON

The REV. JOHN BODEN, Minister-in-Charge, All Saint's, Nevada.

### PRIEST

The REV. G. CHURCHILL RAFTER, Rector of St. John's, Springfield.

### NON-PAROCHIAL

The REV. F. C. O'MEARA

The REV. C. R. STEARNS

The REV. CECIL P. WILSON

The REV. THOMAS G. HARPER

J. STEWART SMITH,  
*President of the Standing Committee  
Diocese of Kansas City.*

## List of Lay Delegates

APPOINTED BY PARISHES AND MISSIONS TO THE SPECIAL COUNCIL HELD  
IN MARCH, 1911

### PARISHES

*Carthage*—GRACE: D. G. Wells, Charles Drake.

*Chillicothe*—GRACE: \*A. McVey, \*Reuben Barney. Alternate, J. F. Hawley.

*Fayette*—ST. MARY'S: John Talbot.

*Independence*—TRINITY: F. C. Florance. Alternate, M. S. Salisbury.

*Joplin*—ST. PHILIP'S: Hans Malin, Elmer Webster. Alternates, \*C. C. Spencer, \*A. B. Snyder, M.D.

*Kansas City*—GRACE: H. D. Ashley, B. D. Rowe, E. M. Clendening, W. C. Goffe, W. R. Jacques. Alternates, James MacKenzie. \*B. R. Clarke, \*B. C. Christopher, W. H. Chapman, \*W. H. Corse.

ST. GEORGE'S: A. C. Stowell, F. M. Hayward, J. Q. Watkins, J. V. Ellard, B. C. Howard. Alternates, W. A. Remfry, \*W. L. Richards, \*A. W. Peet, \*R. H. Alexander, \*W. Mendanhall.

ST. MARK'S: Meigs Bland, Wm. T. Hall, T. C. Bradley. Alternates, Ross Hawkins, A. D. Johnson, \*Alfred Hamlin.

ST. MARY'S: M. G. Harman, \*E. C. Hamill, A. P. Devereux, F. A. Smith. Alternates, F. H. Cutler, H. L. Jost, H. R. Schroeder, \*L. E. Crawford.

ST. PAUL'S: W. H. Holmes, E. H. Chapman, Gardiner Lathrop, \*John Fenelly, V. W. Gayle, M.D. Alternates, B. B. Lee, P. R. Toll, T. J. Brodnax, \*H. L. Arnold, \*H. A. Jones.

TRINITY: J. T. Harding, Albert White, C. H. Childs, W. M. Federman, Robt. Cary. Alternates, J. E. Long, \*H. H. Embry, \*Wm. Cooper, J. R. Gregg.

*Nevada*—ALL SAINT'S: Henry Kraft, Jr., Alternate, Robt. Gabrielson.

*Pleasant Hill*—CALVARY: John Holloway. Alternate, \*H. S. Prentice.

*St. Joseph*—CHRIST CHURCH: F. A. H. Garlich, Louis. T. Golding, Charles L. Holland, Lewis Motter, Horace Stringfellow. Alternates, F. E. Vancil, \*A. E. Martin, H. G. Buckingham, \*C. N. Willis, \*O. B. Knight.

*St. Joseph*—HOLY TRINITY: John Howe. Alternate, W. S. D. Lamont.

*Sedalia*—CALVARY: \*D. H. Smith, A. D. Stanley, J. W. Mellor. Alternate, E. W. Lamy.

*Springfield*—CHRIST CHURCH: James Blain, \*Harry Cooper, George H. McCann. Alternates, \*John Syfan, \*H. Z. Williams, \*Ernest Hudson,

*Springfield*—ST. JOHN'S: X. Hawkins, T. K. Bowman, Richard Lane, \*M. H. Coil. Alternates, \*Charles Peterson, \*J. E. Hicks, \*James Perkins. \*F. A. Cowper.

*Warrensburg*—CHRIST CHURCH: Charles A. Shepard.

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\*Not known to have been at Council.



## Missions

*Butler*—ST. MARK'S: H. M. Cannon.

*Cameron*—ST. JOHN'S. \*A. J. Althouse. Alternate, \*B. F. Clarke.

*Kansas City*—ST. AUGUSTINE'S: R. T. Coles, C. A. Jackson. Alternates, \*H. I. Cook, \*L. E. Bailer.

*St. JOHN'S*: B. J. Fradenburg, \*H. G. Algeo, F. C. Adams. Alternates, J. S. Warrick, J. M. Lee, C. E. Taylor.

*Neosho*—ST. JOHN'S. Wm. F. Eves.

*Oswald*—ST. OSWALD'S: Isaac Tyson.

*St. Joseph*—ST. MATTHIAS: Robert I. Scott.

*Trenton*—ST. PHILIP'S: G. T. McGarth.

*Webb City*—ST. PAUL'S: F. W. Kellogg. Alternate, \*F. C. Wallower.

*West Plains*—ALL SAINTS: \*Wm. W. Mantz.

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\*Not known to have been at Council.

## **NOTICE OF SPECIAL COUNCIL.**

**DIOCESE OF KANSAS CITY  
STANDING COMMITTEE'S OFFICE  
40th and Walnut**

### **IMPORTANT**

## **NOTICE OF SPECIAL COUNCIL**

The death of our beloved Bishop has rendered it necessary to convene a special meeting of the Council. You and all Clergymen, Vestries and Wardens are hereby notified that a special meeting of the Council will be convened at St. Paul's Church, 40th and Walnut Streets, Kansas City, Missouri, on Tuesday, the 7th day of March, 1911, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of electing a Bishop for this Diocese, making all necessary arrangements and provisions in connection therewith, and to transact such other business as may come regularly before the Council.

The work of the Council will be of grave import, and it is of the highest importance that a full representation from every Parish and Mission of the Diocese be present. We need their counsel and advice. Kindly see that your full number of delegates are elected and attend. All Parishes and Missions which were entitled to representation in our last annual Council are entitled to representation in the Special Council.

The following section provide the manner of electing delegates and the number to be elected:

**SEC. 4.** Every Parish and Mission in union with the Council of this Diocese having fifty communicants or less shall be entitled to be represented by one lay delegate, and also by one lay delegate for each additional fifty above the first fifty communicants, provided that no Parish shall have more than five delegates, and provided also, that no lay delegate shall take his seat until his Parish has paid all assessments in full to the Treasurer, or unless such indebtedness has been remitted by the preceding Council; and the same provision shall apply to lay delegates from Missions.

**SEC. 5.** Lay delegates shall be chosen for a Parish by the Vestry of a Parish, or if the Vestry fail to act, then by the congregation of the Parish, duly convened. The lay delegates for a Mission shall be chosen by the congregation, duly convened. The lay delegates chosen shall be made communicants of the church, in good standing; and shall have been for six months next preceding, stated worshippers in the Parish or Mission which they severally represent; they shall be canonically entitled to vote for

Vestrymen; but no candidate for Holy Orders shall be admitted as a lay delegate to any Council.

Attention is called to the requirements in the above canon. 1. Lay delegates must be elected to the Special Council. (So ruled by the Chancellor of the Diocese.) 2. No lay delegate shall take his seat until his Parish has paid all assessments in full to the Treasurer, (up to May 1, 1910) or unless such indebtedness was remitted at that Council.

Enclosed will be found credentials, both original and duplicate, for the listing of delegates to the Council. The duplicate credential must be mailed to the Secretary at least five days before the Council convenes. The original certificate is to be presented at the time of the meeting of the Council.

By order of the Standing Committee:

J. STEWART-SMITH,  
President of the Standing Committee.

Attest:

J. D. RITCHEY,  
Secretary of the Standing Committee.

Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 2, 1911.

## **Journal**

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### **FIRST DAY.**

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St. Paul's Church, Kansas City, Mo., March 7th, 1911.

This being the place and time appointed for the Special Council of the Diocese of Kansas City, called by the Standing Committee of the said Diocese to elect a successor to the Right Rev. Edward Robert Atwill, D.D., sometime Bishop of this Diocese, a number of Clergy and Laity assembled in St. Paul's Church, Kansas City, Mo., at 10:00 a. m. for Divine service.

The Holy Communion was celebrated by the Presiding Bishop, the Right Rev. Daniel S. Tuttle, D.D.

The Bishop preached the sermon, in which he emphasized the vitality and integrity of the American Church, and spoke most appreciatively of the many strong qualities of our late Diocesan.

2 P.M.

Council called to order by the President of the Standing Committee who offered prayers. The official call of the Standing Committee convening the Special Council was read by the Secretary.

The Secretary called the roll of clerical delegates and of Parishes and Missions, together with the names of the delegates and alternate delegates entitled to vote.

Chair declared quorum present.

On motion of Mr. H. D. Ashley, seconded by the Rev. E. H. Eckel, the Rev J. Stewart-Smith, President of the Standing Committee was elected President pro tem of the Special Council.

The President of the Council reported the following order of business from the Standing Committee:

Your committee, to which was referred the preparation of an Order of Business for this Special Council, respectfully begs leave to report the following:

1. Religious Services: Tuesday, March 7th, at 10:00 a. m., Holy Eucharist and Memorial Sermon by the Presiding Bishop in St. Paul's Church

Wednesday, March 8th, at 9:00 a. m., Holy Eucharist in St. Paul's Church, with special intention and prayers for the Diocese, the Council, the Election, and the Bishop-elect.

2. Business sessions in St. Paul's Parish House on Tuesday at 2:00 p. m. and Wednesday at 10:30 a. m., with such recesses as the Council itself shall determine.

3. Order of Business:

1. Council called to order by President of the Standing Committee.
2. Roll-call of clergy.
3. Roll-call of lay delegates.
4. Election of President.
5. Appointment of Committees on Credentials, Order of Business, and Ways and Means.
6. Report, if any, of Committee on Credentials.
7. Report of Committee on Order of Business.
8. Report of Committee on Ways and Means.
9. Fixing the compensation of the new Bishop.
10. Miscellaneous Business.
11. Scripture Reading and Prayers, with or without remarks, at discretion, by the President.
12. Nomination for the Episcopate, whether in open house or with closed doors, as shall have been previously determined by the Council.
13. Executive session, for the consideration of nominees.
14. Prayers in the Church, and again at any time before taking a ballot, at the discretion of the President.
15. Balloting for Bishop, openly in the Church, with announcement of result of each ballot.
16. Upon announcement that a Bishop has been elected, the Council shall rise and sing the Gloria in Excelsis, after which the President shall bid the Council to thanksgiving and prayer.
17. Retirement of Council to Parish House.
18. Appointment of Committee to notify the Bishop-elect.
19. Signing the testimonials of the Bishop-elect.
20. Miscellaneous Business.
21. Adjournment.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

The REV. J. STEWART-SMITH.  
 The REV. EDWARD HENRY ECKEL.  
 The REV. J. D. RITCHEY.  
 MR. HORACE STRINGFELLOW.  
 MR. A. C. STOWELL.  
 MR. JOHN T. HARDING.

On motion by the Rev. Dr. Brady it was resolved that the Presiding Bishop be invited to a seat on the rostrum by the side of the President of the Council.

On motion it was resolved that a Committee on Ways and Means be constituted of two clergymen and three laymen. The

Chair appointed as such committee the Rev. E. H. Eckel, the Rev. J. A. Schaad, Mr. Gardiner Lathrop, Mr. Horace Stringfellow, and Mr. James Blain.

On motion the question of compensation for the new Bishop was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion a Committee on Credentials was appointed, consisting of Messrs. F. A. H. Garlich, F. W. Kellogg, and A. D. Stanley, to which committee credentials that were in question were submitted.

On motion a Press Committee was appointed, consisting of the Rev. G. C. Rafter and Mr. M. G. Harman.

The Committee on Credentials presented the following report:

*Resolved:* That as there seems to be some doubt as to former action on the admittance of St. Oswald's Mission to union with the Council, although said Mission believes that such action was promised, the action of the Credential Committee in admitting St. Oswald's delegate to the Diocesan Council be hereby approved.

FRED A. H. GARLICH.

F. W. KELLOGG.

A. D. STANLEY.

Committee on Credentials.

On motion the report was approved.

Committee on Ways and Means presented the following report:

"The fund for the Episcopate amounts to between \$14,000 and \$15,000. Report will be submitted by the Treasurer tomorrow.

"The fund for the Episcopal Residence amounts to about \$1000. Report will be submitted by the Treasurer tomorrow.

"We recommend that the salary of the Bishop be fixed at \$4000 per annum, and \$600 for traveling expenses."

On motion by the Rev. Dr. Brady it was resolved that the salary of the Bishop be fixed at \$3600 per annum, with \$600 for traveling expenses, and that a residence be provided. This amendment to the committee's report carried and the amended report adopted.

Nominations for the Episcopate now being in order, Mr. A. C. Stowell nominated the Right Rev. Sidney C. Partridge, D.D., Bishop of Kyoto, Japan. The Rev. J. Stewart-Smith seconded the nomination of Bishop Partridge.

Mr. Gardiner Lathrop nominated the Right Rev. Cameron Mann, D.D., Bishop of North Dakota.

Mr. J. T. Harding nominated the Rev. Robert Talbot, Rector of St. Paul's Church, Washington, D. C.

The Rev. R. J. Belt nominated the Rev. E. H. Eckel, Rector of Christ Church, St. Joseph.

The Rev. Dr. Brady seconded the nomination of Bishop Partridge.

Mr. Louis T. Golding seconded the nomination of the Rev. E. H. Eckel.

The Rev. Carl Reed Taylor seconded the nomination of Bishop Mann.

Mr. C. H. Childs seconded the nomination of the Rev. Robert Talbot.

On motion the Council adjourned until 8:30 p. m., to continue business.

8:30 P. M.

Mr. X. Hawkins nominated the Rev. Robert N. Spencer, Rector Trinity Church, Kansas City.

On motion by Mr. H. D. Ashley it was resolved that the Council do now adjourn until 10:00 a. m.

## SECOND DAY.

After celebration of the Holy Communion in St. Paul's Church at 9:00 a. m. by the Rev. J. Stewart-Smith, the Council re-convened at 10:00 a. m.

After roll call of clergy and laity, quorum was declared present.

The Rev. E. C. Johnson seconded the nomination of Bishop Mann.

On motion by Mr. M. G. Harman it was resolved that the Council do now go into executive session. Executive session adjourned.

Council resumed its session at 1:50 p. m.

On motion by Mr. A. C. Stowell it was resolved that the Council do now proceed to ballot.

On motion by the Rev. Dr. Ritchey it was resolved that the ballots be taken in the Council chamber instead of the Church as provided by the rules of order.

On motion by Mr. M. G. Harman it was resolved that only surname of nominees be written on the ballots deposited.

On motion it was resolved that two clergymen and one layman be appointed as tellers for the clerical vote, and that one

clergyman and two laymen be appointed as tellers for the lay vote.

In accordance with the said resolution the Chair appointed as tellers for the clerical vote the Rev. G. H. Sharpley, the Rev. D. H. Atwill, and Mr. F. M. Hayward; and as tellers for the lay vote Mr. B. J. Fradenburg, Mr. H. Malin, and the Rev. R. J. Belt.

FIRST BALLOT

The tellers for the clerical vote reported as follows:

Clerical Vote			
Partridge.....	13	Eckel.....	4
Mann.....	2	Spencer.....	1
Talbot.....	1	Schaad.....	1
Total.....			22

The tellers for the lay vote reported as follows:

Lay Vote			
Partridge.....	20	Mann.....	12
Talbot.....	9	Eckel.....	10
Spencer.....	4	Griffin.....	3
Beckerman.....	2		
Total.....			60

SECOND BALLOT

The tellers for the clerical vote reported as follows:

Clerical Vote			
Partridge.....	14	Mann.....	3
Talbot.....	1	Eckel.....	4
Total.....			22

The tellers for the lay vote reported as follows:

Lay Vote			
Partridge.....	27	Mann.....	16
Spencer.....	2	Eckel.....	10
Talbot.....	6		
Total.....			61

On motion by Mr. A. C. Stowell it was resolved that all offerings at the special Council be given to the Church Charity Association to be added to the endowment fund for the Bishop Atwill cot.

THIRD BALLOT

The tellers for the clerical vote reported as follows:

Clerical Vote			
Partridge.....	15	Mann.....	3
Talbot.....	1	Eckel.....	3
Total.....			22



The tellers for the lay vote reported as follows:

Lay Vote			
Partridge.....	28	Talbot.....	5
Mann.....	16	Eckel.....	12
Total.....			61

FOURTH BALLOT

The tellers for the clerical vote reported as follows:

Clerical Vote			
Partridge.....	15	Talbot.....	1
Mann.....	8	Eckel.....	3
Total.....			22

The tellers of the lay vote reported as follows:

Lay Vote			
Partridge.....	29	Talbot.....	3
Mann.....	19	Eckel.....	9
Total.....			60

FIFTH BALLOT

The tellers for the clerical vote reported as follows:

Clerical Vote			
Partridge.....	16	Eckel.....	3
Mann.....	3		
Total.....			22

The tellers for the lay vote reported as follows:

Lay Vote			
Partridge.....	32	Eckel.....	8
Mann.....	18	Talbot.....	3
Total.....			61

Mr. J. T. Harding, while reaffirming his fidelity and loyalty to the Rev. Robert Talbot, asked leave to withdraw his name from before the Council.

The Rev. E. H. Eckel urged those who were supporting him to vote for some one else, and expressed his appreciation of their support.

SIXTH BALLOT

The tellers for the clerical vote reported as follows:

Clerical Vote			
Partridge.....	16		
Mann.....	3		
Eckel.....	3		
Total.....			22

The tellers for the lay vote reported as follows:

*Lay Vote*

Partridge.....	34
Mann.....	22
Eckel .....	5
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Total.....	61

On motion of Mr. J. T. Harding it was resolved that the seventh ballot be taken in the body of St. Paul's Church, under such restrictions as the President might make.

Mr. Gardiner Lathrop, Mr. J. T. Harding, Mr. Louis T. Golding and Mr. H. D. Ashley addressed the Council in the order named. One and all urged harmony and asked for unanimity of support for him whom it seemed they were about to elect.

Bishop Tuttle again led us in prayer for Divine guidance, and the Council proceeded to cast its vote for the seventh ballot, placing them one by one upon the Altar as the roll was called.

SEVENTH BALLOT

The tellers for the clerical vote reported as follows:

Twenty-two votes, all of which were cast for Bishop Partridge.

The tellers for the lay vote reported as follows:

*Lay Vote*

Partridge.....	58
Mann.....	3
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Total.....	61

On motion by Mr. Gardiner Lathrop it was resolved that the rules be suspended and that the vote be declared unanimous.

Mr. J. T. Harding presented the following resolution: With a view of having every Parish of the Diocese represented in the next Council under the new regime: "Resolved, That the assessments of delinquent Parishes and Missions prior to May, 1910, be remitted." Seconded and carried.

On motion by Mr. A. C. Stowell it was resolved that the notification be cabled to the Bishop-elect, and be signed by the President of the Council.

On motion by Mr. J. M. Lee it was resolved that a committee of five be appointed by the Chair to notify by mail the Right Rev. Sidney C. Partridge of his election as Bishop of this Diocese, and that the Rev. Douglass H. Atwill be a member of

this committee. The Chair appointed as such a Committee of Notification the Rev. Cyrus Townsend Brady, LL.D., the Rev. E. H. Eckel, the Rev. D. H. Atwill, Mr. W. F. Eves, and Mr. H. D. Ashley.

Suggested form of cablegram:

BISHOP PARTRIDGE,  
Kyoto, Japan.

Unanimously elected Bishop Kansas City. Stipend, \$2600, House. \$600 traveling expenses. Acts, 16:9.

STEWART-SMITH, Pres.

On motion it was resolved that a committee of three be appointed, consisting of the Rev. J. Stewart-Smith, Mr. W. H. Holmes, and Mr. Gardiner Lathrop to draw suitable resolutions touching the death of the Right Rev. E. R. Atwill, D.D.

On motion by the Rev. Dr. Brady it was resolved that a Standing Committee be empowered to arrange for bringing the Bishop-elect and his family here, providing he accepts.

On motion by the Rev. Dr. Brady, it was resolved that a Committee of two clergy and three laymen be appointed by the Chair, on the question of an Episcopal residence, with view to acting in conjunction with the new Bishop to raise funds and to use funds so far as canonically and legally in Diocesan possession, building and constructing such house as the committee are instructed to supply.

The Chair appointed as Committee on Episcopal Residence the Rev. Cyrus Townsend Brady, LL.D., the Rev. E. H. Eckel, Mr. P. R. Toll, Mr. H. D. Ashley, and Mr. B. J. Fradenburg.

On motion by the Rev. J. A. Schaad it was resolved that the appreciation and thanks of the members of this Council be extended to the Rector, Wardens, and Vestrymen of St. Paul's Church for their courtesies during the Special Council, and to the Woman's Guild for their generous hospitality.

The Rev. E. H. Eckel moved that the gratitude and appreciation of this Council be extended to the Rev. J. Stewart-Smith by a rising vote, for the splendid and able manner in which he has presided over same. The motion carried unanimously and the President made a fitting reply.

On motion by the Rev. Dr. Brady it was resolved that the Standing Committee be allowed to change the date of the Annual Council if they deem it wise.

On motion by Mr. A. C. Stowell it was resolved that the proceedings of this Special Council be preserved and bound with the next Annual Journal.

Mr. J. E. Long moved that a standing vote of thanks be extended to the Right Rev. Daniel S. Tuttle, D.D., Presiding Bishop of the American Church for his presence and services throughout the sessions of the Council. Motion carried unanimously.

On motion it was resolved that the Council pay \$5.00 to the janitor of St. Paul's Church for services rendered.

At 5:30 p. m. the Council adjourned without day.

J. STEWART-SMITH,

Attest:

President.

CARL REED TAYLOR,  
Secretary.



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AND OF ADMISSION TO THE DIOCESE OF MISSOURI  
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Place	Parish	Formed	Admitted
Blackburn.....	*CHURCH OF THE MEDIATOR.....	1856	1880
Boonville.....	CHRIST CHURCH.....	1885	1840
Brookfield.....	GRACE.....	1874	1884
Brunswick.....	†ST. PAUL'S.....	1851	1852
Carrollton.....	ST. PAUL'S.....	1872	1878
Carthage.....	GRACE.....	1869	1870
Chillicothe.....	GRACE.....	1858	1859
Fayette.....	ST. MARY'S.....	1886	1847
Independence.....	TRINITY.....	1844	1855
Joplin.....	ST. PHILIP'S.....	1874	1891
Kansas City.....	‡GRACE.....	1870	1871
Kansas City.....	ST. GEORGE'S.....	1891	1891
Kansas City.....	ST. MARK'S.....	1889	1889
Kansas City.....	+ST. MARY'S.....	1857	1858
Kansas City.....	ST. PAUL'S.....	1889	1891
Kansas City.....	TRINITY.....	1883	1883
Lexington.....	CHRIST CHURCH.....	1842	1846
Maryville.....	ST. PAUL'S.....	1857	1878
Nevada.....	ALL SAINTS'.....	1866	1870
Pleasant Hill.....	CALVARY.....	1868	1868
St. Joseph.....	CHRIST CHURCH.....	1851	1852
St. Joseph.....	HOLY TRINITY.....	1869	1870
Sedalia.....	CALVARY.....	1868	1872
Springfield.....	CHRIST CHURCH.....	1859	1860
Springfield.....	ST. JOHN'S.....	1886	1886
Warrensburg.....	CHRIST CHURCH.....	1859	1868
Weston.....	ST. JOHN'S.....	1851	1852

Number of Parishes in the Diocese, 27.

\*Name changed from "St. Thomas' " to "Mediator" in 1880.

†Name changed from "St. Ann's" to "St. Paul's" in 1870.

‡Name changed from "St. Paul's" to "Grace" in 1873.

+Name changed from "St. Luke's" to "St. Mary's" in 1879.

## Organized Missions

WITH DATES OF ORIGINAL FORMATION.

Place	Mission	Organized
Amazonia .....	ST. MATTHEW'S .....	1875
*Aurora .....	TRINITY .....	1890
Butler .....	ST. MARK'S .....	1875
Cameron .....	ST. JOHN'S .....	1869
†Clinton .....	ST. PAUL'S .....	1886
*Excelsior Springs .....	ST. LUKE'S .....	1905
Hamilton .....	TRINITY .....	1870
Harrisonville .....	ST. PETER'S .....	1871
Holden .....	MOUNT CALVARY .....	1887
Kansas City .....	ST. AUGUSTINE'S .....	1882
Kansas City .....	ST. JOHN'S .....	1891
*†Lamar .....	TRINITY .....	1903
Lebanon .....	TRINITY .....	1872
Lee's Summit .....	ST. PAUL'S .....	1879
Marshall .....	TRINITY .....	1872
*Monett .....	ST. STEPHEN'S .....	1893
Mountain Grove .....	ST. MARK'S .....	1890
Neosho .....	ST. JOHN'S .....	1889
Oswald .....	ST. OSWALD'S .....	1891
Plattsburg .....	ST. MARY'S .....	1874
Rich Hill .....	ST. LUKE'S .....	1887
St. Joseph .....	ST. MATTHIAS' .....	1885
Savannah .....	ST. MARY'S .....	1855
Stanberry .....	TRINITY .....	1902
Sweet Springs .....	ST. JAMES' .....	1888
*†Trenton .....	ST. PHILIP'S .....	1893
Utica .....	TRINITY .....	1873
Webb City .....	ST. PAUL'S .....	1899
West Plains .....	ALL SAINTS' .....	1889

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\*Not in union with Council.

†First organized as "St. Matthew's".

‡First organized as "Church of the Advent".

||First organized as "St. John's".

\*†First organized as "Christ Church".

## Unorganized Missions

WITH DATES OF ORIGINAL FORMATION

Place	Mission	Organized
Fordland	ST. LUKE'S	1901
Higginsville	ST. ALBAN'S	1905
Kansas City	HOLY SPIRIT	
Kansas City	GRACE	1890
Kansas City	ST. SIMON THE CYRENIAN	1910
Lathrop		1903
Liberty	GRACE	1859
Milan		1903
Platte City	ST. THOMAS'	1851
Richmond	ST. PAUL'S	1891
Tipton	ST. GEORGE'S	1892
Versailles	TRINITY	1887



## In Memoriam

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WHEREAS it has pleased Almighty God to call to Himself  
His servant

The Right Reverend  
**Edward Robert Atwill, D. D.**  
Bishop of the Diocese of  
Kansas City

### BE IT RESOLVED

That the Diocese mourns his loss and bears its testimony to his high character and many virtues. For more than twenty years he faced its problems and its difficulties without a murmur and wore himself out in its service. In him we recognize an example of patience, humility, and devotion to duty worthy of our imitation.

Eternal Rest grant him O Lord and let light perpetual shine upon him.



# **In Memoriam**

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**The Reverend**  
**Silas Cook Walton**

**Rector of Christ Church**  
**Boonville, Mo.**

**Entered into Life**  
**May 25, 1910**

**"One that praised God and eschewed evil."**

## List of the Clergy

IN THE ORDER OF THEIR CONTINUOUS RESIDENCE IN THE DIOCESE  
OF KANSAS CITY.

THE RT. REV. SIDNEY CATLIN PARTRIDGE, D.D.  
Consent obtained April 21, 1911.

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THE REV. J. STEWART-SMITH.....	Oct. 26, 1891.....	Chicago
THE REV. CECIL P. WILSON.....	June 9, 1898.....	New York
THE REV. EDWARD W. FLOWER.....	Sept. 20, 1901.....	Albany
THE REV. CHARLES A. WEED.....	Oct. 15, 1901.....	Nebraska
THE REV. JEFFERSON D. RITCHEY, D.D.....	Feb. 18, 1905.....	Kansas
THE REV. EDWARD H. ECKEL.....	Mar. 3, 1905.....	Harrisburg
THE REV. C. R. STEARNS.....	Jan. 11, 1906.....	Southern Ohio
THE REV. JULIUS A. SCHAAD.....	May 1, 1906.....	Michigan
THE REV. ARTHUR M. GRIFFIN.....	Sept. 1, 1906.....	Salina
THE REV. JAMES SENIOR.....	Sept. 15, 1906.....	Nebraska
THE REV. CHARLES H. BOHN.....	Feb. 25, 1907.....	Iowa
THE REV. ROBERT N. SPENCER.....	Feb. 25, 1907.....	Kansas
THE REV. CARL REED TAYLOR.....	May 2, 1907.....	Duluth
THE REV. EDWARD S. WILLETT.....	May 4, 1907.....	Springfield
THE REV. DOUGLAS H. ATWILL.....	June 5, 1907.....	By ordination
THE REV. ROBERT J. BELT.....	May 5, 1908.....	Springfield
THE REV. WILLIAM A. PEARMAN.....	Oct. 8, 1908.....	Southern Ohio
THE REV. GILES H. SHARPLEY.....	Nov. 4, 1908.....	Minnesota
THE REV. CYRUS TOWNSEND BRADY, LL.D.....	Nov. 10, 1908.....	Ohio
THE REV. F. F. BECKERMAN.....	Sept. 5, 1909.....	Iowa
THE REV. EDWARD C. JOHNSON.....	Oct. 15, 1909.....	North Dakota
THE REV. OSCAR HOMBURGER.....	Nov. 15, 1909.....	Arkansas
THE REV. F. M. WEDDELL.....	Sept. 1, 1910.....	
THE REV. JOHN BODEN.....	Sept. 4, 1910.....	By ordination
THE REV. G. C. RAFTER.....	May 20, 1911.....	Western N. Y.
REV. THOMAS G. HARPER.....	Feb. 1, 1903.....	England

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(N. B.—Rev. T. G. Harper has returned to England and his name was dropped from List by Bp. Atwill, but it is still on the Official Record of the Diocese. It should probably be omitted. I know that he intended to resume his work in England which he gave up for a stated time to come to Kansas City.—J. S. S.)

## Official List of Clergy

HAVING A RIGHT TO SEAT AND VOTE IN THE TWENTY-SECOND ANNUAL  
COUNCIL OF THE DIOCESE OF KANSAS CITY.

### BISHOP

THE RIGHT REVEREND SIDNEY CATLIN PARTRIDGE, D. D.

### PRIESTS

- THE REV. DOUGLAS H. ATWILL, Rector, Calvary, Sedalia.  
 THE REV. FRANK F. BUCKERMAN, Rector, Christ Church, Springfield.  
 THE REV. ROBERT J. BUILT, Missionary, All Saints', West Plains.  
 THE REV. JOHN BODEN, Rector, All Saints', Nevada.  
 THE REV. CHARLES H. BOHN, Rector, Christ Church, Lexington; Missionary, Trinity, Marshall.  
 THE REV. CYRUS TOWNSEND BRADY, LL.D., Rector St. George's, Kansas City.  
 THE REV. EDWARD HENRY ECKEL, Rector, Christ Church, St. Joseph.  
 THE REV. EDWARD W. FLOWER, Missionary, St. Oswald's, Oswald; St. Matthias, St. Joseph.  
 THE REV. ARTHUR M. GRIFFIN, Rector, St. Mark's, Kansas City.  
 THE REV. EDWARD C. JOHNSON, Archdeacon.  
 THE REV. WILLIAM A. PEARMAN, Rector, Christ Church, Warrensburg.  
 THE REV. JEFFERSON D. RITCHIE, D.D., Rector, St. Paul's, Kansas City.  
 THE REV. JAMES SENIOR, Missionary, Trinity, Lamar.  
 THE REV. JULIUS A. SCHAAD, Rector, Grace, Kansas City.  
 THE REV. GILES H. SHARPLEY, Missionary, St. Luke's, St. Joseph.  
 THE REV. J. STEWART-SMITH, Rector, St. Mary's, Kansas City.  
 THE REV. ROBERT N. SPENCER, Rector, Trinity, Kansas City.  
 THE REV. CARL REED TAYLOR, Missionary, St. John's, Kansas City; Liberty.  
 THE REV. F. M. WEDDELL, Rector, Grace, Carthage.  
 THE REV. CHARLES A. WEED, Rector, St. Philip's, Joplin; Missionary, Webb City.  
 THE REV. EDWARD S. WILLETT, Missionary, St. Augustine's, Kansas City.

### DEACON

- THE REV. OSCAR HOMBURGER, Minister-in-Charge, Trinity, Independence, Calvary, Pleasant Hill.

### CANONICALLY RESIDENT LESS THAN SIX MONTHS.

(Not entitled to seat.)

### PRIEST

- THE REV. GEORGE C. RAFTER, Rector, St. John's, Springfield.

### NON-PAROCHIAL PRIESTS

THE REV. C. R. STEARNS.

THE REV. CECIL P. WILSON.

OFFICIATING IN DIOCESE BY PERMISSION

THE REV. DAVID E. JOHNSTONE, D.C.L., St. Paul's, Clinton; St. Peter's, Harrisonville.

THE REV. GIOVANNI MARCHELLO, Parrochia Italiana S. Giov. Battista, Kansas City.

CANDIDATE FOR PRIEST'S ORDERS

THE REV. OSCAR HOMBURGER.

CANDIDATE FOR DEACON'S ORDERS

HENRY ERVING BATCHELLER.

CANDIDATES FOR HOLY ORDERS

EDWARD HENRY ECKEL, JR.

WILLIAM SCOTT DOUGLAS LAMONT.

JOHN FREDERICK SLICHTER.

DUNCAN WEEKS.

LAY READERS

JOHN V. B. ELLARD, St. George's, Kansas City.

ALBERT C. STOWELL, St. George's, Kansas City.

BEN C. HOWARD, St. George's, Kansas City.

WILLIAM A. REMFRY, St. George's, Kansas City.

FREDERICK C. BROADWAY, St. George's, Kansas City.

SAMUEL W. RAVENAL, Christ Church, Boonville.

MAX E. SCHMIDT, Christ Church, Boonville.

CAPT. GEORGE T. IRVINE, Christ Church, Boonville.

RAYMOND KNOX, St. Augustine's, Kansas City.

J. E. COBB, St. Paul's, Webb City.

WILLIAM F. EVES, St. John's, Neosho.

WILLIAM CORSE, Grace Church, Kansas City.

CHARLES A. SHEPHERD, Christ Church, Warrensburg.

SUMMARY

Bishop 1, Priests 24, Deacon 1; Officiating by Permission 1; Total 27.	
Entitled to a seat and vote.....	23
Candidate for Priest's Orders .....	1
Candidate for Deacon's Orders .....	1
Candidates for Holy Orders .....	4
Lay Readers .....	13

## List of Lay Delegates

APPOINTED BY PARISHES AND MISSIONS TO THE TWENTIETH ANNUAL COUNCIL

### PARISHES:

*Boonville*—CHRIST CHURCH: Max E. Schmidt.

*Carrollton*—ST. PAUL'S: H. M. Pettit; alternate, \*R. H. Wonin.

*Carthage*—GRACE: \*Col. W. K. Caffee, \*R. E. Frey; alternates, A. M. Drake, W. R. Moses.

*Independence*—TRINITY: M. S. Salisbury, F. C. Florance, Thos. Knight, Sr.; alternates, \*Paul P. White, \*Wm. H. Burgess, \*Robt. J. Gilbert.

*Kansas City*—GRACE: \*H. D. Ashley, E. M. Clendenning, B. R. Clarke, L. R. Moore, Jr., \*W. R. Jacques; alternates, W. M. Reid, \*E. P. Pratt, \*M. A. Foster.

ST. GEORGE'S: A. C. Stowell, F. M. Hayward, B. C. Howard, W. A. Remfry, J. V. Ellard; alternates, F. C. Broadway, \*J. Q. Watkins, \*Wm. Mendenhall, \*F. S. Ford, \*C. J. Stott.

ST. MARK'S: Timothy C. Bradley, Ross Hawkins, \*J. R. Duff.

ST. MARY'S: M. G. Harman, E. C. Hamill, F. H. Cutler, F. A. Smith; alternates, \*A. P. Devereaux, \*H. L. Jost, R. R. Schroeder, L. E. Crawford.

ST. PAUL'S: \*Walton H. Holmes, B. B. Lee, V. W. Gayle, H. L. Arnold, Edward George.

TRINITY: John Gosling, Albert White, J. E. Long, W. J. Edelen, J. B. Gregg; alternates, \*W. M. Federmann, F. B. Mertshimer, \*Dr. J. C. Howard, \*Wm. Cooper, \*J. C. Fuller.

*Nevada*—ALL SAINTS': \*Chas. O. Graves; alternate, \*Robt. Gabrielson.

*Pleasant Hill*—CALVARY: John Holloway.

*St. Joseph*—CHRIST CHURCH: Louis T. Golding, Horace Stringfellow, F. A. H. Garlich, \*Owen B. Knight, F. L. Edenbrock; alternates, \*Elliott S. Marshall, \*A. E. Martin, \*Chas. L. Holland, \*Louis Motter, \*Wm. R. Millan.

HOLY TRINITY: \*C. F. Horan; alternate, Frank Dowe Keys.

*Sedalia*—CALVARY: D. H. Smith, \*A. D. Stanley, \*J. W. Moller; Alternates, \*W. H. Schnare, \*E. W. Lamy, \*Wm. Maltby.

*Springfield*—CHRIST CHURCH: \*James Blain, \*Geo. H. McCann, \*Ernest Hudson; alternates \*H. Z. Williams, \*John Syfan, \*Samuel E. Austin.

ST. JOHN'S: \*E. L. Richardson, \*S. A. Dixon, \*T. R. Bowman, \*Richard Lane; alternates, \*Chas. Peterson, \*F. A. G. Cowper, \*Julius Siefert, \*J. L. Ormsbee.

*Warrensburg*—CHRIST CHURCH: \*Chas. A. Shepard; alternate, \*W. F. Tuttle.

\*Not known to have been at Council.

**MISSIONS.**

*Kansas City*—ST. JOHN'S: B. J. Fradenburg, Jay M. Lee, \*Chas. E. Taylor; alternates, \*J. S. Warrick, \*Hugh F. Hopcroft, \*Jno. E. Gornall.

*Neosho*—ST. JOHN'S: W. F. Eves.

*Oswald*—ST. OSWALD'S: Wm. Bowness.

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\*Not known to have been at Council.

## Convocations

### NORTHERN CONVOCATION.

THE REV. EDWARD HENRY ECKEL, Dean.  
St. Joseph.

#### CLERGY.

THE REV. EDWARD W. FLOWER.

THE REV. G. H. SHARPLEY.

#### THE COUNTIES OF

Atchison, Holt, Nodaway, Andrew, Worth, Gentry, DeKalb, Buchanan, Clinton, Platte, Clay, Ray, Caldwell, Daviess, *Harrison*, *Mercer*, Grundy, Livingston, Carroll, Chariton, Linn, *Sullivan*, *Putnam*, and Howard.

Note—Counties in *italics* are those in which no church work is being done.

Population	579,071
Area in square miles	12,617
Parishes	9
Organized Missions	12
Clergy	8
Unorganized Missions	7
Communicants (estimated)	1,164

CENTRAL CONVOCATION.

THE REV. J. D. RITCHEY, D.D., Dean.  
Kansas City.

CLERGY.

THE REV. C. H. BOHN.	THE REV. D. H. ATWILL.
THE REV. WM. A. PEARMAN.	THE REV. J. A. SCHAAD.
THE REV. R. N. SPENCER.	THE REV. C. R. TAYLOR.
THE REV. C. T. BRADY, LL.D.	THE REV. J. STEWART-SMITH.
THE REV. A. M. GRIFFIN.	THE REV. EDWARD S. WILLETT
THE REV. JOHN BODEN.	THE REV. OSCAR HOMBURGER.
THE REV. W. A. PEARMAN.	

THE COUNTIES OF

Jackson, Cass, Bates, Lafayette, Johnson, Henry, *St. Clair*, Saline, Pettis, *Benton*, *Hickory*, Cooper, Moniteau, Morgan, *Camden*.

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Note—Counties in *italics* are those in which no church work is being done.

Population .....	496,955
Area in square miles.....	10,813
Parishes.....	13
Organized Missions .....	12
Unorganized Missions.....	5
Clergy.....	14
Communicants (estimated).....	2,832



## SOUTHARN CONVOCATION.

THE REV. CHARLES A. WEED, Dean.  
Joplin.

## CLERGY.

THE REV. JAMES SENIOR.                      THE REV. R. J. BELT.  
THE REV. F. M. WEDDELL.                      THE REV. FRANK F. BECKERMAN.  
THE REV. G. C. RAFTER.

## THE COUNTIES OF

Vernon, Barton, Jasper, Newton, *McDonald, Cedar, Dade*, Lawrence,  
*Barry, Polk, Greene, Christian, Stone, Taney, Dallas, Webster, Douglas,*  
*Osark, Laclede, Wright, and Howell.*

Note—Counties in *italics* are those in which no church work is being done.

Population	467,798
Area in square miles.	13,076
Parishes.	5
Organized Missions	7
Unorganized Missions	5
Clergy.....	6
Communicants (estimated)	1,065

## Rules of Order

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1. When the President takes the Chair, no member shall continue standing, or shall afterwards stand up, unless to address the Chair.

2. When the President shall have taken the Chair, the minutes of the preceding day shall be read.

3. Immediately after organization of the Council, the following Standing Committees shall be appointed, viz.:

- (1) On the Admission of New Parishes.
- (2) On Constitution and Canons.
- (3) On Unfinished Business.
- (4) On Finance.
- (5) On Assessments.
- (6) On Missions.
- (7) On Christian Education.
- (8) On Sunday School Work.
- (9) On Missionaries' Traveling Expenses.
- (10) On the State of the Church.

4. All Committees shall be appointed by the President, unless otherwise ordered.

5. All resolutions shall be reduced to writing, presented to the Secretary, and by him read; and a motion shall not be considered before the house until recorded.

6. When any member is about to speak, or deliver any matter to the house, he shall, with due respect, address himself to the President, confining himself strictly to the point in debate.

7. A member shall not absent himself from the services of the house unless he have leave or be unable to attend.

8. A member, other than the Chairman of a Committee, whose report is under consideration, shall not speak more than twice in the same debate, nor longer than ten minutes at a time, without leave of the house.

9. Any member of the house may call for a vote by ayes and nays.

10. When a question has once been determined, it shall stand as the judgement of the house, and shall not be again drawn into debate, except on motion for reconsideration, which must be made by a member who had previously voted in the majority, and all motions to reconsideration must be made on the day vote is taken or on the next succeeding day.

11. When a question is under consideration, a motion shall not be received, except to lay on the table, to postpone it until a certain time, to postpone indefinitely, to commit it, to divide it or amend it; and motions for any of these purposes shall have precedence in the order herein named. If a motion to lay an amendment on the table be carried, the matter before the house shall be proceeded with as if no such amendment has been offered. The motions to lay on the table and adjourn shall be decided without debate. The motion to adjourn shall always be in order.

12. Debate shall not be allowed upon a resolution to refer any motion to a Committee, or to a motion to recommit any subject which has been before a Committee, but the member who offers such resolution or motion may speak for five minutes for the purpose of explaining its object.

13. All amendments may be considered in the reverse order in which they are moved. When a proposed amendment is under consideration a motion to amend the same may be made. An after amendment to such second amendment shall not be in order, but when an amendment to an amendment is under consideration, a substitute to the whole may be received. A proposition, different from the one under consideration, shall not be received under color of an amendment or substitute.

14. Every member who may be in the house when any question is put, shall, on a division, be counted, unless he be excused by the Council.

15. All questions of order shall be decided in the first instance by the Chair, without debate; an appeal, however, may be made from his decision to the Council by any member of the same.

16. The Secretary may employ one or more Pages, not exceeding three, to act as messengers during the sessions of the Council.

17. The reports of all Committees shall be in writing, and shall be received, of course, and without motion for acceptance, unless recommitted by vote of the house. All reports recommending or requiring any action or expression of opinion by the house, shall be accompanied by a resolution for the action of the house therein.

18. The names of movers of resolutions shall appear upon the minutes of the Council.

The following Order of Business shall be observed:

10 A. M.—Holy Eucharist and Bishop's Address.

- (1) Roll call of Clergy.
- (2) Roll call of lay delegates.
- (3) Election of Secretary.
- (4) Appointment of Standing Committees.
- (5) Report of Committee on Credentials of lay delegates.
- (6) Resolutions pertaining to Bishop's Address.
- (7) Report of Committee on Assessment.
- (8) Report of Standing Committee.
- (9) Election of Standing Committee.
- (10) Election of Deputies to General Convention.
- (11) Election of Missionary Board.
- (12) Other Elections.
  - (a) Of Treasurer of the Diocese.
  - (b) Of Chancellor.
  - (c) Of Registrar.
  - (d) Of Trustees of Permanent Episcopal Fund.
  - (e) Of Theological Education Fund.
  - (f) Of Trustees of Disabled Clergy Fund.
  - (g) To fill vacancies.
- (13) Report of Treasurer of Diocese.
- (14) Report of Treasurer of Missionary Board.
- (15) Pledges for Missions.
- (16) Reports of Treasurers of various funds.

- (17) Reports of Trustees of various funds.
    - (a) Of Permanent Episcopal Fund.
    - (b) Of Theological Education Fund.
    - (c) Of Disabled Clergy Fund.
    - (d) Of Parochial Trust Fund.
    - (e) Of various funds.
  - (18) Reports of Committees appointed at previous Council and Resolutions pertaining to same.
  - (19) Reports of Special Committees and Resolutions pertaining to same.
  - (20) Reports of Standing Committees and action thereon.
  - (21) New Business.
  - (22) Fixing place of meeting of next Council.
19. The Rules of Order shall not be suspended, except by a two-thirds vote of the members present.

## Journal.

St. George's Church, Kansas City, Missouri.

This being the time and place appointed by the Ecclesiastical authority of the Diocese for the meeting of the 22nd Annual Council of the Diocese of Kansas City, the Right Rev. Sidney Catlin Partridge, D.D., called the Council together in St. George's Church, Kansas City, Missouri, at 10 o'clock a. m., he having officiated at a celebration of the Holy Communion at an earlier hour as per program.

The Council was led in prayer by the Bishop. Secretary Taylor called the roll of clerical and lay delegates and a quorum was declared present.

On motion the rules were suspended and the Rev. Carl R. Taylor was named for Secretary and elected by acclamation. The Secretary appointed Mr. W. F. Eves as his assistant.

The Council now being duly organized, the Bishop presented the following nominations for Standing Committees:

### STANDING COMMITTEES

#### *On Admission of New Parishes*

Rev. R. N. Spencer

Mr. J. V. B. Ellard

#### *On Constitution and Canons*

Rev. E. H. Eckel

Mr. H. D. Ashley

Rev. J. A. Schaad

Mr. Jas. Blain

Rev. C. A. Weed

Mr. J. T. Harding

REV. C. T. BRADY

#### *On Unfinished Business*

Mr. Max E. Schmidt

Mr. Henry Kraft, Jr.

Mr. W. F. Eves

#### *On Finance*

Mr. A. C. Stowell

Mr. Ben B. Lee

Mr. H. L. Arnold

#### *On Assessments*

Mr. W. C. Goffe

Mr. A. C. Stowell

Mr. D. H. Smith

Mr. H. Stringfellow

Mr. H. L. Arnold

Mr. Albert White

Mr. E. C. Hamill

*On Missions*

Rev. E. C. Johnson

Rev. C. A. Weed

Dr. V. W. Gayle

*On Christian Education*

Rev. J. Stewart-Smith

Rev. C. H. Bohn

Rev. E. W. Flower

*On Sunday School Work*

Rev. D. H. Atwill

Mr. Ben C. Howard

*On Missionaries' Traveling Expenses*

Mr. J. E. Long

Mr. Jay M. Lee

*On The State of the Church*

Rev. J. D. Ritchey, D.D.

Rev. C. R. Taylor

Rev. F. M. Weddell

Rev. J. Stewart-Smith

Mr. T. C. Bradley

Mr. J. M. Lee

The matter of the adjustment of financial differences between Trinity Parish, Independence, and the Diocese, was, on motion, referred to the Committee on Finance.

The Committee on Credentials was asked to consider the matter of the representation of St. Mark's of Kansas City.

Christ Church, Springfield, was given representation in the Council upon paying the \$16.00 due from it as its share of the expenses of the delegates to the General Convention last year.

The Chair appointed the following Committee on Credentials:

F. M. HAYWARD.

FREDERICK A. SMITH.

E. M. CLENNING.

On motion, it was resolved that all questions relative to lay representation be referred to the Committee on Credentials.

The Rev. J. D. Ritchey, D.D., presented the following report for the Standing Committee:

# REPORT OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE OF THE DIOCESE OF KANSAS CITY

*To the Annual Council, June 28th, 1911:*

The Committee met, according to the requirements of the canon, immediately after its election, in the rooms of St. George's Church Parish House, May 4th, 1910, and organized by electing Rev. J. Stewart-Smith President,

and Rev. J. D. Ritchey Secretary. Since that time the Committee has held nine regular meetings, besides numerous other informal conferences of the whole or parts of the Committee.

During the year, Mr. John F. Schlichter, Mr. Edward Henry Eckel, Jr., and Mr. Wm. Scott Douglas Lamont have received the recommendation of the Committee to be received as Candidates for Holy Orders. Rev. John Boden received the recommendation of the Committee to be ordered Deacon, Sept. 19th, 1910, and was recommended for ordination to the Priesthood, May 4th, 1911. Consent was given to the Consecration of the Rev. Rogers Israel, D.D., to be Bishop of the just erected Diocese of Erie. Consent was also given to the Consecration of the Rev. Chas. Sumner Burche as Bishop Suffragan of the Diocese of New York.

The matter of special importance which has occupied the Standing Committee, has been the conduct of the affairs of the Diocese since the death of Bishop Atwill, which occurred Jan. 25th, 1911. On Jan. 10th, 1911, Bishop Atwill called the Standing Committee to a meeting at his residence, to consult with them as to the wisdom and feasibility of taking steps to procure a Bishop Coadjutor for the Diocese. The Committee advised that steps be taken at once to that end. While in co-operation with the Bishop, action was being taken toward this end, the Bishop suddenly died. After the burial of our esteemed Bishop, which was attended by three Bishops of adjacent Dioceses and as many of the clergy of the Diocese as could reach the city on the short notice of his sudden death, the Standing committee took up the duty of the administration of the Diocese during the interim, until a Bishop could be chosen and could take official charge of the Diocese. Resolutions expressing the respect and love of the Committee for the late Bishop, were passed and spread upon the minutes of the Committee, and a Memorial Pamphlet, containing the salient facts of Bishop Atwill's life and an appreciation of his personality and character, together with a sketch of his work and achievements in his twenty year's work in this Diocese, was compiled, by order of the Committee and printed.

The Committee decided that it was a matter of obligation to secure Episcopal leadership and supervision for the Diocese, as soon as possible. It, therefore, at its first meeting after the burial of the late Bishop, issued a call for the meeting of a special Council for the election of a Bishop, and such other business as might properly come before said Special Council, to be held in St. Paul's Church, Kansas City, Mo., March 7th, 1911. Meantime, the Rev. J. Stewart-Smith, President of the Standing Committee, was authorized by the Committee, to act as the Executive head of the Diocese in all matters, not requiring the corporate action of the Committee, until such a time as a Bishop could be chosen and be in active authority in the Diocese. Prayers for the guidance of the Holy Spirit in the choosing of a proper person for Bishop of this Diocese, were prepared by the President of the Standing Committee, and, by authority of the Committee, distributed to all the Parishes and Missions of the Diocese, and their faithful use urged. The Committee also ordered that a special service, in memory of the late Bishop, with a memorial sermon, to be preached by the Presiding Bishop of the Church, if possible, be appointed for the opening service of the Special Council.

On March the 7th, this memorial service was held in St. Paul's Church

and the sermon was preached by the Rt. Rev. Daniel S. Tuttle, D.D., LL.D., Presiding Bishop of the Church. After necessary preliminary matters, which are of record by the the Diocesan Secretary, were attended to, the Special Council proceeded to the election of a Bishop for the Diocese of Kansas City. After several ballots had been taken, and it was evident that an election was portending, the Special Council adjourned from the Parish House to the Church and, as each member of the Council was called upon to vote, he arose, went forward to the Altar, and solemnly placed his vote thereon. When the vote thus cast was counted, it was found that the Rt. Rev. Sidney Catlin Partridge, D.D., Missionary Bishop of Kyoto, had been unanimously elected Bishop of the Diocese of Kansas City. The Council arose, sang the Gloria in Excelsis and was dismissed by the Presiding Bishop.

The Bishop-elect was immediately notified of his election by a committee appointed for that purpose by the Special Council. His letter, accepting the election, was written April 18th, 1911, and received in due time. Meantime the Standing Committee had taken the steps required by canon to find the will of the Bishops and Standing Committees of the Church in regard to the matter. By May 18th, 1911, the express consent of a majority of all the Bishops and Standing Committees of the Church to the election and translation to the Diocese of Kansas City, of the Rt. Rev. Sidney Catlin Partridge, D.D., had been obtained and he was immediately notified and his election completed. He arrived in this Diocese the 18th day of June, just two months after his acceptance of his election and immediately took up the work to which God had called him and now presides at this Council.

The Committee, on March 22nd, 1911, decided to postpone the Annual Council, meeting regularly the second week in May of each year, until more definite knowledge could be had as to the time when Episcopal supervision could be had. Later, at a meeting on May 8th, when it was learned that the Bishop would reach Kansas City by June 18th, the time of the Annual Council was set, by order of the Committee, for June 28th, to be held in St. George's Church, Kansas City.

Other acts of the Standing Committee, since the Annual Council of 1910, are decisions in matters of ordinary detail in Diocesan affairs. Perhaps one such matter should, with propriety, be included in this report.

In one case a Parish Vestry claimed that money paid by them on the Diocesan assessment, to cancel a delinquency occurring before the Annual Council of 1910, and paid immediately before the Special Council of March 7th, 1911, in order to secure to that Parish seats and votes in said Special Council, should now, by virtue of a resolution of the Special Council, cancelling all delinquencies previous to the Annual Council of 1910, be applied to the payment of the assessment of the current year. The Committee decided that the claim was invalid and could not be allowed and so ordered.

It seemed to the Committee that, in view of the fact that the Diocese of Kansas City has brought about the first instance of a Bishop of a foreign jurisdiction being called to exercise his office in a domestic Diocese, it would be seemly that he be inducted into the work of that Diocese by a service of public Enthronement. Such service was, therefore arranged,



and, the Bishop graciously consenting thereto, was held in Grace Church, Kansas City, June 27th, 1911.

Other acts of the Standing Committee, since the Annual Council of 1910, are decisions and actions in matters of ordinary detail in Diocesan affairs.

Respectfully Submitted,

J. D. RITCHEY,  
*Secretary Standing Committee.*

The Rev. J. Stewart Smith, President of the Standing Committee, made his special report as President of that Committee:

## REPORT OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE

*To the Reverend Clergy and Laity of the Twenty-second Annual Council of the Diocese of Kansas City,*

**BRETHREN:**

At a meeting of the Standing Committee, held in Kansas City, January 27th, 1911, I was designated the Ecclesiastical Authority of the Diocese in all things not requiring the corporate action of said Committee. I herewith respectfully report, that in such capacity I have, Feb. 18, licensed the Rev. David E. Johnstone, D.C.L., Priest, to officiate at Clinton and Harrisonville until May 1, 1911.

*March 7.* Assisted at the Opening Services and called to order the Special Council, of which I was subsequently chosen President *pro tempore*, for the election of a Bishop.

*April 11.* Notified all Lay Readers in the Diocese that their Licenses expired, in accordance with the General Canon, at the close of the Council year, viz. May 1, 1911.

Received the resignation of the Rev. J. D. Ritchey, D.D., from the Board of Examining Chaplains, and accepted the same.

Appointed the Rev. Edward C. Johnson as Examining Chaplain.

*April 17.* Appointed the Mission Committee of St. John's, Kansas City, at the Request of the Missionary in charge.

*April 18.* Issued Lay Reader's Licenses at the request of the Rev. Cyrus Townsend Brady, LL.D., to John V. B. Ellard, Albert C. Stowell, Ben C. Howard, William A. Remfry, Frederick C. Broadway, under the direction of the Rector of St. George's, Church, Kansas City.

To S. W. Ravenal, Max E. Schmidt, and Capt. G. T. Irvine, for Christ Church, Boonville, Under the Archdeacon of the Diocese.

*April 21.* Notified Bishop Partridge by cable, that the requisite number of consents to his election had been obtained from the Bishops and Standing Committees.

*April 21.* Renewed the License of the Rev. David E. Johnstone, LL.D., to officiate at Clinton and Harrisonville, until April 30, 1912.

Issued Lay Reader's License to Raymond Knox, for St. Augustine's Mission, under the Rev. E. S. Willett, Missionary in charge.

Appointed Mission Committee for St. Augustine's Mission at the request of the Priest.

Issued Lay Reader's Licenses to J. E. Cobb, for Webb City, W. F.

Eves, for Neosho, under the Rev. Chas. A. Weed, Rector of St. Philip's Church, Joplin, and to William Corse, for Grace Church, Kansas City, under the Rev. J. A. Schaad, Rector, and C. A. Shepherd, Warrensburg, under the Rev. William A. Pearman.

*April 25.* Issued Letters Dimissory to the Rev. F. C. O'Meara, to the Diocese of Missouri, Accepted.

*April 27.* Issued Letters Dimissory to the Rev. S. E. Prentiss, to the Diocese of Dallas. Accepted.

*June 9.* Received notice from the Bishop of Nebraska that the Sentence of Deposition pronounced against the Rev. Walworth C. Cady, Deacon, April 11, 1908, was remitted and terminated.

*May 20.* Received Letter Demissory of the Rev. G. C. Rafter, Rector-elect of St. John's Church, Springfield, from the Bishop of Western New York. Accepted the same.

Consent has been given to the Administration of the Rite of Confirmation to:

Bishop Tuttle, at Calvary, Sedalia.

Bishop Millspaugh, at St. George's, Kansas City.

Christ Church, St. Joseph.

Bishop Griswold, St. Mary's, Kansas City, 15.

Trinity, Kansas City, 12.

St. Luke's, St. Joseph.

Bishop Fawcett, Grace, Kansas City, 19.

Also for the Ordination of the Rev. John Boden, Deacon, to the Priesthood, at Nevada, by Bishop Fawcett.

The sincere thanks of the Diocese is due to the above mentioned Bishops and also to Bishop Brooke, of Oklahoma, for his offer of assistance in our time of need.

I have also authorized the payment of various bills, Bishop Partridge's expenses to Kansas City, and stipends which have been promised from "The Bishop's Purse", and "The Theological Education Fund", as will be shown in the Report of the Treasurers of those Funds. Attended and presided at all meetings of the Standing Committee and attended to a large amount of correspondence relating to the Episcopal election and other Diocesan matters.

Respectfully submitted,

J. STEWART-SMITH,

*President of the Standing Committee, Diocese of Kansas City.*

On motion of the Rev. E. H. Eckel, the Council expressed its grateful appreciation of the Rev. J. Stewart-Smith's able, faithful and conscientious administration of the Diocese while it was without a Bishop.

The Rev. J. D. Ritchey, D.D., presented the following report of the Commission of the Parochial Trust Fund:

### PAROCHIAL TRUST FUND COMMISSION.

The Commissioners of the Parochial Trust Fund have held three meetings during the year. No matters of special importance have come before them. The Commission has undertaken to secure an accurate list of all the Church properties throughout the Diocese, the names in which the titles of said properties are held, whether in the name of the Trustees of the Parochial Trust Fund or otherwise, and file said list for use of the Commission. The Chancellor of the Diocese, Mr. John T. Harding, kindly consented to make the investigation necessary to securing such list.

Respectfully submitted,

J. D. RITCHIE,

*Secretary.*

On motion by the Rev. Cyrus Townsend Brady, LL.D., it was resolved that the Diocesan Assessment of the past year shall obtain for the next year with the addition of ten per cent for the extraordinary expenses of the induction of the new Bishop, and that the sum required be raised by apportionment among the Parishes and Mission stations in the ratio at present prevailing.

On motion, Holy Trinity Church of St. Joseph, was accorded representation in the Council, having paid its assessment.

Mr. A. C. Stowell was appointed Treasurer *pro tem*.

On motion by the Rev. Dr. Brady, the following Standing Resolution was passed:

There shall be appointed, by the Chair a Board of Equalization consisting of four clergymen, of whom the Bishop shall be one, and five laymen, who shall apportion among the Parishes and Mission Stations of the Diocese:

- I. The Diocesan Assessment.
- II. The amount asked for Diocesan Missions.
- III. The amount apportioned to the Diocese for General Missions.

The Bishop shall have power to fill vacancies, provided, that nothing in the resolution shall change the apportionment of the Diocesan Assessment for the ensuing year.

The Bishop appointed the following as members of the Equalization Committee:

THE BISHOP.

THE REV. C. T. BRADY, LL.D.

THE REV. C. A. WEED.

THE REV. E. H. ECKEL.

THE REV. J. STEWART-SMITH.

MR. H. L. ARNOLD.

MR. D. H. SMITH.

MR. A. C. STOWELL.

MR. F. A. H. GARLICH.

MR. F. A. SMITH.

Mr. A. C. Stowell made the following report for the Finance Committee:

**Resolved:** That Trinity Church, Independence, be recognized as having paid its assessment in full to May 1st, 1911.

A. C. STOWELL,

BEN B. LEE,

W. A. REMFRY.

*Finance Committee.*

Mr. F. M. Hayward reported for the Committee on Credentials, as follows:

St. Mark's, Kansas City: Committee is informed that St. Mark's has paid up and delegates are entitled to their seats.

Christ Church, Carthage: Committee reports that the Treasurer of the Diocese reports that the Parish has paid up and that the delegates are entitled to their seats.

All Saints', Nevada: The Committee finds that the Parish has not paid up and delegates not entitled to seats.

Calvary, Pleasant Hill: Committee reports that since its appointment this Parish has paid up and delegates are entitled to seats.

FRANCIS M. HAYWARD.

E. M. CLENDENNING,

F. A. SMITH.

*Committee.*

On motion, the Secretary was instructed to call the corrected list of Lay Delegates, which was done.

On motion by the Rev. J. Stewart-Smith it was **RESOLVED:** That all monies paid on assessments be credited to delinquencies and no discounts allowed until all delinquencies have been paid.

Nominations for Standing Committee were now called for.

On motion by the Rev. Dr. Brady, it was **RESOLVED:** That the Rules be suspended and that the present Standing Committee be re-elected, the Secretary casting the ballot for the clerical votes and his assistant for the lay votes of the Council for the present members of the Standing Committee. The ballots having been cast the Committee was declared re-elected.

The following nominations were made for the Board of Missions;

REV. C. T. BRADY, LL.D.

REV. EDWARD H. ECKEL.

REV. CHAS. A. WEED.

REV. ROBERT N. SPENCER.

REV. CARL R. TAYLOR.

REV. J. D. RITCHEY, D.D.

REV. A. M. GRIFFIN.

MR. F. A. H. GARLICHES.

MR. BEN C. HOWARD.

MR. B. J. FRADENBURG.

MR. W. F. EVES.

MR. H. D. ASHLEY.

MR. B. R. CLARKE.

The Chair appointed the Rev. Oscar Homburger and Mr. C. H. Childs as tellers for the election.

The hour of noon having arrived, the Bishop led the Council in prayers for Missions.

Moved and seconded that the Council adjourn until two o'clock, p. m. Carried.

2 P. M.

The Council re-convened at 2 p. m. On motion, roll call was dispensed with.

The tellers made the following report on the election of the Board of Missions:

Whole number of ballots cast, 53; less 1 invalid, makes 52 ballots. Necessary to a choice, 27.

CLERGY		LAITY	
REV. E. H. ECKEL.....	51	MR. B. J. FRADENBURG.....	51
REV. C. T. BRADY.....	50	MR. F. A. H. GARLICH.....	50
REV. R. N. SPENCER.....	50	MR. B. C. HOWARD.....	48
REV. C. A. WEED.....	48	MR. B. R. CLARKE.....	48
REV. J. D. RITCHEY.....	45	MR. H. D. ASHLEY.....	47
REV. C. R. TAYLOR.....	42	MR. W. F. EVES.....	46
REV. A. M. GRIFFIN.....	22	MR. J. M. LEE.....	6
REV. J. A. SCHAAD.....	3	MR. H. L. ARNOLD.....	2
		MR. J. P. NEWELL.....	2
		MR. V. W. GAYLE.....	2
		MR. J. T. HARDING.....	1

Mr. Harry L. Arnold and Mr. Walton H. Holmes having been placed in nomination for the office of Treasurer of the Diocese, nominations were declared closed and the Rev. Oscar Homburger and Mr. C. H. Childs were asked to act as tellers for this election.

On motion, the Board of Trustees of the Permanent Fund for the support of the Episcopate, Mr. C. H. Childs, Mr. E. F. Swinney and Mr. James Mackenzie, were re-elected.

On motion, the following were elected members of the Board of Trustees of the Fund for Theological Education, to act with the Right Reverend, the Bishop of the Diocese and the Treasurer of the Diocese.

REV. ROBT. N. SPENCER. MR. FRANCIS M. HAYWARD.  
MR. FRED A. SMITH.

On motion, it was RESOLVED: That the Bishop be empowered to appoint such delegates to the Missionary Conference of the Seventh District as he desires.

Mr. A. C. Stowell read a summary of the following report for the Treasurer of the Diocese:

# REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF THE DIOCESE OF KANSAS CITY, FROM MAY 11, 1910 TO MAY 1, 1911.

## Diocesan Fund.

### RECEIPTS

Balance on hand at Council, May, 1910.....\$1,094.09

### TO DUES FROM PARISHES

From—	Assm't May, 1910 to May, 1911	10% Delegates Gen'l Con- vention 1910	Assm't Pd. Delq't Ass'm't, due Prior to May 1, 1910	Total	
Blackburn, Mediator.....	\$ 8.00	\$ 1.00	.....	\$ 9.00	
Boonville, Christ Church.....	85.80	.....	.....	85.80	
Brunswick, St. Paul's.....	14.50	.....	.....	14.50	
Carrollton, St. Paul's.....	20.90	1.98	.....	22.88	
Carthage, Grace.....	200.00	.....	\$100.00	300.00	
Fayette, St. Mary's.....	.....	1.08	21.42	22.50	
Independence, Trinity.....	9.00	.....	30.00	39.00	
Kansas City—					
Grace.....	630.00	63.00	.....	693.00	
St. George's.....	360.00	36.00	.....	396.00	
St. Mark's.....	26.95	15.40	115.50	157.85	
St. Mary's.....	270.00	27.00	.....	297.00	
St. Paul's.....	742.58	74.25	.....	816.83	
Trinity.....	365.63	33.75	.....	399.38	
Maryville, St. Paul's.....	5.00	.....	.....	5.00	
Nevada, All Saints'.....	.....	4.50	54.75	59.25	
Pleasant Hill, Mt. Calvary.....	3.63	.....	6.37	10.00	
Sedalia, Calvary.....	160.88	14.85	.....	175.73	
Springfield—					
Christ Church.....	163.35	.....	.....	163.35	
St. John's.....	38.65	.....	138.43	177.08	
St. Joseph—					
Christ Church.....	1,035.00	135.50	.....	1,188.50	
Holy Trinity.....	.....	.....	9.62	9.62	
Warrensburg, Christ Church.....	54.48	.....	15.13	69.61	
Weston, St. John's.....	.....	.....	3.30	3.30	\$5,065.18
Forward.....					\$6,159.27

### TO DUES FROM MISSIONS

From—					
Amazonia, St. Matthew's.....	\$ 1.00	\$ 0.10	.....	\$ 1.10	
Butler, St. Mark's.....	4.50	.....	\$ 8.75	13.25	
Cameron, St. John's.....	18.00	1.80	20.00	39.80	
Clinton, St. Paul's.....	28.50	2.70	.....	31.20	
Harrisonville, St. Peter's.....	10.00	.....	.....	10.00	
Holden, Mt. Calvary.....	6.76	1.35	.....	8.11	
Kansas City—					
St. John's.....	72.00	7.20	.....	79.20	
St. Augustine's.....	.....	4.50	.....	4.50	
Lamar, Trinity.....	9.00	.....	.....	9.00	
Lee's Summit, St. Paul's.....	10.00	.90	.....	10.90	
Lebanon, Trinity.....	28.50	.....	.....	28.50	
Monett, St. Stephen's.....	10.00	.....	.....	10.00	
Neosho, St. John's.....	15.00	1.35	7.65	24.00	
Oswald, St. Oswald's.....	18.50	.....	.....	18.50	
Savannah, St. Mary's.....	5.00	.....	.....	5.00	
St. Joseph, St. Matthias'.....	\$5.85	\$ .54	.....	\$6.39	
Trenton, St. Philip's.....	.....	.....	\$15.00	15.00	
Webb City, St. Paul's.....	18.00	1.62	21.00	40.62	
West Plains, All Saints'.....	39.00	3.60	.....	42.60	\$397.00
	\$4,493.96	\$401.97	\$566.92	\$5,462.85	\$6,556.94

Interest received from Helen Maitland Smith Fund to January 21, 1911..... 60.00  
 Refund Number of Clergymen, assessment General Convention..... 8.00  
 Borrowed from Pioneer Trust Company, on Demand Note ..... 500.00  
**\$7,119.94**

## DISBURSEMENTS

By—		
Bishop's Salary .....	\$4,000.00	
Bishop's Traveling Expenses .....	600.00	
Secretary's Salary .....	150.00	
Assistant to Treasurer .....	60.00	
Expenses Missionaries to Council, 1910.....	33.47	
Janitor Service, Council, 1910, St. George's Church..	5.00	
Postage Stamps for Treasurer, mailing assessment notices .....	11.00	
One page space in "Diocese of Kansas City".....	37.50	
500 Letter heads and envelopes for Treasurer.....	4.50	
Stenographic work on Diocesan Journal, 1910.....	5.00	
1 Zinc and drawing map for Diocesan Journal, 1910	9.92	
Label names for mailing Diocesan Journal, 1910.....	1.50	
Printing Diocesan Journal, 1910.....	313.85	
Postage stamps and envelopes for mailing Diocesan Journal, 1910 .....	24.55	
Assessment, 32 Clergymen at \$3.00 each, General Convention .....	96.00	
Interest on Demand Note, of \$500.00 .....	19.00	
Special blanks for Special Council, March, 1911, for Election of Bishop.....	78.50	
Expenses of Bishop Tuttle to Special Council, 1911..	20.00	
Cablegram to Bishop Partridge, Kyoto, Japan.....	27.30	
Janitor Service, Special Council, 1911, St. Paul's Church .....	5.00	
Expense of Clergy and Laity to General Convention, 1910 .....	350.00	\$5,852.09
Balance on hand .....		\$1,267.85

## Theological Education Fund.

## RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand at Council .....		\$ 38.42
Contributions ..		
Calvary, Sedalia .....	\$ 3.02	
St. Mark's, Kansas City .....	2.60	
St. George's, Kansas City, Mo .....	17.31	
Interest on Thos. Maloney loan .....	72.00	\$ 94.93
Balance on hand .....		\$ 133.35

## Episcopal Residence Fund.

Certificate of Deposit bearing 3 per cent interest issued by the Pioneer Trust Company.....	\$1,075.45
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## Summary.

Credit balance Diocesan Fund .....	\$1,267.85
Credit balance Theological Education Fund .....	133.35
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	\$1,401.20
Credit balance Episcopal Residence Fund .....	\$1,075.45

**Investments.****THEOLOGICAL EDUCATION FUND**

Thomas T. Maloney, 6 per cent real estate loan..... \$1,200.00

Respectfully submitted,

WALTON H. HOLMES,  
*Treasurer.*

June 23, 1911.

Examined and found correct.

A. C. STOWELL.

W. A. REMFRY.

BENJAMIN B. LEE.

The tellers of the election of the Treasurer of the Diocese reported the election of Mr. Harry Arnold by 31 votes; Mr. Walton Holmes receiving 16 votes.

The Rev. D. H. Atwill, Mr. B. B. Lee and Mr. J. V. B. Ellard were named for Diocesan Trustees of the General Clergy Relief Fund.

On motion, the Secretary cast the ballot of the Council for the above named for Trustees of said Fund.

Mr. B. R. Clarke, Treasurer of the Board of Missions, presented his report, of which he read a summary only to the Council.

**REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF THE DIOCESAN MISSIONARY BOARD FOR THE YEAR ENDING JUNE 27, 1911.**

**SUMMARY**

Balance on hand at Council, May 10, 1910.....		\$ 391.86
From sale of bonds.....		2,000.00
Receipts from Parishes and Missions.....		2,466.59
Receipts from Advent Mite Boxes.....		298.10
Receipts from other offerings.....		796.87
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		\$5,953.42
Receipts from May 10, 1910, to May 10, 1911.....	\$5,390.57	
Received from May 10, 1911 to June 27, 1911.....	526.85	
Disbursements and Expenses.....		4,990.52
Cash on hand June 27, 1911.....		962.90
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		\$5,953.42

Approved:

A. C. STOWELL.

W. A. REMFRY.

BENJAMIN B. LEE.

Received \$125 from Chilicothe since the above report was prepared.



**REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF THE DIOCESAN MISSIONARY  
BOARD AT COUNCIL JUNE 28, 1911.**

**RECEIPTS**

PARISHES	From May 10, 1910 to May 1, 1911	From May 1, 1911 to June 27, 1911
Balance on hand at Council May 10, 1910	\$ 391.86	
Cash from sale of Bonds	2,000.00	

<b>From—</b>		
<b>Beesville</b> .....		\$ 65.00
<b>Carrollton</b> .....	10.00	
<b>Carthage</b> .....	32.00	0.00
<b>Chillicothe</b> .....		
<b>Fayette</b> .....		
<b>Joplin</b> .....	40.00	
<b>Kansas City—</b>		
Grace.....	500.00	
St. George's.....	175.00	25.00
St. Mark's.....	52.00	
St. Mary's.....	57.00	
St. Paul's.....	450.00	
Trinity.....	200.00	
<b>Leadington</b> .....	5.75	
<b>Maryville</b> .....		
<b>Nevada</b> .....	20.00	
<b>Pleasant Hill</b> .....		
<b>St. Joseph—</b>		
Christ Church.....	375.00	
Holy Trinity.....		
<b>Sedalia</b> .....	51.00	
<b>Springfield—</b>		
Christ Church.....	61.50	
St. John's.....	1.00	
<b>Warrensburg</b> .....	40.00	

**MISSIONS**

<b>Amazonia</b> .....	\$ 2.00	
<b>Aurora</b> .....		
<b>Butler</b> .....		
<b>Clinton</b> .....	30.00	
<b>Harrisonville</b> .....	20.00	
<b>Hamilton</b> .....		
<b>Lee's Summit</b> .....		
<b>Kansas City—</b>		
St. Augustine.....	10.00	
St. John's.....		40.00
Holy Spirit.....		
<b>Lamar</b> .....		15.00
<b>Lebanon</b> .....	20.00	
<b>Liberty</b> .....		

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Marshall	\$9.50	
Monett	8.00	\$7.00
Mountain Grove		
Neosho	15.00	
St. Oswald's	7.59	11.85
Plattsburg		
St. Joseph—		
St. Matthias'	10.00	
St. Luke's.	15.00	
Savannah	7.50	
Stanberry		
Trenton		
Utica		
Webb City	2.80	22.20
West Plains	25.00	
Higginsville, Mo. (voluntary)	3.00	
Grace Church, Carthage	5.42	
Offering at Council, 1910	14.41	
Interest on Bank Balances	29.92	
In full on account of pledge for Archdeacon's salary for year ending April 30, 1909, St. George's, Kansas City	50.00	
Christ Church Sunday School, St. Joseph	60.00	
Bishop Tuttle (voluntary)	20.00	
Woman's Auxiliary	93.62	295.50
Bishop's Purse Acc't. from Traveling Expenses	150.00	75.00
Net Proceeds from Advent Mite Box Offerings	298.10	
	\$5,390.57	\$562.85
Grand total to June 27, 1911		\$5,953.42

## DISBURSEMENTS

Stipend paid Rev. R. O. Mackintosh	\$ 100.00
Stipend paid Rev. E. S. Willett	300.00
Stipend paid Rev. C. R. Taylor	175.00
Stipend paid Rev. C. A. Weed	500.00
Stipend paid Rev. E. C. Johnson	599.62
Stipend paid Rev. Oscar Homburger	386.70
Stipend paid Rev. R. N. Spencer, Mgr.	29.20
Stipend paid Rev. John Boden	270.83
Stipend paid Rev. James Senior	200.00
Stipend paid Rev. J. M. Koehler	200.00
Stipend paid Rev. R. J. Belt	200.00
Stipend paid Rev. E. W. Flower	100.00
Stipend paid Rev. W. A. Pearman	400.00
Stipend paid Rev. S. E. Prentiss	475.00
Stipend paid Rev. Chas. H. Bohn	500.00
Stipend paid Rev. A. M. Griffin	58.34

Stipend paid Rev. D. E. Johnstone .....	\$83.33
Rev. E. S. Willett, North Side Work .....	195.00
Office Expense .....	3.00
Paid Bishop Sidney C. Partridge, Balance on hand from Bishop's Purse .....	214.50
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	\$4,990.52
Cash on hand June 27, 1911 .....	962.90
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	\$5,953.42

Respectfully submitted,  
**B. R. CLARKE,**  
*Treasurer.*

Upon the presentation of the report of the Trustees of the Permanent Fund for the Episcopate, it was resolved that the report be accepted and filed.

#### REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF THE PERMANENT EPISCOPAL FUND OF THE DIOCESE OF KANSAS CITY.

*To the Diocesan Council, Diocese of Kansas City:*

GENTLEMEN:—I beg to submit the following report as Treasurer of the Permanent Episcopal Fund of this Diocese:

##### RECEIPTS

May 8, 1908.	By Cash on hand as per statement.....	\$ 973.78
Aug. 3, 1908.	By interest due Aug. 1, 1908, on loan to Prossop Preparatory School .....	216.00
Aug. 25, 1908.	By interest on K. C. Elevated Ry. Co. bonds, May 15, 1907 to Jan. 1, 1908 .....	125.00
Aug 25, 1908	By interest on K. C. Elevated Ry. Co. bonds Jan. 1, 1908 to July 1, 1908.....	100.00
Oct. 7, 1908.	By Subscription from St. John's Mission (Kansas City) .....	3.98
Feb. 3, 1909.	By interest due Feb. 1, 1909 on loan to Prossop Preparatory School .....	216.00
March 10, 1909.	By subscription from St. Mark's Parish (Kansas City) .....	3.85
Aug. 3, 1909.	By interest due August 1, 1909 on loan to Prossop Preparatory School, on account .....	125.00
Aug. 3, 1909.	By balance interest due Aug. 1, 1909 on loan to Prossop Preparatory School .....	91.15
Sept. 15, 1909	By subscription from St. John's Mission (Kansas City) .....	3.90
Feb. 3, 1910.	By interest due Feb. 1, 1910 on loan to Prossop Preparatory School .....	216.00
Mar. 3, 1910.	By subscription from St. Mark's Church (Kansas City) .....	5.00
March 4, 1910.	By subscription from Calvary Episcopal Church (Sedalia, Mo.) .....	8.50
Mar. 12, 1910.	By subscription from Trinity Parish (Independence, Mo.) .....	\$1.11
March 25, 1910.	By subscription from Christ Episcopal Church (Springfield, Mo.) .....	7.40
Aug. 1, 1910.	By interest due August 1, 1910 on loan to Prossop Preparatory School .....	216.00

Jan. 24, 1911.	By interest on K. C. Elevated Ry. Co. bonds to Jan. 1, 1911.....	500.00
Feb. 2, 1911.	By acct. interest due Feb. 1, 1911 on loan to Prossio Preparatory School.....	50.00
Feb. 8, 1911.	By acct. interest due Feb. 1, 1911 on loan to Prossio Preparatory School.....	76.00
Feb. 9, 1911.	By acct. interest due Feb. 1, 1911 on loan to Prossio Preparatory School.....	30.00
March 9, 1911.	By acct. interest due Feb. 1, 1911 on loan to Prossio Preparatory School.....	60.00
March 9, 1911.	By accrued interest on interest due Feb. 1, 1911 on loan to Prossio Preparatory School.....	.70
March 27, 1911.	By subscription, Trinity Church (Independence, Mo.) .....	2.59
June 6, 1911.	By proceeds Life Insurance Policy (Ed. C. Hamill) .....	300.00
Total.....		\$3,331.96

## DISBURSEMENTS

Aug. 13, 1908.	To paid Treasurer of Diocese interest on Helen M. Smith fund to July 21, 1908.....	\$ 30.00
April 5, 1909.	To paid Treasurer of Diocese interest on Helen M. Smith fund to Jan. 21, 1909.....	30.00
March 2, 1910.	To paid Treasurer of Diocese interest on Helen M. Smith fund to July 21, 1909.....	30.00
March 2, 1910.	To paid Treasurer of Diocese interest on Helen M. Smith fund to Jan. 21, 1910.....	30.00
July 21, 1910.	To paid Treasurer of Diocese interest to July 21, 1910 on same fund.....	30.00
Jan. 21, 1911.	To paid Treasurer of Diocese interest on Helen M. Smith fund to Jan. 2, 1911.....	30.00
June 19, 1911.	To cash on hand.....	3,151.96
Total .....		\$3,331.96

I also have on hand papers in connection with the real estate loan of \$7,200.00 made to the Prossio Preparatory School, Kansas City, Missouri; and the five bonds of \$1,000.00 each, with coupons attached, of the Kansas City Elevated Railway Company, these bonds being the gift of J. C. Horton.

Very respectfully submitted,

JAMES MACKENZIE,  
*Treasurer.*

Approved:

A. C. STOWELL.

W. A. REMFRY.

BENJAMIN B. LEE.

By W. C. MACKENZIE.

Upon motion by the Rev. Dr. Brady, it was RESOLVED: That the interest for the year on the Permanent Fund for the Episcopate shall be added to the Diocesan Assessment Fund for the ensuing year.

Upon motion by the Rev. Dr. Brady, it was RESOLVED: That the amount of cash on hand in the Permanent Fund for the Episcopate shall be added to the Bishop's Residence Fund.

Upon motion, it was **RESOLVED**: That the cash on hand in the Permanent Fund for the Episcopate, be left in the bank drawing interest, subject to the demand of the Treasurer of the Diocese.

Upon motion by the Rev. Dr. Brady, it was **RESOLVED**: That the Committee on raising the fund for the Bishop's Residence be continued, with power to act, and that the Bishop be made *ex officio* a member of the same.

Upon motion by the Rev. J. Stewart-Smith, it was **RESOLVED**: That the Secretary be authorized to publish 600 copies of the Journal, containing the minutes of the Special and of this Council.

Mr. B. C. Howard made the following report on the Advent Sunday School offerings:

### REPORT OF SUNDAY SCHOOL INSTITUTE.

RELATING TO ADVENT MITE BOX OFFERING TAKEN DURING THE ADVENT  
SEASON OF  
1909 and 1910

#### RECEIPTS

ADVENT Name of Parish or Mission and Location	1909			1910		
	Amt.	Average Offering Per Box	Rank	Amt.	Average Offering Per Box	Rank
Open Offering at Missionary Service.....	\$23.46			\$18.54		
St. Mathews, Amazonia .....	1.00	.0010	18			
Christ's Church, Booneville.....				6.60	.1833	19
Grace Church, Carthage.....				7.87	.1574	20
St. Johns, Cameron.....	6.57	.3285	5	11.36	.5680	5
St. Marys, Fayette.....				4.19	.4655	8
Trinity, Independence.....	1.50	.0375	19	18.68	.9340	3
St. Philips, Joplin.....	2.50	.0414	17			
Grace, Kansas City.....	26.55	.2655	7	25.00	.2500	14
St. Georges, Kansas City.....	51.10	.3813	3	61.10	.5982	4
St. Marks, Kansas City.....	11.58	23.16	9			
St. Marys, Kansas City.....				18.00	.4500	9
St. Pauls, Kansas City.....	7.96	.0398	18	10.22	.0681	23
Trinity, Kansas City.....	20.11	.2681	6	15.50	.2215	16
St. Augusting (Col.), Kansas City.....	5.00	.1390	11	2.00	.0500	24
St. Johns, Kansas City.....	11.66	.1792	10	14.22	.2670	12
St. Simons (Col.), Kansas City.....				1.00	.0500	24
Christ's Church, Lexington .....				9.75	.2081	18
Trinity, Lebanon.....	9.13	.5390	1	17.70	1.3623	1
Grace, Liberty.....	1.50	.3750	4	8.48	.4971	7
Trinity, Marshall.....				21.00	1.0500	2
St. Stephens, Monett .....	1.56	.0780	15			
All Saints, Nevada.....	1.00	.0990	14	7.37	.3685	11
St. Johns, Neosho.....	9.60	.4000	2	10.23	.5115	6
Christ's Church, St. Joseph.....	28.74	.2500	8	32.47	.3164	17
Holy Trinity, St. Joseph.....				6.78	.2260	15
St. Lukes, St. Joseph.....				3.00	.1500	21
Calvary, Sedalia.....				10.00	.2500	14
Christ's Church, Springfield.....				10.20	.2550	13
St. John's, Springfield.....	3.73	.0746	16	4.50	.0900	22
St. Paul's, Webb City.....	3.49	.1166	12			
All Saints, West Plains.....				8.33	.4165	10
Total .....	\$227.74			\$359.10		

## DISBURSEMENTS

	1909	1910
Mite Boxes.....	\$50.00	\$37.50
Express charges on Mite Boxes.....	6.65	7.80
Cost of distributing Boxes.....	7.50	11.45
Printing.....	13.25	4.25
Total Expense.....	\$77.40	\$61.00
Total to B. R. Clark, Treasurer.....	150.84	298.10
Total Disbursements.....	\$227.84	\$359.10

Respectfully Submitted,  
 B. C. HOWARD,  
*President Sunday School Institute.*

**STATEMENT OF THE RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS OF THE  
 SUNDAY SCHOOL ADVENT MITE BOX OFFERING A. D. 1910.**

## RECEIPTS

Open Offering at Missionary Service.....	\$18.54
CHRIST CHURCH.....Boonville.....	6.60
GRACE CHURCH.....Carthage.....	7.87
ST. JOHN'S.....Cameron.....	\$11.36
ST. MARY'S.....Fayette.....	4.19
TRINITY.....Independence.....	18.68
GRACE.....Kansas City.....	25.00
St. George's.....Kansas City.....	61.10
ST. MARY'S.....Kansas City.....	18.00
ST. PAUL'S.....Kansas City.....	10.22
TRINITY.....Kansas City.....	15.50
ST. AUGUSTINE'S (Col.).....Kansas City.....	2.00
ST. JOHN'S.....Kansas City.....	14.22
ST. SIMON'S (Col.).....Kansas City.....	1.00
CHRIST CHURCH.....Lexington.....	9.75
TRINITY.....Lebanon.....	17.71
GRACE.....Liberty.....	3.48
TRINITY.....Marshall.....	21.00
ALL SAINTS'.....Nevada.....	7.37
ST. JOHN'S.....Neosho.....	10.23
CHRIST CHURCH.....St. Joseph.....	32.47
HOLY TRINITY.....St. Joseph.....	6.78
ST. LUKE'S.....St. Joseph.....	3.00
CALVARY.....Sedalia.....	10.00
CHRIST CHURCH.....Springfield.....	10.20
ST. JOHN'S.....Springfield.....	4.50
ALL SAINTS'.....West Plains.....	8.33
	\$359.10

## DISBURSEMENTS

Mite Boxes.....	\$ 37.50
Express charges on same.....	7.80
Labor for preparing Boxes for distribution.....	2.75
Postage for distribution.....	8.40
Express charges for distribution.....	.30
Printing.....	4.25
Total expenses.....	\$ 61.00

B. R. Clarke, Treasurer .....	\$113.14	
B. R. Clarke, Treasurer .....	120.80	
B. R. Clarke, Treasurer .....	53.94	
B. R. Clarke, Treasurer .....	10.22	
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Total .....		\$298.10
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		\$359.10

On motion by the Rev. E. H. Eckel, it was **RESOLVED:** That the Secretary of the Board of Missions be instructed to write to the Sunday Schools participating in the advent mite box offerings for 1909 and 1910, informing them that the clergy and laity in Diocesan Council assembled, have heard through the report of the Sunday School Institute, of the splendid records made by the schools in giving for church expenses and support in this Diocese, and desire to express to the teachers and schools their hearty thanks and congratulations.

The Rev. D. H. Atwill made the following report for the Committee on Sunday School Work, which was accepted and filed:

#### **REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON SUNDAY SCHOOL WORK.**

Your Committee on Sunday School Work reports that the information gathered by it indicates that the Sunday Schools of the Diocese are in a condition decidedly unsatisfactory, that they are in need of a guiding voice of counsel and direction from without the parishes and schools, and that they require more time, thought, and attention from the rectors and laymen within the parishes and missions than they at present receive.

To all except the smallest missions of the Diocese, your committee sent out forty-two letters requesting information. Thirty-four replies were received. Of these, six had no Sunday Schools (places in which, almost without exception, schools should be existing.) Of the remaining twenty-eight, sixteen have no adult Bible Class; fifteen have no regular missionary instruction; twenty have no regular Teacher's Meeting; thirteen are not graded; one only in the entire Diocese is supported by a parish or mission appropriation, five are helped by their parish or missions, and twenty-two are supported solely by the Sunday School offerings. Five schools report no growth, eight report a slow growth, and fifteen say they are growing; many of the schools report fewer children in the Sunday School than there are children of Church parentage in the parish or mission, and totaling the replies of those who answered both of the questions bearing on this point, seven hundred and ninety-three children of Church parentage were reported, while seven hundred and eighty-seven were recorded as enrolled in the Sunday Schools.

Your Committee suggests:

First, that it is an indication of slow missionary spirit on the part of that parish or mission and provides a very poor outlook for the future

growth of that parish or mission where the number of Sunday School children enrolled is less than the number of children of Church parentage within the parish or mission.

Second, that it is of the utmost importance that children growing into manhood or womanhood continue a more mature study of Church Doctrine, Church History, and the Bible than is acquired in their Sunday School training, and that, therefore, an adult Study Class is an indispensable adjunct to every well organized Sunday School.

Third, that it is desirable in all schools that the children be graded into classes according to their standing in the public schools and that instruction be given to them according to their understanding.

Fourth, that as no school can be well taught, well disciplined, or in any degree be unified where the teachers too often immature and inexperienced are left to their own individual methods and aims, the rectors and missionaries of the various parishes and missions be and hereby are urged to organize regular Teachers' Meetings for the discussion of lessons and such other matters as may promote the efficiency of the Sunday School.

Fifth, that as one of the most enduring ways of maintaining an interest in missions among our Church people is by educating the children in the subject of Church Extension, the rectors and missionaries of the various parishes and missions be and hereby are urged to institute in their Sunday Schools a monthly Missionary Sunday when there shall be systematic instruction in the Missionary work that the Church is doing and when the offerings for that day shall be given to Missionary purposes.

And your Committee recommends:

The appointment of a Diocesan Sunday School Secretary, whose duties shall be to seek to have organized Sunday Schools in parishes or missions where no schools exist; to advise with rectors, superintendents, and teachers regarding grading, courses, etc., and to maintain in the See City a room accessible to visiting rectors, laymen, and others where shall be displayed sample courses of instruction, charts, maps, and such other Sunday School helps as may by their use increase interest, numbers, and efficiency in the individual schools.

Finally, your Committee points out the fact that the Church in this Diocese is far behind Christian bodies of other names in this important work of instructing children in the principles of doctrinal and scriptural matters; and that while they are taking advantage of every means of increasing interest, attendance, and growth in their Sunday Schools, too often the parishes and missions of the Church rest content to minister lamely to the needs of Church children who persist in coming to the schools for instruction.

DOUGLASS ATWILL,  
*Chairman.*

The Committee on Missionary Traveling Expenses reported items from four missionaries, aggregating \$30.40. On motion, the Secretary was authorized to draw a warrant on the Treasurer for the payment of same.



The Secretary read the following communication from the Chancellor of the Diocese:

KANSAS CITY, Mo., June 7, 1911.

THE REV. CARL REED TAYLOR, Secy.,  
525 Kensington Avenue,  
City.

MY DEAR MR. TAYLOR:

I have been trying to line up all of the titles to the church property in the Diocese. This subject has been permitted to drift until the titles are badly scattered. Some are in the name of Bishop Robertson, some in the name of Bishop Tuttle, some in the name of Bishop Atwill, some in the name of the Trustee's Building Fund Commission, and some in the name of the various vestries, some of those vestries have ceased to be. I am making an effort to procure the following:

1. Uniformity of titles.
2. Description of property.
3. Value of property.
4. Condition of property as to mortgages, insurance, etc.

When this is accomplished, a complete record will be kept of the various properties so that we can in a moment's time turn to any piece of property and ascertain its exact condition.

To bring about this end, on the 28th day of January, 1911, I caused to be mailed to every vestry, a letter requesting the secretary to furnish me a description of the property, the character of improvement, its value and the name in which the title rests, together with the amount of the insurance. I received reports from many of the vestries, but not all. I am preparing another letter to be sent out to those who did not respond. I entertained the hope that I would have this matter perfected so that I could make a full report to the Council, but inasmuch as the Council was called at an earlier date than I expected, I am unable to make the report.

It might be well to read this letter to the delegates with a view of enlisting their aid in getting the information desired.

Very truly,

JNO. T. HARDING,  
*Chancellor.*

The Secretary presented the following communication from the Secretary of the House of Deputies to the General Convention:

#### THE GENERAL CONVENTION.

*To the Convention or Council of the Diocese of Kansas City:*

In compliance with the requirement of Article XI of the Constitution, I hereby make known that the following alterations of the Constitution,

of the Church are proposed: to wit, those comprised in the resolutions printed herewith, said resolutions having been constitutionally adopted by a General Convention held in the city of Cincinnati, in October, A. D. 1910.

HENRY ANSTICE,  
*Secretary of the House of Deputies.*

New York,  
April 15, A. D. 1911.

#### RESOLUTIONS

*Resolved*, That the following change be made in the Constitution, and that the proposed alteration be made known to the several Dioceses, in order that the same may be adopted at the next General Convention, in accordance with Article XI of the Constitution, as follows:

Strike out Section 3 of Article I, and insert in place of it the following:

Section 3. Upon the expiration of the term of office of the Presiding Bishop, the General Convention shall elect the Presiding Bishop of the Church. The House of Bishops shall choose one of the Bishops having jurisdiction within the United States to be such Presiding Bishop, by the vote of a majority of all the Bishops entitled to vote in the House of Bishops, such choice to be subject to confirmation by the House of Deputies.

His term and tenure of office shall be prescribed by Canons of the General Convention. His salary as Presiding Bishop shall be fixed and paid by the General Convention.

When, for any reason, a vacancy in the office shall occur, or if by reason of infirmity the Presiding Bishop shall become disabled, the House of Bishops shall elect one of its number to act as Presiding Bishop until the next meeting of the General Convention.

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*Resolved*, That the following change be made in the Constitution, and that the proposed alteration be made known to the several Dioceses, in order that the same may be adopted at the next General Convention, in accordance with Article XI of the Constitution, as follows:

Strike out Section 4 of Article I, and insert in place of it the following:

Section 4. The Church in each Diocese which has been admitted to union with the General Convention shall be entitled to representation in House of Deputies by not more than four Presbyters, canonically resident in the Diocese, and not more than four Laymen, communicants of this Church, having domicile in the Diocese; but the General Convention by Canon may reduce the representation to not fewer than two Deputies in each order. Each Diocese shall prescribe the manner in which its Deputies shall be chosen.

The Church in each Missionary District within the boundaries of the United States of America, which shall have been established in accordance with the Constitution and Canons for the government of this Church, shall also be entitled to representation in the House of Deputies by not more

than one Presbyter, canonically resident in the Missionary District, and not more than one Layman, communicant of this Church, having domicile in the Missionary District. Each Missionary District shall prescribe the manner in which its Deputies shall be chosen. Deputies from such Missionary District, except as otherwise provided in the Constitution, shall be subject to all of the qualifications and with all of the rights of Deputies from Dioceses.

To constitute a quorum for the transaction of business, the Clerical order shall be represented by at least one Deputy in each of a majority of the Dioceses entitled to representation, and the Lay Order shall likewise be represented by at least one Deputy in each of a majority of the Dioceses entitled to representation.

On any question the vote of a majority of the Deputies present shall suffice, unless otherwise ordered by this Constitution, or, in cases not specifically provided for by the Constitution, by Canons requiring more than a majority, or unless the Clerical or the Lay representation from any Diocese require that the vote be taken by orders. In all cases of a vote by orders, the two orders shall vote separately, each Diocese having one vote in the Clerical order and one vote in the Lay order, and each Missionary District within the boundaries of the United States of America having a one-fourth vote in the Clerical order and a one-fourth vote in the Lay order; and the concurrence of the votes of the two orders, by not less than a majority of whole votes in each order of all of the Dioceses and Missionary Districts within the boundaries of the United States of America represented in that order at the time of the vote, shall be necessary to constitute a vote of the House.

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*Resolved*, That the following change be made in the Constitution, and that the proposed alteration be made known to the several Dioceses, in order that the same may be adopted at the next General Convention, in accordance with Article XI of the Constitution, as follows:

Strike out Section 6 of Article I, and insert in place of it the following:

Section 6. One Clerical and one Lay Deputy chosen by each Missionary District of the Church established by the House of Bishops, beyond the territory of the United States of America, and one Clerical and one Lay Deputy chosen by the Convocation of the American Churches in Europe, shall have seats in the House of Deputies, subject to all the qualifications and with all the rights of Deputies, except the right to vote when the vote shall be taken by orders.

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*Resolved*, That the following change be made in the Constitution, and that the proposed alteration be made known to the several Dioceses, in order that the same may be adopted at the next General Convention, in accordance with Article XI of the Constitution, as follows:

Amend the new Section 4 of Article II, so that the first sentence shall begin: It shall be lawful for a Diocese, with the consent of the Bishop of that Diocese, the consent of a majority of the Standing Committees of the

Dioceses, and the consent of a majority of the Bishops of this Church exercising jurisdiction in the United States, to Elect one or more Suffragan Bishops, etc.

The Secretary presented to the Council the following communication:

KANSAS CITY, KANSAS, February 7, 1911.

THE REV. J. STEWART-SMITH,

President Standing Committee, Diocese Kansas City,  
Kansas City, Mo.

Dear Rev. Sir:—At the request of the Presiding Bishop of the Church, The Rt. Rev. Daniel S. Tuttle, I beg to call your attention to the new Canon creating a "General Board of Religious Education" adopted by the recent General Convention. This Canon is number 55 and its fourth paragraph is that to which I ask your special attention.

The Presiding Bishop requests that you, in your Council, provide for the election of the five (5) delegates to which the Diocese of Kansas City is entitled and that the Secretary of the Diocese certify to *me* the names and addresses of delegates so elected.

Faithfully yours,

L. G. MORONY.

On motion, the Bishop was authorized to appoint five delegates on the General Board of Religious Education for Co-operation with the Sunday School Committee.

The Secretary presented the following report from the General Clergy Relief Fund, which was received and placed on file:

**CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVED FROM THE CHURCHES AND  
MISSIONS IN THE DIOCESE OF KANSAS CITY,  
FROM MAY 1, 1910 TO MAY 1, 1911.**

St Mary's, Kansas City .....	\$ 69.70
St. John's, Cameron .....	10.00
Trinity, Lamar .....	5.00
St. John's, Springfield .....	13.45
St. John's, Kansas City .....	18.90
Grace, Carthage .....	14.37
Calvary, Sedalia .....	6.15
All Saint's, West Plains .....	5.49
St. Augustine's, Kansas City .....	1.55
St. Oswald's, Oswald .....	5.33
St. Matthias', St. Joseph .....	1.50
St Paul's, Kansas City .....	74.90
Trinity, Kansas City .....	35.00
St. Philip's, Trenton .....	6.70

St. John's, Neosho.....	6.35
St. Luke's, St. Joseph.....	1.20
St. Mark's, Kansas City.....	10.20
Christ Church, St. Joseph.....	53.60
St. Philip's, Joplin.....	1.06
St. Paul's, Webb City.....	.85
Christ Church, Springfield.....	18.65
St. George's, Kansas City.....	60.70
Grace, Carthage.....	14.54
Christ Church, St. Joseph.....	1.00
Christ Church, St. Joseph.....	2.15
Grace, Carthage.....	1.00
Trinity, Independence.....	5.00
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	\$444.34
Diocesan Funds, Interest on Smith Loan.....	51.00
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	\$495.34

Total contributions from May 1, 1910 to May 1, 1911.....\$495.34  
 Grants from the General Clergy Relief Fund for the same period..... 598.50  
 Number of Beneficiaries, 4.

The Secretary read a summary of the work of the Women's Auxiliary for the year ending May 1, 1911.

On motion, it was **RESOLVED**: That the Secretary convey the thanks of the Council to the Women's Auxiliary for their report, and the report was ordered printed in the Journal.

See appendix, No. 2.

On motion, the compensation of the Secretary for the ensuing year was fixed at \$150.00.

The Rev. Robt. N. Spencer presented the following report relative to the defunct "Diocese of Kansas City:"

The Diocesan paper, "The Diocese of Kansas City," suspended publication at the close of its second volume owing to the fact that it was facing a large deficit. This deficit has since been reduced to \$7.00. Considerable money is still owing to the paper, and I have been assured that enough will be paid to satisfy the seven dollars now owing.

[Signed.] R. N. SPENCER, *Mgr.*

On motion by Mr. Thomas Knight, Sr., it was **RESOLVED**: that a Sunday be set apart as a day of special intercession to Almighty God for his blessing upon this Diocese, the Bishop and Clergy thereof, and the extension of church work therein.

On motion, it was moved that the Treasurer of the Diocese

be, and he is hereby authorized to borrow not to exceed \$2,000 as may be necessary to carry on the work of the Diocese during the ensuing year.

The Registrar of the Diocese presented the following report:

The Registrar has received the Journals of most of the Dioceses of the Church this past year. Authority to bind some of the recent Journals of the Diocese of Kansas City in a more substantial form should be given. A complete file of our Journals should be placed in the Public Library of Kansas City. The Registrar regrets that owing to lack of accommodations for our books, they are almost inaccessible and we are greatly indebted to Trinity Parish, Kansas City, for storing our books.

CARL R. TAYLOR,  
*Registrar.*

June 28th, 1911.

The Registrar was empowered to have five copies of the Journal bound for official use.

On motion by the Rev. Carl R. Taylor, it was RESOLVED: That this Council extends its sincere thanks to the rector, wardens, vestrymen, choir and other members of Grace Parish for the many courtesies extended to their brethren of the Diocese, and that the sum of \$5.00 be granted the sexton on account of his work in connection with the services on June 27th.

On motion by the Rev. Carl R. Taylor, it was RESOLVED: That the sincere thanks of the Council be tendered the rector, wardens, vestrymen and women of St. George's Parish for their hospitality during the meetings of the present Council, and that the sum of \$5.00 be appropriated to the sexton on account of his work in connection with the sessions of the Council. This resolution was adopted by rising vote.

An invitation was extended to the members of the Council to attend the blessing of the new altar at St. Luke's Hospital at 7:30 a. m., June 29th.

Mr. Max E. Schmidt presented the following:

The Rev. Silas Cook Walton, rector of Christ Church at Boonville, died since the last Annual Council. I move that a committee of three be appointed to draft resolutions of regret, a copy of which be sent to his family in England, and that a page be set apart in the printed proceedings of the Council.

Seconded and carried.

Bishop appointed S. W. Ravenal, the Rev. D. H. Atwill and the Rev. E. C. Johnson.

It was **RESOLVED**: That some suitable appreciation be made of the late Bishop Atwill in the publication of this Council's proceedings.

Mr. B. C. Howard presented the following resolution:

*Resolved*, That the Treasurer of the Diocese be and he is hereby authorized and directed to pay upon the order of the President of the Sunday School Institute such sums of money as may be necessary to carry on the work of the Sunday School Institute during the ensuing year, provided, however, that the total sum shall not exceed two hundred dollars (\$200.00) and, provided further, that all orders on the Treasurer shall be approved by the Bishop of the Diocese.

The Rev. Dr. Brady moved an amendment that the sum allowed be \$100.00. The amendment was carried.

On motion by Mr. J. V. B. Ellard, it was **RESOLVED**: That we reconsider the question of printing 600 copies of the Journal.

On motion by the Rev. Dr. Ritchey, it was **RESOLVED**: That the question of the number of Journals to be printed shall be left to the discretion of the Bishop and Secretary of the Council.

The following report of St. Luke's Hospital was read by the Secretary:

#### **ST. LUKE'S HOSPITAL.**

The work of St. Luke's Hospital has been carried on during the last year with its customary efficiency under the able direction of Miss Keely, superintendent. The demand for rooms has been at all times greater than the supply, emphasizing anew the urgent need of increased accommodations.

As large an amount of charity work as the resources of the hospital permitted has been done, including that in the children's ward, supported by the St. Luke's Hospital Club of young women.

The Bishop Atwill Memorial Cot Fund has grown to something over \$3,000.00, but is not yet completed.

The late Thomas B. Tomb provided in his will for a bequest of \$5,000.00 to the hospital, of which a ten per cent installment has been paid over by the executrix.

Through the generosity of Mrs. Madison W. St. Clair, a beautiful and appropriate altar has been provided for the chapel, which has been fitted up in the front room of the ground floor of the hospital, other friends assisting in the proper equipment and decorating of the room.

The setting aside of this room as a chapel fills a want long felt; the absence of such an essential feature in a Church institution having been

a source hitherto of keen regret. In doing so, however, it involved a loss of about \$700.00 annual revenue, the room in question having been the highest income-producer in the hospital. It is confidently hoped that the Churchmen and Churchwomen of the Diocese will see that the hospital shall suffer no loss by reason of action in this matter.

In June, 1910, a class of *two* nurses was graduated from the Training School; and a class of *three* is ready to receive diplomas at this time. This will make a total of 17 graduates from this institution.

It has not seemed possible to carry out the provisions of the resolution adopted by the Council last year. Action in the immediate future to enlarge and develop the work is imperative.

JAY M. LEE,  
*Secretary.*

June 28, 1911.

On motion by the Rev. Dr. Brady, it was RESOLVED: That a commission consisting of five clergymen, of which the Bishop shall be one, and five laymen, of which the Chancellor shall be one, be appointed to prepare and present to the next Annual Council a new Constitution and Canons for the Diocese of Kansas City.

*Resolved*, That the proposed report of this Commission be printed in galley form and submitted to the members of the Council at least one month before it assembles.

On motion by the Rev. Dr. Brady, it was RESOLVED: That the expense of printing and mailing proposed Constitutions and Canons, shall be paid by the Treasurer of the Council on the order of the Bishop.

On motion by the Rev. Dr. Brady, it was RESOLVED: That it is the sense of this Council that the funds of this Diocese under the control of the Board of Missions shall be expended wherever, in the judgment of the Board, they will accomplish most in the Diocesan work.

On motion by the Rev. Dr. Brady, it was RESOLVED: That it is the sense of this Council that the railroad fares of all members of the Board of Missions shall be paid by the Treasurer of the Board upon attendance at any regular called meeting of the Board.

The matter of the Special Tax bill against Calvary Church, Pleasant Hill, was referred to the Parochial Trust Fund without recommendation.

The Standing Committee of the Diocese organized by elect-



ing the Rev. J. Stewart-Smith\* as President and the Rev. J. D. Ritchey, D.D., as Secretary.

Invitations for the next Annual Council to meet with them were received from Christ Church Parish, St. Joseph, Trinity Parish, Kansas City, and St. Philip's Parish, Joplin. By a vote of 21 to 13, it was resolved to accept the invitation to meet in Trinity Parish, Kansas City, in May, 1912.

Moved, seconded and carried that we do now adjourn.

SIDNEY C. PARTRIDGE,

*Bishop.*

Attest:

CARL R. TAYLOR,

*Secretary.*

## **Parochial Reports.**

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### **BOONVILLE.**

#### **CHRIST CHURCH**

Organized about 1840

Wardens—S. W. Ravenal, Senior Warden: Dr. G. A. Russell, Junior Warden.

Secretary—Fred Sombart, Boonville, Mo.

Treasurer—C. P. Gott, Boonville, Mo.

Vestrymen—S. W. Ravenal, G. A. Russell, F. Sauter, M. E. Schmidt, W. S. Stephens, C. P. Gott, Fred Sombart, G. T. Irwin, E. J. Garr.

The families (members both male and female) and communicants in the parish are about the same as of last report. Owing to the sickness and death of our Rector, the records are incomplete.

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### **BROOKFIELD.**

#### **GRACE CHURCH**

Rector—Archdeacon, Kansas City, Mo.

Warden—John McCartney.

Secretary—C. W. Green, Brookfield, Mo.

Treasurer—L. E. Dewey, Brookfield, Mo.

Vestrymen—L. E. Dewey, C. W. Green, J. F. Turner, George Johnson, E. G. Chapman.

The Church in Brookfield has suffered much from removals and defections to Christian Science. There are some staunch Church people there who desire and appreciate such services as can be supplied.

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### **BRUNSWICK.**

#### **ST. PAUL'S CHURCH**

This is another station in which the Church people have moved away, and the building is in a state of desuetude. I understand some Church people have moved in, and will visit them shortly.

**PAROCHIAL REPORTS.****CARROLLTON.****ST. PAUL'S CHURCH****Organized Nov. 4, 1872.****Rector—The Archdeacon.****Wardens—H. M. Pettit, R. H. Monies.****Secretary—Jay Higgenbottom, Carrollton, Mo.****Treasurer—R. H. Monies, Carrollton, Mo.****Vestrymen—Jay Higgenbottom, Wm. E. Scott, Arthur Phillips.****CARTHAGE.****GRACE CHURCH****Organized April 18, 1870.****Rector—F. M. Weddell, 820 Howard St.****Wardens—T. N. Davey, A. M. Drake.****Secretary—M. C. Conkey, S. McGregor St.****Treasurer—R. E. Frey, 1350 S. Main St.****Vestrymen—T. N. Davey, A. M. Drake, D. G. Wells, W. R. Moss, C. F. Drake, M. C. Conkey, A. F. Bencke, A. L. Caulkins, R. E. Frey.****CHILLICOTHE****GRACE CHURCH****Treasurer, Allan McDowell, Chillicothe.****FAYETTE.****ST. MARY'S CHURCH****Wardens—I. H. Pearson, Senior Warden; John Talbot, Junior Warden.****Secretary—Harry Nutt.****Treasurer—Miss Nell Potts.****Vestrymen—I. H. Pearson, John Talbot, Harry Nutt, Robert Jacoby.**

In 1892 we turned over to Bishop Atwill \$700.00, the amount of the sale of Rectory. It seems no one in Kansas City can trace this fund to find who loaned it, to find who borrowed it, the rate of interest, or the time it is due. We owe \$700.00 for paved streets on two sides of the church, and shall lose our little church unless this amount can be located and the amount with interest turned over to us.

**INDEPENDENCE, MO.****TRINITY CHURCH**

Organized in 1844.

Rector—Oscar Homburger, 403 North Liberty St., Ind., Mo.

Wardens—Mark S. Salisbury and Florian C. Florance.

Secretary—C. W. Lyon, A. Taylor, Jr., Asst., 203 South Pendleton St., Independence, Mo.

Treasurer—C. W. Lyon, A. Taylor, Jr., Asst., 203 South Pendelton St., Independence, Mo.

Vestrymen—Mark S. Salisbury, Florian C. Florance, Clifford W. Lyon, Frank Wallace, Henry B. Merrill, Spencer Wheeler, S. Loveland William H. Burgess, Paul P. White, Thomas Knight, Sr.

Of the 160 confirmed persons 100 received communion in this Parish during the year, though it is known that a number of others have received elsewhere. This has been due to the inconvenient hours at which most of our celebrations have perforce been held. The increase over last year is less than appears owing to incomplete records last year, and the inclusion of all (instead of only part) of Mt. Washington. There has, however, been a substantial growth as well.

We have put in first class heating plant, repaired the roof and stained glass windows, and have dug a basement. We are now engaged in collecting a fund to erect a Parish House and have considerable over \$100.00 on hand to start the fund.

Two new Parish societies have been formed within the past year, one for ladies and one for boys and young men. Almost all the ladies of the Parish now attend one or other of our three Guilds. With God's gracious help the foundation now laid, should support a fine superstructure.

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**JOPLIN****ST. PHILIP'S CHURCH**

No Report.

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**KANSAS CITY****GRACE CHURCH**

Organized in 1870

Rector—J. A. Schaad, 927 W. 34th St.

Wardens—H. D. Ashley, Bernard D. Rowe.

Secretary—E. M. Clendening, Commercial Club.

Treasurer, L. R. Moore, Jr., Postal Bldg.

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Vestrymen—W. H. Chapman, B. C. Christopher, J. W. McKenzie, W. C. Goffe, W. R. Jacques, E. P. Pratt, B. Rockwell, B. R. Clark, W. M. Reid, H. M. C. Law, John Bovard, Matthew Foster.

During the year a lot was bought and a new Rectory built, the property costing \$15,000.00, and is the gift of one parishioner, Mrs. Madison W. St. Clair.

## ST. GEORGE'S CHURCH

Organized March 23, 1891

Rector—Cyrus Townsend Brady, LL.D., 2929 Tracy Ave.

Wardens—A. C. Stowell (Rector's), F. M. Hayward (Vestry's).

Secretary—W. L. Richards, 3912 Manheim Road.

Financial Secretary—L. F. Coles, 2915 Lydia Ave.

Treasurer—Wm. Mendenhall, 3125 Woodland Ave.

Missionary Treasurer—George Wise, 822 Linwood Blvd.

Vestrymen—All the above and F. C. Broadway, J. V. B. Ellard, F. S. Ford, B. C. Howard, Jos. W. Howard, A. W. Pest, W. A. Remfry, G. J. Stott, and J. Q. Watkins.

Our report includes the statistics of a parochial mission called St. Andrews, temporarily located at 39th and Prospect Sts., in which Sunday school and services have been regularly maintained. During the year the parish has arranged practically to wipe out its floating debt and has reduced its bonded debt to \$22,500.00. It also has an equity of \$20,000.00 in a lot on the Paseo on which it expects to realize in the near future, which will further reduce the funded debt.

## ST. MARK'S CHURCH

Organized April 12, 1889

Rector—Arthur W. Griffin, 714 Benton Blvd.

Wardens—Timothy C. Bradley and Ivor Caleb.

Secretary—Ross Hawkins, 2618 E. 8th St.

Treasurer—Alfred Hamlin, 500 Brooklyn Ave.

Vestrymen—A. D. Johnson, Fred H. Wood, Clement A. Whittaker, W. Meigs Bland, Wm. T. Hall, J. R. Duff, W. W. Leeds.

There was no rector of the Parish for several months, therefore the report is not as complete and satisfactory as we would like.

## ST. MARY'S CHURCH

Organized Dec. 14, 1857

Rector—J. Stewart-Smith, 1307 Holmes St.

Wardens—B. E. Fryer, M. D., Thomas Pain.

Secretary—M. G. Harman, 308 Hall Bldg.

Treasurer—F. A. Smith, 416 Reliance Bldg.

Vestrymen—E. C. Hamill, F. H. Cutler, A. P. Devereux, H. L. Jost, J. S. Smith.

The shifting character of the population to whom St. Mary's ministers makes it impossible to give accurate figures.

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ST. PAUL'S CHURCH

Organized May 5, 1891

Rector—J. D. Richey.

Wardens—Walton H. Holmes, Senior Warden, Egbert Chapman, Junior Warden.

Secretary—Paul A Simonds, 4020 Warwick Ave.

Treasurer—T. J. Brodnax, 403 Exchange Bldg.

Vestrymen—C. W. Armour, John G. Groves, V. W. Gayle, John Fennelly, Edward George, Benjamin B. Lee, Gardiner Lathrop, F. Stanley Young, C. J. Hubbard.

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TRINITY CHURCH

Rector—Robert Nelson Spencer, 1004 Park Ave.

Wardens—Hon. John T. Harding, Senior Warden; John Gosling, Esq., Junior Warden.

Secretary—James E. Long, 719 Highland Ave.

Treasurer—F. B. Mertshimer, Esq., 610 N. Y. Life Bldg.

Vestrymen—The above and Albert White, C. H. Childs, R. W. Carey, W. M. Federmann, R. H. Schmalfeldt, William Cooper, J. Roy Gregg, J. C. Fuller, Dr. J. C. Howard, W. F. Edelen.

Owing to conditions which presented themselves during the year and the state of our church property, the parish has raised and paid out the sum of \$1,300.00 which does not appear on other sheet of this report.

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LEXINGTON

CHRIST CHURCH

Organized 1842

Rector, Charles H. Bohn, Marshall, Mo.

Wardens—J. F. Foster, W. Bills.

Secretary-Treasurer—J. Reid Moreland, Lexington, Mo.

Vestrymen—B. M. Little, Lucien Lesneur.

This was once a very flourishing parish, but by removal, to Kansas City especially, it has lost nearly all its strength. Lexington is a mining town, and we are doing a good work in the Sunday School. I have an excellent band of women who are ever ready to help in Sunday School and Guild, but our men! Please note the large number of souls. This is where the parents of Sunday School scholars look to me for ministrations, but do not come to church and contribute nothing to the support of the church. The Bishop of the Diocese has not visited this parish in over 6 years and there are several waiting for confirmation now.

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### MARYVILLE

#### ST. PAUL'S CHURCH

Organized March 1, 1878

Rector—Archdeacon, Kansas City, Mo.

Warden—E. J. Williams.

Secretary—M. J. Alderman, Maryville.

This parish has been almost defunct since the terrible tragedy of Mr. Hathaway's death. In spite of all discouragements some services have been held, and a few of the people induced to attend. On the day of the Council, June 28, 1911, I buried the faithful Senior Warden, Mr. E. J. Williams, from the church.

E. C. JOHNSON.

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### NEVADA

#### ALL SAINTS CHURCH

Organized 1866

Rector—John Boden, 702 W. Austin St., Nevada, Mo.

Wardens—Henry Kraft, Jr., Harry R. Stevens.

Secretary—Twyman W. Harper, Nevada, Mo.

Treasurer—Robt. Gabrielsen, Nevada, Mo.

Vestrymen—Robt. Gabrielsen, Twyman W. Harper, H. W. Sutton, C. O. Graves, F. B. George.

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### PLEASANT HILL

#### CALVARY CHURCH

Rector—Oscar Homburger, Independence.

Wardens—John Holloway, H. S. Prentiss.

Secretary—John Holloway, Pleasant Hill.

Treasurer—John Holloway, Pleasant Hill.

Vestrymen—John Holloway, H. S. Prentiss, James A. Ainsworth.

The special tax bill against this church property amounting to \$72.87 is drawing 15% interest from Jan. 16, 1911, and provision of payment of same ought to be made.

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**ST. JOSEPH.**

**CHRIST CHURCH**

Including St. Luke's Mission.

Rector—Edward Henry Eckel, B.D.

Curate—Giles Herbert Sharpley.

Wardens—W. R. Millan and Horace Stringfellow.

Secretary—Mr. Frank L. Endebrock, 100 N. Third St.

Treasurer—Mr. Horace Stringfellow, 731 S. Fourth St.

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**CHURCH OF THE HOLY TRINITY**

Organized 1881

Lay Reader in charge, 1604 So. 11th St.

Wardens—Mr. John Howe, Senior Warden, Edward L. Graham, Junior Warden.

Secretary—Edward L. Graham, 1006 So. 20th St.

Treasurer—Charles F. Horan, 3109 Messanie St.

Vestrymen—John Howe, E. L. Graham, C. F. Horan, F. W. Archer, Chas. Sowter, Wm. J. Hardenstein, Fred C. Wilkins, C. R. Miller, Frank D. Keys, Chas. Compton.

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**SEDALIA**

**CALVARY CHURCH**

Organized 1868

Rector—Douglass Henry Atwill, Sedalia, Mo.

Wardens—D. H. Smith, Senior Warden; A. D. Stanley, Junior Warden.

Secretary—E. W. Lamy, 10th and Missouri, Sedalia.

Treasurer—C. C. Evans, Sedalia Trust Co., Sedalia.

Vestrymen—D. H. Smith, A. D. Stanley, E. W. Lamy, W. J. Maltby, W. H. Schnare, J. W. Meller, Ed. Metcalf, C. M. Price, N. C. Smith.

There was also installed during the year past a two-manual pipe organ, funds for which have been accruing for the past three years. The cost was \$2,150.00, of which we paid cash \$1,750.00. The balance was cared for by a note at a local bank which is recorded on the preceding page as a floating debt of \$450.00.



**PAROCHIAL REPORTS:****SPRINGFIELD  
CHRIST CHURCH**

**Rector**—Frank Frederick Beckerman, 328 Kimbrough St.

**Wardens**—James Blain, George H. McCann.

**Secretary**—John Syfan, 727 E. Elm St.

**Treasurer**—H. Z. Williams, 727 E. Elm St.

**Vestrymen**—S. E. Austin, James Blain, George H. McCann, George J. McCann, Ernest Hudson, John Syfan, H. Z. Williams.

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**ST. JOHN'S CHURCH  
No Report.**

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**WARRENSBURG.****CHRIST CHURCH**

**Organized May 28, 1868**

**Rector**—William Arthur Pearman, Warrensburg, Mo.

**Wardens**—Chas. A. Shepard, Senior Warden; W. B. Tuttle, Junior Warden

**Secretary**—J. A. Zimmerman, Warrensburg, Mo.

**Treasurer**—Miss Lillian Duffield, Warrensburg, Mo.

**Vestrymen**—Chas. A. Shepard, W. B. Tuttle, Ewing Cockrell, J. A. Zimmerman, John E. Clark, John Wilson, U. A. McBride, J. C. Fuller, W. B. Wolfskill, Oscar Brock, Otto Brock, Mr. Smythe.

This report is for the year 1911. In regard to the communicants. *Two* of the 6 male and *four* of the 28 female have not made their communion in the last year to my knowledge. There are six communicants; female: who are teachers and students at the Missouri State Normal and are not transferred and are not counted in the list of communicants. There are two regular communicants of this congregation who have never been confirmed and not likely to be.

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**BLACKBURN.  
CHURCH OF MEDIATOR**

**Missionary**—C. H. Bohn, Marshall.

The church at Blackburn is in a dilapidated condition. The Missionary-in-Charge, the Rev. Mr. Bohn, of Marshall, reports that there are no church people there. He is in favor of selling the property, for which there is a would-be buyer, and investing the proceeds in a Rectory at Marshall.

THE REV. E. C. JOHNSON.

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**WESTON.  
ST. JOHN'S  
(No Report)**

## **Mission Reports.**

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### **AMAZONIA.**

#### **ST. MATTHEWS**

**Missionary**—E. W. Flower, 1202 N. Twentysixth St., St. Joseph, Mo.  
**Treasurer**—Mrs. Francis Thomas, Amazonia, Mo.

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### **AURORA.**

#### **TRINITY MISSION**

(No Report)

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### **BUTLER.**

#### **ST. MARK'S**

Organized 1875

**Archdeacon**—409 Wabash Ave., Kansas City, Mo.  
**Warden**—M. S. Clay.  
**Secretary**—H. M. Cannan, Butler, Mo.

Nevada demanding the whole of Mr. Boden's time, since his removal from Butler, this mission is without a missionary, and is in charge of the Archdeacon.

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### **CAMERON.**

#### **ST. JOHN'S MISSION**

Organized 1869

**Archdeacon**—409 Wabash Ave., Kansas City, Mo.  
**Warden**—A. J. Althouse.  
**Secretary**—J. A. Franklin, Cameron, Mo.  
**Treasurer**—Thomas E. Turney, Cameron, Mo.

The Rev. Mr. Prentiss left the mission at Easter. . The number of services and addresses represents the work of the Archdeacon since that time.

## MISSION REPORTS.

## CLINTON.

## ST. PAUL'S MISSION

Organized July 10, 1886.

Missionary—D. E. Johnstone, LL.D., 215 E. Jefferson St., Clinton, Mo.

Wardens—Richard Bowen, Sr. W., W. L. Gurner, Jr. W.

Secretary—H. H. Williams, Clinton, Mo.

Treasurer—H. H. Williams, Clinton, Mo.

Vestrymen—Richard Bowen, W. L. Gurner, H. H. Williams, J. McClain,  
Maj. A. C. Landon, C. W. Hoen.

## EXCELSIOR SPRINGS.

## ST. LUKE'S MISSION

(No Report)

## FORDLAND.

## ST. LUKE'S MISSION

(No Report)

## HAMILTON.

## TRINITY

(No Report)

## HARRISONVILLE.

## ST. PETER'S MISSION

Organized 1871

Missionary D. E. Johnstone, LL.D., D.C.L., Clinton, Mo.

Wardens F. S. Clarke, Sr. W., J. A. Davis, Jr. W.

Secretary R. W. Adams, Harrisonville, Mo.

Treasurer R. W. Adams, Harrisonville, Mo.

Vestrymen F. S. Clarke, J. A. Davis, R. W. Adams, Will Deacon, C. H.  
Pearson.

## HIGGINSVILLE.

## ST. ALBAN'S MISSION

Missionary - Chas. H. Bohn, Marshall, Mo.

There is no building for church purposes of any kind. The priest from Marshall and Lexington, the two nearest towns in which there is a church,

comes here irregularly on his way between his two parishes, at no expense to the people here, except when he stays over night. He comes sometimes twice a month, on Mondays, sometimes not so often, and has service (communion) in a private house, where lay service is held every Sunday, though we have no *regular* lay reader. We have had one Sunday service by the priest during the year, using an abandoned Methodist church. There is a woman's guild of five members.

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**HOLDEN.**

**MT. CALVARY**

(No Report)

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**KANSAS CITY.**

**ST. AUGUSTINE'S MISSION**

Organized 1881

**Missionary**—Edward S. Willett, 1016 Virginia St., Kansas City, Mo.

**Wardens**—Thomas D. Williamson.

**Secretary**—Hugh O. Cook, 2436 Montgall Ave., Kansas City, Mo.

**Treasurer**—W. H. Bousfield, 3020 Chestnut St., Kansas City, Mo.

**Vestrymen**—Roscoe C. Wasson, Frederick C. Trent, Richard T. Coles, Charles A. Jackson.

St Augustine's Mission is now thirty years old. Within the past four years the membership has more than doubled; there being less than sixty communicants when I took up the work. I do not believe that St. Augustine's can do for my race what the American Church would like to have it do if it follows the policy prevalent in its ministrations for the last thirty years. Now is the time for us to help the negro build a good moral and industrial foundation. My people must have our weaker ones strengthened if we are to build up. Church work of the settlement or institutional character is what is needed among the negroes of Kansas City and through it we can teach the Catholic Faith more effectively than by any other means.

E. S. W.

**ST. JOHN'S MISSION**

**Missionary**—Carl Reed Taylor, 525 Kensington Ave., Kansas City, Mo.

**Wardens**—Donald G. Murray, 527 Kensington Ave., Kansas City, Mo.

**Secretary**—Jay M. Lee, 605 R. A. Long Bldg, Kansas City, Mo.

**Treasurer**—Chas. R. Kenmuir, Title & Savings Trust Co., Kansas City, Mo.

**Vestrymen**—Donald G. Murray, Baron J. Fradenburg, Joseph S. Warrick, Fred C. Adams, Lorenzo B. Deagle, Richard H. Wetherhogg, John S. Beckett, Jay M. Lee, Chas. R. Kenmuir.

## MISSION REPORTS.

In addition to the regular parochial work herein reported, as chaplain of St. Luke's Hospital, I have held thirty-two services there and the other regular weekly services have been maintained through the kindness of my brethren.

I have also had the privilege of acting as chaplain at the Labor Temple for Typographical Union No. 80, and for the Industrial Council, to which I am an accredited delegate from No. 80.

C. R. T.

## ST. SIMON'S MISSION

**Missionary:** E. S. Willett, 1016 Virginia St., Kansas City, Mo.

This work is of the settlement institutional type, operated for the benefit of negro children and youth who have been neglected.

It needs greater church recognition, financial help. Although it takes a great deal of the missionary's time and causes him a great deal of anxiety he receives not a penny for it, having of necessity assumed this responsibility in addition to his care of St. Augustine's Mission, for which he receives his stipend.

## HOLY SPIRIT MISSION

(Deaf Mute)

**Missionary—J. M. Koehler, 415 West 13th St., Kansas City, Mo.,**

I have attended eight social gatherings of the deaf in Kansas City, and delivered several lectures. The New Year's reception at Grace Guild Hall brought together over fifty in spite of the severely stormy weather. The number of individuals attending the services, etc., was about 150; highest at a service, 40; largest number receiving communion at one time, 16; average, 12. I made 22 pastoral calls.

The communicant list includes four residing in Kansas City, Kan., and five residing at Independence, Mo. Offerings for missionary's expenses, \$27.59.

## LAMAR.

## TRINITY MISSION

Organized 1903

**Missionary—James Senior, Lamar, Mo.**

**Secretary—Mrs. Paul Tucker, Lamar, Mo.**

**Treasurer—Mr. Walter J. Miller, Lamar, Mo.**

**Vestrymen—Mrs. Walter J. Miller, Mrs. C. A. Lockwood.**

## LATHROP

**Secretary—Mrs. C. C. Baker, Lathrop, Mo.**

**LEBANON.**

Wardens—Chas. L. Palmer.

Secretary—E. F. Stebbins, Lebanon, Mo.

Treasurer—H. T. Wright, Lebanon, Mo.

Services by lay reader, 30. May 15, 1910, Rev. Senior. Rev. McIntosh, seven services. Rev. Johnson, Archdeacon, two. visitations, 6 days. Average attendance lay services, 10. Lay reader out of town from Jan. 8 to March 24. No regular services since July, 1908.

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**LEES SUMMIT.****ST. PAUL'S MISSION**

Missionary—Arthur M. Griffin, Kansas City, Mo.

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**LIBERTY.****GRACE MISSION**

Missionary—C. R. Taylor, Kansas City, Mo.

Secretary—Mrs. A. Clarke, Liberty, Mo.

Treasurer—Mrs. A. Clarke, Liberty, Mo.

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**MARSHALL.****TRINITY MISSION.**

Missionary—Charles H. Bohn, Marshall, Mo.

Wardens—Dr. Wm. H. Harrison, Joseph N. Chase.

Secretary—F. W. Niles, Marshall, Mo.

Treasurer—Edmund Brown, Marshall, Mo.

During the year we gave the unorganized mission at Higginsville as much of a permanent shape as we could. The Confederate Home is about one and one-half miles from this place. In the Living Church Almanac this Home is accredited with 16 communicants. There are none now at this place. Occasionally there are a few. But at Higginsville we have one male communicant and seven female communicants. There is no church property of any kind. There has never been any. I hold services twice a month there—always in a private house, except on a few occasions when we used the Sunday School room of the Methodist Church. The women have a guild which has done some auxiliary work last winter for some Indian school in South Dakota. They also contributed to the Diocesan Missionary Fund, \$3.00. They have lay services nearly every Sunday.

They have no lay reader—but an unauthorized female lay reader conducts the services. I give the fifth Sundays to them for an all-day service, and will be with them on the fifth Sunday in this month. The mission wishes to be known as St. Alban's.

At Sweet Springs we claim 15 communicants. I have been there several times but could make no beginning. Shall go again when the weather is cooler. There seems to be a better opening than at Higginsville. We have no property in Sweet Springs. The town is growing. Was once quite a fashionable summer resort. A very nice place.

At Blackburn we had once a very flourishing mission. There must have been 50 to 75 communicants because there were over 60 children (or people) in the Sunday School. There is now left two men and two women who live about two miles in the country. The church building is tumbling down, is not on our church lot, but reverts to the owner. There is a chance to sell it. The people (two men and two women, as above) are willing to sell it to the owner of the lot for \$200.00. I asked the Standing Committee to give me authority to sell but have heard nothing from them. A very good chapel organ, pews, pulpit, altar, etc., could be used by some mission. These should be taken out of the building at once. A letter addressed to Mr. Jim Swift will receive attention. I go there occasionally.

Odeasa, a nice town, but no church and no church people as far as I know.

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#### MILAN.

(No Report)

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#### MONETT.

##### ST. STEPHEN'S MISSION

Missionary—F. M. Weddell, Carthage, Mo.  
 Secretary—Mrs. J. W. Bingham, Monett, Mo.  
 Treasurer—Mrs. J. W. Bingham, Monett, Mo.

This mission has been very much neglected. At the request of the Rev. C. A. Weed, Dean of the Southern Convocation, I began holding service there Jan. 3rd, this year (1911). The church cannot be expected to grow much without Sunday services.

F. M. W.

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#### MOUNTAIN GROVE.

##### MOUNTAIN GROVE MISSION

Organized 1890

Missionary—Archdeacon Johnson, 409 Wabash Ave., Kansas City, Mo.  
 Warden—H. E. Stiff.  
 Secretary—C. M. Mitchell, Mountain Grove, Mo.  
 Treasurer—E. J. Green, Mountain Grove, Mo.

The Archdeacon has asked the Rector of Christ Church, Springfield, to give this mission such services as he can, and he has kindly consented. The services and sermons above reported are by the Archdeacon.

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**NEOSHO.****ST. JOHN'S MISSION**

Organized June, 28, 1889

Missionary—Rev. Chas. A. Weed, Joplin, Mo.

Wardens—W. F. Eves.

Secretary—J. E. Rathell, Neosho, Mo.

Treasurer—F. N. Price, Neosho, Mo.

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**OSWALD.****ST. OSWALD'S MISSION**

Missionary—E. W. Flower, 1202 N. Twenty-sixth St., St. Joseph, Mo.

Wardens—Isaac Tyson.

Secretary—Miss Lizzie Tyson, Skidmore, Mo., R. F. D.

Treasurer—William Bowness, Fairfax, Mo., R. F. D.

Vestrymen—John Laycock, Isaac Tyson, William Bowness.

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**PLATTE CITY.****ST. THOMAS**

(No Report)

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**PLATTSBURG.****ST. MARY'S MISSION**

Organized 1874

Archdeacon, 409 Wabash Ave., Kansas City, Mo.

Wardens—Frank B. Ellis.

Treasurer—I. B. Ellis, Plattsburg, Mo.

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**RICH HILL.****ST. LUKE'S**

(No Report)



**RICHMOND.****ST. PAUL'S**

Unorganized

Archdeacon Johnson, 409 Wabash Ave., Kansas City, Mo.

There is a lot for church, and the nucleus of a building fund. The Ladies' Guild raise about \$100.00 for it every year.

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**ST. JOSEPH.****ST. MATTHIAS' MISSION**

Organized 1885

Missionary—E. W. Flower, 1202 N. Twenty-sixth St., St. Joseph, Mo.

Warden—Robert L. Scott.

Secretary—Mrs. W. D. Hawkins, 1713 Angelique St., St. Joseph, Mo.

Treasurer—Mrs. R. L. Scott, 2205 Sylvania St., St. Joseph, Mo.

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**SAVANNAH.****ST. MARY'S MISSION**

Organized 1855

Archdeacon—409 Wabash Ave., Kansas City, Mo.

Treasurer Mrs. C. C. Christianson, Savannah, Mo.

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**STANBERRY.****TRINITY**

(No Report)

**SWEET SPRINGS.****ST. JAMES'**

(No Report)

**TIPTON.****ST. GEORGE'S**

(No Report)

**TRENTON.****ST. PHILIP'S MISSION**

Organized 1893

Archdeacon, 409 Wabash Ave., Kansas City, Mo.

Warden—G. T. McGrath.

Secretary—Dr. D. E. Archer, Trenton, Mo.

Treasurer—G. T. McGrath, Trenton, Mo.

The Missionary, Rev. S. E. Prentiss, left this field at Easter. Services and sermons since have been the work of the the Archdeacon, as reported above.

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**VERSAILLES.****TRINITY MISSION**

(No Report)

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**UTICA.****TRINITY MISSION**

(No Report)

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**WEBB CITY.****ST. PAUL'S MISSION**

Organized Nov. 20, 1899

Missionary—C. A. Weed, Joplin. Mo.

Warden—F. C. Wallower.

Secretary—J. E. Cobb, Globe Office, Webb City, Mo.

Treasurer—F. W. Kellogg, Webb City, Mo.

Vestrymen—F. C. Forlow, W. Geo. Waring, P. H. Eastby, T. Frank Lennan.

The only suggestions I desire to add are these:

That Webb City is an important center from which a resident rector or missionary could reach and bring under the influence of the church at less expense for travel than perhaps any other town of 12,000 people in the Diocese.

The following towns are within a 5c. to 15c. fare from Webb City: Carterville, 5,000; Oronogo, 2,000; Alba, Purcell, Neck City, Prosperity, Duneweg, each from 1,000 to 1,200, according to census 1910, and, besides these a large farming population close to car lines—a total population close these, a large farming population close to car lines—a total population within reach of more than 25,000. A young and earnest missionary priest, using street cars and bicycle, could do a great work as the entire population (unlike other mining districts) is English-speaking, and many former church people are scattered around within an area of 8 to 10 miles. J. E. C.

**WEST PLAINS.**

Organized 1889

**ALL SAINTS' MISSION**

Missionary—Robert James Belt, 12 S. Carry St., West Plains, Mo.

Warden—Wm. W. Mantz.

Secretary—Joseph Knoerle, West Plains, Mo.

Treasurer—Wm. J. Gleerup, West Plains, Mo.

Vestrymen—Richard Miller, Charles A. Hovey, Charles Brown.

The Archdeacon gave us a week of services in Lent.

*To the Right Rev. Sidney Catlin Partridge, D.D., Bishop of Kansas City*

RIGHT REVEREND SIR:

In submitting this report to you I beg to be permitted to begin with a word of welcome to yourself, personally, on behalf of myself and the silent people of God Whom I serve. We join in the prayers and hopes of all who are united in wishing for you a long and prosperous Episcopate in the Diocese.

My record of work for the year ending April 30th follows. Illness caused an absence of several months during the winter, but for which larger results might be shown. But substantial progress has been made, several candidates for confirmation having come forward at Kansas City and Webb City.

#### SERVICES HELD

Kansas City, 17. Holy Communions, 5. Baptisms, 1. Entertainments and lectures, 8. Individuals reached, 150. Highest attendance at services, 40. Highest at Communion, 16. Average, 12. Pastoral calls, 22. Marriages, 1.

Independence—Calls, 4. Funerals, 1. by the Rev. J. H. Cloud of St. Louis, in my absence.

Joplin—Services, 1. Calls, 4.

Carthage—Services, 4.

Webb City—Services, 5. Baptisms, 4.

St. Joseph—Services, 7.

Total services, 35. Communions, 5. Baptisms, Adults, 2; children, 3. total 5. Marriages, 1. Funerals, 1.

The offerings were as follows:

Kansas City.....	\$27.59	
St. Joseph.....	2.35	
Webb City.....	5.37	
Carthage.....	4.60	
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Specials:		
Rev. J. A. Schaad.....	\$ 20.00	
Mr. Bain, Springfield .....	1.00	
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Total receipts.....		\$ 60.91
Balance from Last year.....		2.35
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		\$ 63.26

The expenses of the work in the Diocese for railroad fares, hotels, postage, etc., were \$93.80, leaving a deficit of \$30.54 which has been met out of my General Expense Fund. I trust this same may be replaced within the coming year.

I have continued to serve the adjacent Dioceses of Oklahoma, Kansas, Colorado, Nebraska, Iowa and the Dakotas. During the past two years in this field I have served some thirty-five points, most of them monthly, holding some six hundred services and traveling 100,000 miles. There have

been fifty Baptisms and twenty confirmations. Some forty people are under instruction for Baptism and Confirmation. About 3,000 people have been reached. There are 6,000 in the field.

Bespeaking your interest in this work, and praying God to bless it abundantly, this report is submitted.

Faithfully and obediently,

J. M. KOEHLER,  
*Missionary*

June 28, 1911.

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## Appendix.

### APPENDIX NO. 1

#### ASSESSMENTS FOR THE DIOCESE.

##### Parishes.

	ASSESSM'T
Blackburn, Mediator .....	\$ 11.00
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Boonville, Christ.....	88.00
Brookfield, Grace.....	75.00
Brunswick, St. Paul's .....	20.00
Carrollton, St. Paul's .....	22.00
Carthage, Grace.....	200.00
Chillicothe, Grace.....	160.00
Fayette, St. Mary's.....	12.00
Independence, Trinity .....	40.00
Joplin, St. Philip's.....	100.00
Kansas City—	
Grace.....	700.00
St. George's.....	400.00
St. Mark's.....	154.00
St. Mary's.....	300.00
St. Paul's.....	825.00
Trinity.....	375.00
Maryville, St. Paul's.....	20.00
Nevada, All Saint's.....	50.00
Pleasant Hill, Calvary .....	10.00
Sedalia, Calvary.....	165.00
Springfield—	
Christ Church .....	181.50
St. John's.....	137.50
St. Joseph—	
Christ Church.....	1,150.00
Holy Trinity .....	40.00
Warrensburg, Christ Church .....	60.50
Weston, St. John's.....	1.10
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	\$5,297.60

##### Missions.

	ASSESSM'T
Amazonia, St. Matthew's .....	\$ 1.00
Butler, St. Mark's.....	5.00
Cameron, St. John's .....	20.00
Clinton, St. Paul's .....	30.00
East Sedalia, All Saints' .....	15.00



	ASSESSM'T
Fordland, St. Luke's.....	\$ 2.50
Hamilton, Trinity.....	2.50
Harrisonville, St. Peter's.....	20.00
Holden, Mt. Calvary.....	15.00
Kansas City—	
St. John's.....	80.00
St. Augustine's.....	50.00
Lamar, Trinity.....	10.00
Lee's Summit, St. Paul's.....	10.00
Lebanon, Trinity.....	30.00
Liberty, Grace.....	5.00
Marshall, Trinity.....	40.00
Monett, St. Stephen's.....	10.00
Mountain Grove, St. Mark's.....	10.00
Neosho, St. John's.....	15.00
Oswald, St. Oswald's.....	20.00
Plattsburg, St. Mary's.....	10.00
Richmond, St. Paul's.....	5.00
Rich Hill, St. Luke's.....	5.00
Savannah, St. Mary's.....	10.00
St. Joseph, St. Matthias'.....	6.00
Stanberry, Trinity.....	10.00
Trenton, St. Philip's.....	15.00
Utica, Trinity.....	5.00
Webb City, St. Paul's.....	18.00
West Plains, All Saint's.....	40.00
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	\$ 515.00
Total, Parishes.....	\$5,297.60
Total, Missions.....	515.00
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	\$5,812.60

*Resolved* That the Diocesan assessment of the past year shall obtain for the next year, with the addition of ten per cent for the extraordinary expenses of the new Bishop, and that the sum received be raised by apportionment among the parishes and mission stations in the ratio at present prevailing. (See page 00 of this Journal.)

## APPENDIX NO. 2.

## SUMMARY.

## FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

1910-1911

	Cash	Boxes	Total
Woman's Auxiliary—			
Board of Missions	\$833.50	\$1,282.42	\$2,115.92
Diocesan Missions	1,104.75	98.50	1,203.25
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	\$1,938.25	\$1,380.92	\$3,319.17
Junior Auxiliary—			
Board of Missions	\$ 119.00	\$ 502.95	\$ 621.95
Diocesan Missions	120.70	17.00	137.70
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	\$ 239.70	\$ 519.95	\$ 759.65
Parish Branches			\$3,319.17
Junior Branches			759.65
Offerings at Meeting			67.61
Triennial United Offering			560.66
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Total			\$4,707.09

MRS. S. E. WOODSTOCK,  
Recording Secretary.

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# General Clergy Relief Fund

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The REV. A. J. P. McCLURE, Treasurer

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The general and official society for the Pension and Relief of Clergy, Widows and Orphans, covering the whole Church. See Canon 53. The general convention recommends an annual offering from every church, and that a percentage of the Communion Alms be given to this fund. Remit to Treasurer, Alfred J. P. McClure, the Church House, 12th and Walnut Streets, Philadelphia, Pa.

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# CANONICAL AND STATED OFFERINGS

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The following *must* be taken up by every Parish and Mission  
in Union with this Council. (*Canon XX, Sec. 1, 2*).

Diocesan Assessment - - - - - Quarterly  
HARRY L. ARNOLD, Treas., Federal Bldg., Kansas City

Diocesan Missions - - - - - Quarterly  
B. C. HOWARD Treasurer Diocesan Missionary Board,  
Commerce Trust Co., Kansas City

General Clergy Relief Fund - - - Christmas Day  
REV. A. J. P. McCLURE, 12th and Walnut Sts., Philadelphia

Permanent Episcopal Fund - - 2nd Sunday in Lent  
JAMES McKENZIE, Treas., R. A. Long Bldg., Kansas City

Theological Education Fund - - Trinity Sunday  
HARRY L. ARNOLD, Treas., Federal Bldg., Kansas City

The following are recommended and by the terms of Canon 52  
of the General Convention, an offering for General  
Missions is Obligatory

Prayer Book Distribution Society.....Whitsunday  
The REV. J. A. SCHAAD, Diocesan Commissioner, Kansas City

Domestic Missions .....1st Sunday in Advent  
Foreign Missions.....2nd Sunday after Epiphany  
Missions to Colored People.....Quinquagesima Sunday  
Missions to Indians .....4th Sunday after Easter  
American Church Building Fund.....22nd Sunday after Trinity

GEORGE GORDON KING, Treas., Church Mission House,  
281 Fourth Avenue, New York City

Missions to the Jews.. .....Good Friday  
WM. G. DAVIES, Treas., 68 East 7th St., New York City

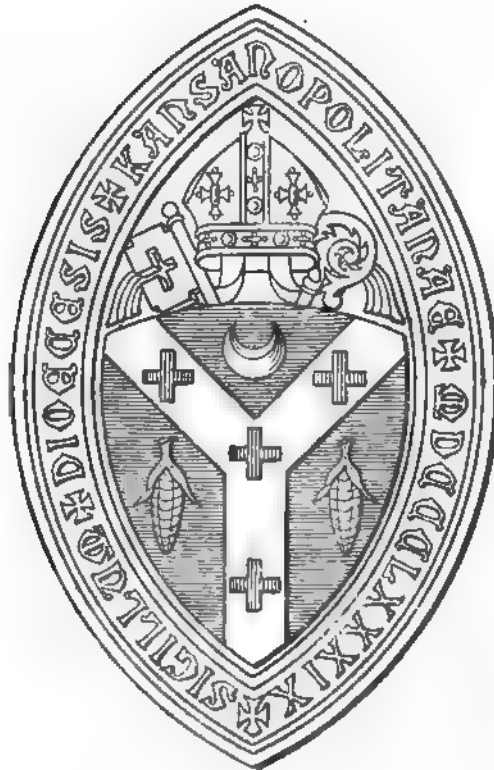
Missions to Deaf Mutes.....12th Sunday after Trinity  
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## **ERRATA**

**On page 20 in list of Lay Delegates, Trinity Church, Kansas City, should read as follows:**

**TRINITY:** John Gosling, \*W. M. Federman, Albert White, R. W. Cary, C. H. Childs, R. H. Schmalfeldt, William Cooper, W. J. Edelen, F. B. Mertsheimer, \*J. C. Fuller.

**On page 105, St. Paul's Mission, Clinton, the Wardens are: Richard Bowen, W. L. Gurner.**



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**Day of Intercession for the Diocese  
Eighteenth Sunday after Trinity,  
October 6, 1912.**

**The Twenty-Fourth Annual Coun-  
cil of the Church, in the Diocese of  
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St. Paul's Church, Kansas City, on  
Tuesday, May 13th, 1913, at 10  
o'clock a. m. and will open with  
the Holy Communion.**

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## List of Parishes.

IN UNION WITH THE COUNCIL, WITH DATES OF ORIGINAL FORMATION AND  
OF ADMISSION TO THE DIOCESE OF MISSOURI OR  
WEST MISSOURI.

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Place	Parish	Formed	Admitted
Blackburn.....	*CHURCH OF THE MEDIATOR.....	1856	1880
Boonville.....	CHRIST CHURCH.....	1835	1840
Brookfield.....	GRACE . . . . .	1874	1884
Brunswick.....	†ST. PAUL'S . . . . .	1851	1852
Carrollton.....	ST. PAUL'S . . . . .	1872	1873
Carthage.....	GRACE . . . . .	1869	1870
Chillicothe.....	GRACE . . . . .	1858	1859
Fayette.....	ST. MARY'S . . . . .	1836	1847
Independence....	TRINITY . . . . .	1844	1855
Joplin.....	ST. PHILIP'S . . . . .	1874	1891
Kansas City.....	‡GRACE . . . . .	1870	1871
Kansas City.....	ST. GEORGE'S . . . . .	1891	1891
Kansas City.....	ST. MARK'S . . . . .	1889	1889
Kansas City.....	+ST. MARY'S . . . . .	1857	1858
Kansas City.....	ST. PAUL'S . . . . .	1889	1891
Kansas City.....	TRINITY . . . . .	1883	1883
Lexington.....	CHRIST CHURCH . . . . .	1842	1846
Maryville.....	ST. PAUL'S . . . . .	1857	1878
Nevada.....	ALL SAINTS' . . . . .	1866	1870
Pleasant Hill.....	CAVALRY . . . . .	1868	1868
St. Joseph.....	CHRIST CHURCH . . . . .	1851	1852
St. Joseph.....	HOLY TRINITY . . . . .	1869	1870
Sedalia.....	CALVARY . . . . .	1868	1868
Springfield.....	CHRIST CHURCH . . . . .	1859	1860
Springfield.....	ST. JOHN'S . . . . .	1886	1886
Warrensburg.....	CHRIST CHURCH . . . . .	1859	1868
Weston.....	ST. JOHN'S . . . . .	1851	1852

Number of Parishes in the Diocese, 27.

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\*Name changed from "St. Thomas'" to "Mediator" in 1880.

†Name changed from "St. Ann's" to "St. Paul's" in 1870.

‡Name changed from "St. Paul's" to "Grace" in 1873.

+Name changed from "St. Luke's" to "St. Mary's" in 1879.

## Organized Missions.

WITH DATES OF ORIGINAL FORMATION.

Place	Mission	Organized
Amazonia . . . . .	ST. MATTHEW'S . . . . .	1875
*Aurora . . . . .	TRINITY . . . . .	1890
Butler . . . . .	ST. MARK'S . . . . .	1875
Cameron . . . . .	ST. JOHN'S . . . . .	1869
†Clinton . . . . .	ST. PAUL'S . . . . .	1886
*Excelsior Springs . . . . .	ST. LUKE'S . . . . .	1905
Hamilton . . . . .	TRINITY . . . . .	1870
Harrisonville . . . . .	ST. PETER'S . . . . .	1871
Holden . . . . .	MOUNT CALVARY . . . . .	1887
Kansas City . . . . .	ST. AUGUSTINE'S . . . . .	1882
Kansas City . . . . .	ST. JOHN'S . . . . .	1891
‡Lamar . . . . .	TRINITY . . . . .	1903
Lebanon . . . . .	TRINITY . . . . .	1872
Lee's Summit . . . . .	ST. PAUL'S . . . . .	1879
Marshall . . . . .	TRINITY . . . . .	1872
*Monett . . . . .	ST. STEPHEN'S . . . . .	1893
Mound City . . . . .	ST. OSWALD'S . . . . .	1891
Mountain Grove . . . . .	ST. MARK'S . . . . .	1890
Neosho . . . . .	ST. JOHN'S . . . . .	1889
Plattsburg . . . . .	ST. MARY'S . . . . .	1874
Rich Hill . . . . .	ST. LUKE'S . . . . .	1887
St. Joseph . . . . .	ST. MATTHIAS' . . . . .	1885
+Savannah . . . . .	ST. MARY'S . . . . .	1855
Stanberry . . . . .	TRINITY . . . . .	1902
Sweet Springs . . . . .	ST. JAMES . . . . .	1888
§Trenton . . . . .	ST. PHILIP'S . . . . .	1893
Utica . . . . .	TRINITY . . . . .	1873
Webb City . . . . .	ST. PAUL'S . . . . .	1899
West Plains . . . . .	ALL SAINTS' . . . . .	1889

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\*Not in union with Council.

†First organized as "St. Matthew's."

‡First organized as "Church of the Advent."

+First organized as "St. John's."

§First organized as "Christ Church."

## List of the Clergy.

IN THE ORDER OF THEIR CONTINUOUS RESIDENCE IN THE DIOCESE OF  
KANSAS CITY.

THE RT. REV. SIDNEY CATLIN PARTRIDGE, D.D.  
Enthroned June 27, 1911.

THE REV. J. STEWART-SMITH .....	Oct. 26, 1891..	Chicago
THE REV. CECIL P. WILSON.....	June 9, 1898..	New York
THE REV. EDWARD W. FLOWER.....	Sept. 20, 1901..	Albany
THE REV. CHARLES A. WEED.....	Oct. 15, 1901..	Nebraska
THE REV. THOMAS G. HARPER.....	Feb. 1, 1903..	England
THE REV. JEFFERSON D. RITCHEY, D.D....	Feb. 18, 1905..	Kansas
THE REV. EDWARD H. ECKEL.....	Mar. 3, 1905..	Harrisburg
THE REV. C. R. STEARNS.....	Jan. 11, 1906..	Southern Ohio
THE REV. JULIUS A. SCHAAD.....	May 1, 1906..	Michigan
THE REV. ARTHUR M. GRIFFIN.....	Sept. 1, 1906..	Salina
THE REV. JAMES SENIOR .....	Sept. 15, 1906..	Nebraska
THE REV. CHARLES H. BOHN.....	Feb. 25, 1907..	Iowa
THE REV. ROBERT N. SPENCER.....	Feb. 25, 1907..	Kansas
THE REV. CARL REED TAYLOR.....	May 2, 1907..	Duluth
THE REV. EDWARD S. WILLETT.....	May 4, 1907..	Springfield
THE REV. DOUGLAS H. ATWILL.....	June 5, 1907..	By ordination
THE REV. ROBERT J. BELT.....	May 5, 1908..	Springfield
THE REV. WILLIAM A. PEARMAN.....	Oct. 8, 1908..	Southern Ohio
THE REV. GILES H. SHARPLEY.....	Nov. 4, 1908..	Minnesota
THE REV. CYRUS TOWNSEND BRADY, LL.D...	Nov. 10, 1908..	Ohio
THE REV. F. F. BECKERMAN.....	Sept. 5, 1909..	Iowa
THE REV. EDWARD C. JOHNSON.....	Oct. 15, 1909..	North Dakota
THE REV. OSCAR HOMBURGER .....	Nov. 15, 1909..	Arkansas
THE REV. F. M. WEDDELL.....	Sept. 1, 1910..	Missouri
THE REV. JOHN BODEN .....	Sept. 4, 1910—	By ordination
THE REV. G. C. RAFTER.....	May 20, 1911..	Western N. Y.
THE REV. J. H. KING.....	Nov. 23, 1911..	Atlanta
THE REV. JOHN V. PLUNKETT.....	April 4, 1912..	Missouri

## Official List of Clergy.

HAVING A RIGHT TO SEAT AND VOTE IN THE TWENTY-THIRD ANNUAL COUNCIL  
OF THE DIOCESE OF KANSAS CITY.

THE RIGHT REVEREND SIDNEY C. PARTRIDGE.

- THE REV. DOUGLAS H. ATWILL, Rector, Cavary, Sedalia.  
 THE REV. FRANK F. BECKERMAN, Rector, Christ Church, Springfield.  
 THE REV. ROBERT J. BELT, Missionary, All Saints, West Plains.  
 THE REV. CHAS. H. BOHN, Missionary, Trinity, Marshall.  
 THE REV. CYRUS TOWNSEND BRADY, LL.D., Rector, St. George's, Kansas City.  
 THE REV. EDWARD HENRY ECKEL, Rector, Christ Church, St. Joseph.  
 THE REV. ARTHUR M. GRIFFIN, PH.D., Rector, St. Mark's, Kansas City.  
 THE REV. OSCAR HOMBURGER, Rector, Grace, Chillicothe; Rector, Grace, Brookfield.  
 THE REV. EDWARD C. JOHNSON, Archdeacon.  
 THE REV. J. HENRY KING, Missionary, St. Simon's, Kansas City.  
 THE REV. WILLIAM A. PEARMAN, Rector, Christ Church, Warrensburg, burg.  
 THE REV. JOHN V. PLUNKETT, Rector, Trinity, Independence.  
 THE REV. GEORGE C. RAFTER, Rector, St. John's, Springfield.  
 THE REV. J. D. RITCHEY, D.D., Rector, St. Paul's, Kansas City.  
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 THE REV. J. STEWART-SMITH, Rector, St. Mark's, Kansas City.  
 THE REV. ROBERT N. SPENCER, Rector, Trinity, Kansas City.  
 THE REV. CARL REED TAYLOR, Missionary, St. John's, Kansas City, Grace, Liberty.  
 THE REV. F. M. WEDDELL, Rector, Grace, Carthage.  
 THE REV. CHAS. A. WEED, Rector, St. Philip's, Joplin; Missionary, St. Paul's, Webb City.  
 THE REV. EDWARD S. WILLETT, Missionary, St. Augustine's, Kansas City.

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### NON-PAROCHIAL PRIESTS

THE REV. C. R. STEARNS.

THE REV. CECIL P. WILSON

OFFICIATING IN THE DIOCESE BY PERMISSION.

THE REV. J. M. KOEHLER.

### CANDIDATES FOR HOLY ORDERS

HENRY ERVING BATCHELLER.

EDWARD HENRY ECKEL, JR.

WILLIAM SCOTT DOUGLAS LAMONT.

JOHN FREDERICK SLICHTER.

DUNCAN WEEKS.

## LAY READERS

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 ALBERT C. STOWELL, St. George's, Kansas City.  
 BEN C. HOWARD, St. George's, Kansas City.  
 WILLIAM A. REMFRY, St. George's, Kansas City.  
 FREDERICK C. BROADWAY, St. George's, Kansas City.  
 SAMUEL W. RAVENAL, Christ Church, Boonville.  
 MAX E. SCHMIDT, Christ Church, Boonville.  
 CAPTAIN GEORGE T. IRVINE, Christ Church, Boonville.  
 RAYMOND KNOX, St. Augustine's, Kansas City.  
 J. E. COBB, St. Paul's, Webb City.  
 WILLIAM F. EVES, St. John's, Neosho.  
 WILLIAM CORSE, Grace Church, Kansas City.  
 CHARLES A. SHEPHERD, Christ Church, Warrensburg.

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 SUMMARY

Bishop, 1; Priests, 23; officiating by permission, 1; total.....	25
Entitled to a seat and vote.....	22
Candidates for Holy Orders.....	5
Lay Readers .....	13



## List of Lay Delegates.

APPOINTED BY PARISHES AND MISSIONS TO THE TWENTY-THIRD ANNUAL COUNCIL.

*Carthage—GRACE:* \*A. M. Drake, \*W. K. Coffe, \*D. C. Wells, \*C. F. Drake.

*Independence—TRINITY:* Walter Brown, Florian C. Florance, alternates, \*Edwin B. Loveland, \*Richard C. Peacock.

*Joplin—St. PHILIP'S:* \*Elmer Webster, \*H. M. Beal, \*Curran C. Spencer.

*Kansas City—GRACE:* H. D. Ashley, \*W. C. Goffe, \*E. M. Clendenning, \*L. R. Moore, \*H. M. C. Lew, \*B. C. Christopher, \*James Mackenzie, \*Bertrand R. Clarke, William M. Reid, \*E. P. Pratt.

*Kansas City—St. GEORGE'S:* A. C. Stowell, B. C. Howard, J. V. B. Ellard, William Mendenhall, F. M. Hayward, C. J. Stott, \*F. C. Broadway, \*L. E. Gates, \*A. W. Peet, \*W. L. Richards.

*St. MARK'S:* \*T. C. Bradley, Ross Hawkins, Irving Hills, \*F. H. Wood, \*A. D. Johnson, \*I. Caleb.

*St. MARY'S:* Edward C. Hamil, Frederick A. Smith, Aubrey P. Deveroux, \*William Wooten, Harry Schroeder, \*Charles B. Gartrell.

*St. PAUL'S:* Phil R. Toll, Walton H. Holmes, B. B. Lee, H. L. Arnold, P. A. Simonds, \*Gardiner Lathrop, \*V. W. Gayle, \*F. S. Young, \*T. J. Broadnax, \*John Fennelly.

*TRINITY:* John Gosling, \*W. M. Federman, Albert White, R. land, \*Lewis T. Golding, Horace Stringfellow, \*F. E. Vancil, \*S. S. Edelen, F. B. Mertsheimer, \*J. C. Fuller.

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*HOLY TRINITY:* \*Charles Sowter, \*F. A. Wilkins.

*Sedalia—CALVARY:* D. H. Smith, \*A. D. Stanley, \*E. W. Lamy, \*Ed J. Metcalf, \*W. J. Maltby, \*W. H. Schnars.

*Warrensburg—CHRIST CHURCH:* \*Charles A. Shepard, W. F. Tuttle.

*Kansas City—St. JOHN'S:* Baron J. Fradenburg, \*Charles E. Taylor, John E. Gornall, \*Alexander Johnson, \*Harry G. Algeo, \*Fred C. Adams.

*Neosho—St. JOHN'S:* W. F. Eves.

*St. Joseph—St. MATTHIAS':* \*Robert L. Scott, \*Samuel S. Montgomery.

*Webb City—St. PAUL'S:* \*Frank Farlow, \*Fred Kellogg.

Convocations.

NORTHERN CONVOICATION.

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St. Joseph.

CLERGY.

THE REV. OSCAR HOMBURGER.

THE COUNTIES OF

Atchison, *Holt*, Nodaway, Andrew, *Worth*, Gentry, *DeKalb*, Buchanan, Clinton, *Platte*, Clay, Ray, Caldwell, Daviess, *Harrison*, *Mercer*, Grundy, Livingston, Carroll, Chariton, Linn, *Sullivan*, *Putnam* and Howard.

Note—Counties in *italics* are those in which no church work is being done.

Population . . . . .	495,736
Area in square miles . . . . .	12,617
Parishes . . . . .	7
Organized Missions . . . . .	9
Unorganized Missions . . . . .	3
Clergy . . . . .	2
Communicants (estimated) . . . . .	1,154

CENTRAL CONVOCAATION.

THE REV. J. D. RITCHEY, D.D., *Dean.*

Kansas City.

CLERGY.

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THE COUNTIES OF

Jackson, Cass, Bates, Vernon, Johnson, Henry, *St. Clair*, Saline, Pettis, *Benton*, *Hickory*, Cooper, Moniteau, Morgan, *Camden*.

Note—Counties in *italics* are those in which no church work is being done.

Population . . . . .	607,410
Area in square miles.....	13,076
Parishes . . . . .	14
Organized Missions . . . . .	11
Unorganized Missions . . . . .	6
Clergy . . . . .	12
Communicants (estimated) . . . . .	2,832

**SOUTHERN CONVOCATION.**

**THE REV. CHARLES A. WEED, Dean.**

**Joplin.**

**CLERGY.**

**THE REV. JAMES SENIOR.**

**THE REV. R. J. BELT.**

**THE REV. F. M. WEDDELL.**

**THE REV. FRANK F. BECKERMAN.**

**THE REV. G. C. RAFTER.**

**THE COUNTIES OF**

**Barton, Jasper, Newton, *McDonald, Cedar, Dade, Lawrence, Barry, Polk, Greene, Christian, Stone, Taney, Dallas, Webster, Douglas Ozark, Laclede, Wright and Howell.***

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**Note—Counties in *italics* are those in which no church work is being done.**

<b>Population . . . . .</b>	<b>467,048</b>
<b>Area in square miles. . . . .</b>	<b>13,076</b>
<b>Parishes . . . . .</b>	<b>4</b>
<b>Organized Missions . . . . .</b>	<b>8</b>
<b>Unorganized Missions . . . . .</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>Clergy . . . . .</b>	<b>6</b>
<b>Communicants (estimated) . . . . .</b>	<b>1,065</b>

## Rules of Order.

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1. When the President takes the Chair no member shall continue standing, or shall afterwards stand up, unless to address the Chair.

2. When the President shall have taken the Chair, the minutes of the preceding day shall be read.

3. Immediately after organization of the Council, the following Standing Committees shall be appointed, viz.:

- (1) On the Admission of New Parishes.
- (2) On Constitution and Canons.
- (3) On Unfinished Business.
- (4) On Finance.
- (5) On Assessments.
- (6) On Missions.
- (7) On Christian Education.
- (8) On Sunday School Work.
- (9) On Missionaries' Traveling Expenses.
- (10) On the State of the Church.

4. All Committees shall be appointed by the President, unless otherwise ordered.

5. All resolutions shall be reduced to writing, presented to the Secretary, and by him read; and a motion shall not be considered before the house until recorded.

6. When any member is about to speak, or deliver any matter to the house, he shall, with due respect, address himself to the President, confining himself strictly to the point in debate.

7. A member shall not absent himself from the services of the house unless he have leave or be unable to attend.

8. A member, other than the Chairman of a Committee, whose report is under consideration, shall not speak more than twice in the same debate, nor longer than ten minutes at a time, without leave of the house.

9. Any member of the house may call for a vote by ayes and nays.

10. When a question has once been determined it shall stand as the judgment of the house, and shall not be again drawn into debate, except on motion for reconsideration, which must be made by a member who had previously voted in the majority, and all motions to reconsideration must be made on the day vote is taken or on the next succeeding day.

11. When a question is under consideration a motion shall not

be received, except to lay on the table, to postpone it until a certain time, to postpone indefinitely, to commit it, to divide it or amend it; and motions for any of these purposes shall have precedence in the order herein named. If a motion to lay an amendment on the table be carried, the matter before the house shall be proceeded with as if no such amendment has been offered. The motions to lay on the table and adjourn shall be decided without debate. The motion to adjourn shall always be in order.

12. Debate shall not be allowed upon a resolution to refer any motion to a Committee, or a motion to recommit any subject which has been before a Committee, but the member who offers such resolution or motion may speak for five minutes for the purpose of explaining its object.

13. All amendments may be considered in the reverse order in which they are moved. When a proposed amendment is under consideration a motion to amend the same may be made. An after amendment to such second amendment shall not be in order, but when an amendment to an amendment is under consideration, a substitute to the whole may be received. A proposition, different from the one under consideration, shall not be received under color of an amendment or substitute.

14. Every member who may be in the house when any question is put, shall, on a division, be counted, unless he be excused by the Council.

15. All questions of order shall be decided in the first instance by the Chair, without debate; an appeal, however, may be made from his decision to the Council by any member of the same.

16. The Secretary may employ one or more pages, not exceeding three, to act as messengers during the sessions of the Council.

17. The reports of all Committees shall be in writing, and shall be received, of course, and without motion for acceptance, unless recommended by vote of the house. All reports recommending or requiring any action or expression of opinion by the house, shall be accompanied by a resolution for the action of the house therein.

18. The names of movers of resolutions shall appear upon the minutes of the Council.

The following Order of Business shall be observed:

10 a. m.—Holy Eucharist and Bishop's Address.

- (1) Roll call of clergy.
- (2) Roll call of lay delegates.
- (3) Election of Secretary.
- (4) Appointment of Standing Committees.
- (5) Report of Committee on Credentials of lay delegates.
- (6) Resolutions Pertaining to Bishop's Address.
- (7) Report of Committee on Assessment.
- (8) Report of Standing Committee.
- (9) Election of Standing Committee.

## RULES OF ORDER

- (10) Election of Deputies to General Convention.
- (11) Election of Missionary Board.
- (12) Other Elections.
  - (a) Of Treasurer of the Diocese.
  - (b) Of Chancellor.
  - (c) Of Registrar.
- (15) Pledges of Missions.
  - (d) Of Trustees of Permanent Episcopal Fund.
  - (e) Of Theological Education Fund.
  - (f) Of Trustees of Disabled Clergy Fund.
  - (g) To fill vacancies.
- (13) Report of Treasurer of Diocese.
- (14) Report of Treasurer of Missionary Board.
- (16) Reports of Treasurer of Various Funds.
- (17) Reports of Trustees of various funds.
  - (a) Of Permanent Episcopal Fund.
  - (b) Of Theological Education Fund.
  - (c) Of Disabled Clergy Fund.
  - (d) Of Parochial Trust Fund.
  - (e) Of various funds.
- (18) Report of Committees appointed at previous Council and Resolutions pertaining to same.
- (19) Reports of Special Committees and Resolutions pertaining to same.
- (20) Reports of Standing Committees and action thereon.
- (21) New Business.
- (22) Fixing place of meeting of next Council.

19. The Rules of Order shall not be suspended, except by a two-thirds vote of the members present.

## **Journal.**

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### **FIRST DAY.**

Trinity Church, Kansas City, Mo., May 14, 1912.

This being the time and place appointed for the meeting of The Twenty-third Annual Council of the Diocese of Kansas City, the Rt. Rev. Sidney Catlin Partridge, D.D., Bishop of the Diocese, and a number of clergy and laity assembled in Trinity Church, Kansas City, Missouri, at 10 a. m., for Divine Service.

The Holy Communion was celebrated by the Bishop, assisted by the Rev. Charles A. Weed, as reader of the Epistle, and the Rev. J. Stewart Smith, as reader of the Gospel. The Rev. E. C. Johnson served as Bishop's Chaplain.

The Bishop delivered the following address:

### **THE BISHOP'S ADDRESS.**

Dearly Beloved in the Lord:

I greet you all in the name of our Blessed Redeemer, at this opening service of the Twenty-third Annual Council of the Diocese of Kansas City. Scarcely eleven short months have I passed in your midst, and yet so generously and lovingly have you welcomed me that I feel in the highest sense of the word that we are already one.

How can I better greet you than in the words of my beloved Predecessor whose saintly presence is still a benediction in our midst: "I welcome you—one and all, clergy and laity—who for the love of the Church have come from all parts of this great Diocese to speak of the accomplishments of the year and to consult together for the best interests of the great end which we all hold in view. Let us look upon the duties of this Council as sacred privileges. Let us discharge them with fidelity, diligence and prayers for the guidance of the Lord as those who are charged with great and holy responsibilities." With mutual respect, confidence and trust and with brotherly



love and in a spirit of gentleness and not of criticism or censure, let us take up the tasks that lie before us. And may that Blessed Spirit Who presided in the first Council of the Church and Who we believe, as we have implored Him to do, still presides in all the Councils of the Church, be with us to guide our thoughts and words and deeds, to the glory of God and the abiding welfare of the Church of His dear Son!

This is not the place or the occasion for lengthy and wearisome statistics, or for elaborate essays on the myriad subjects that concern the Church at large in this and every age. Greed, selfishness, cruelty, impurity and vice are ever with us and we battle with them unto the end. Christian soldiers we all are, signed with the crystal waters of the Cross in the warfare against the world, the flesh and the devil. It is rather the time for a few words of good cheer and greeting, a rapid survey of the year that is past and a clear trumpet call for renewed loyalty and consecration to the great onward and upward movements of the forces of the Kingdom of God.

As is our custom, I notice the names of the Church's leaders who have passed on to their reward. Two Bishops, prominent in very different ways, have gone out of our midst—the Rt. Rev. Dr. Mackay Smith, Bishop Coadjutor of Pennsylvania, and the Rt. Rev. J. M. Kendrick, Missionary Bishop of New Mexico and Arizona. The one presiding over that large and cultured and often called most religious city of this land, the vast centre of wealth and influence on the banks of the Delaware, and the other shepherding the scattered flock over the great missionary districts of the Southwest—the new territory with all its difficulties, its long and weary journeys and its unique and trying experiences.

Doing their several works in such different ways, they illustrate the Catholicity of the Church in this great land and show us how God calls and consecrates men of such varied talents to His service in the one great cause. Generously and nobly they gave all they had—powers and talents and time and worldly goods to the Church which now honors their memory. May eternal light shine upon them and everlasting peace be theirs!

Many new names have been added to the list of those called to be Chief Pastors of the Flock of Christ.

The Rt. Rev. James R. Winchester, D. D., elected to be

Bishop Coadjutor of the neighboring Diocese of Arkansas and now to take charge of this entire Diocese so largely in a still formative condition.

The Rt. Rev. Thomas F. Davies, D. D., elected to be Bishop of older Diocese of Western Massachusetts, brings to his task the youth and vigor so necessary for its manifold demands.

The Rt. Rev. Philip M. Rhineland, D. D., gives up his professor's chair in the Cambridge Divinity School to take the place of the saintly Bishop Whitaker of Pennsylvania.

Two faithful workers in the foreign field have been elected by the House of Bishops to jurisdictions in the Empires of China and Japan. The Rt. Rev. D. Trumbull Huntington, D. D., takes charge of those great central provinces along the Yang Tze River whose teeming millions are just awakening to the life of the new republic while thousands, as we speak here today, are dying of the sword, of pestilence and starvation.

The Rt. Rev. H. St. George Tucker, D. D., has just been consecrated to succeed me in the District of Kyoto, the very centre of that marvelous land destined to be the leader of the Orient. Masters of the situation, as of the intricate and difficult native tongues, known and respected by native and foreigner alike, they know, as few others do, how to deal with the vast and intricate problems that arise in preaching the Gospel to the Gentiles of this twentieth century Oriental world.

Two new Suffragan Bishops have been elected and consecrated—The Rt. Rev. Thomas J. Garland, D. D., for Philadelphia and the Rt. Rev. William E. Toll, D. D., for Chicago—showing that this much needed system of relief to our overworked Diocesans has already seemed to prove itself effective in our American Church.

From our own ranks but one has been called to answer the Great Commander's summons. Just at the close of the summer's heat the Rev. Edward W. Flower, faithful and devoted soldier and servant of his Country, his Church and his God, laid down the burden of life. Respected by all who knew him, he was especially beloved by those to whom he had so long and faithfully ministered in St. Joseph and in the Mission at St. Oswald's. It will always be a grateful mem-

ory to me that he was present, though physically suffering, at the Enthronement service, and that I was privileged to see him in the chancel and afterward to know him in the sacred privacy of his home. God grant him the peace which he has so well earned and give us grace to follow in his footsteps!

Letters Dimissory have been given to three clergymen removing to other Dioceses as follows:

The Rev. Julius A. Schaad to Minnesota.

The Rev. Giles H. Sharpley to Erie.

The Rev. John Boden to Indianapolis.

We wish them Godspeed in their new spheres of usefulness.

Two clergymen have been received from other Dioceses, viz:

The Rev. John V. Plunkett from Missouri.

The Rev. J. Henry King from Atlanta.

We welcome them and extend to them the right hand of fellowship.

In reviewing my personal record, this year has necessarily been largely taken up with introductory visitations throughout the Diocese—it has been almost entirely one of learning and of study of the situation. I must ask to be excused, therefore, from going into details concerning the various Parishes and Missions, for it is impossible for the Bishop to give any intelligent judgment on these matters until he knows the circumstances from personal observation and can speak from actual personal experience.

I have some places in flourishing condition, some struggling bravely along, some on the verge of discouragement, some actually dying; but in spite of the latter condition I have found—and I have rejoiced in the finding—on every hand a spirit of willingness to start anew and take up the responsibilities if the Bishop will only lead, and his brethren in the larger and stronger Parishes will stand by with a helping hand. Beloved, let us do so! Let us stand by each other and manfully and bravely take up the question of the extension of the Kingdom of God. Let us discuss together the ways and means to bring it about in accordance with that true and normal growth which says: "First the blade, then

the ear, after that the full corn in the ear."

And now, without any desire to weary you, I present, as is customary, the following items from

#### THE BISHOP'S OFFICIAL JOURNAL.

**Thursday, March 9th, 1912**—At Kyoto, Japan. Received cablegram announcing my election.

**Tuesday, March 21st.**—Sent cablegram announcing my acceptance.

**Wednesday, May 24th.**—Officially resigned from the Nippon Sei Ko Kwai (Holy Catholic Church of Japan). Corporate Communion of all Japanese and American members of the Mission in the morning and farewell dinner to all the clergy in the evening.

**Sunday, May 28th.**—Preached my last sermon in Japanese at Holy Trinity Church.

**Monday, May 29th.**—Left Kyoto for Yokohama by rail.

**Tuesday, May 30th.**—Sailed from Yokohama for Victoria, B. C., by S. S. "Empress of Japan."

**Sunday, June 4th.**—Whitsunday. In the morning celebrated the Holy Communion in the saloon and in the evening gave an address on Missions.

**Saturday, June 10th.**—Arrived at Victoria, B. C., at noon and took afternoon boat for Seattle via Puget Sound and train the next morning for San Francisco.

**Thursday, June 15th.**—Left San Francisco by train for Kansas City.

**Saturday, June 17th.**—At Denver. Welcomed informally by Mr. H. D. Ashley, Senior Warden of Grace Church.

**Sunday, June 18th, I after Trinity—7 a. m.,** at Topeka, Kas. Officially welcomed by Rev. E. H. Eckel and Mr. A. C. Stowell, representing the Standing Committee of the Diocese. 9:15 a. m., arrived at Union Depot, Kansas City, and welcomed by a Committee of the Clergy and Laity. Taken with my family to the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Phil R. Toll, whose guests we were until the middle of July. 11 a. m., attended morning service in St. Paul's Church. 1:10 p. m., took train to St. Joseph with the Rev. E. H. Eckel. 7:30 p. m., held my first service in the Diocese at Christ Church, confirmed a class of eight persons, greeted the congregation and preached my first sermon.

**Monday, June 19th.**—At noon entertained at the Benton Club to meet the clergy of the city and their families. 3 p. m., attended meeting of the St. Joseph Clericus at the residence of the Rev. E. W. Flower. 8 p. m., reception tendered to Mrs. Partridge and myself by Christ Church Parish to meet the Church people of St. Joseph and their friends.

**Tuesday, June 20th.**—10:30 a. m., returned to Kansas City. 2:30 p. m., attended a meeting of the Enthronement Committee and revised the service. Arranged with the Rev. C. A. Weed for the opening of the new St. Philip's Church at Joplin. 4 p. m., attended first meeting of the Board of Missions at the offices of the U. S. Trust Company.

**Wednesday, June 21st.**—a. m., arranged financial matters of the Diocese with Mr. Walton H. Holmes, Treasurer. 11 p. m., left with the clergy for Joplin.

**Thursday, June 22d.**—10 a. m., dedicated St. Philip's Church at Joplin and preached the sermon. 8 p. m., attended a reception given by St. Philip's and St. Margaret's Guilds at the residence of Mrs. Porter.

**Friday, June 23d.**—Motored to Webb City, Oronogo, Centreville and vicinity and inspected Missions.

**Saturday, June 24th.**—With Rev. C. A. Weed, Dean of the Southern Convocation, to Springfield. Visited Christ Church and St. John's and met the clergy.

**Sunday, June 25th, II after Trinity**—7:30 a. m., attended celebration of the Holy Communion at St. Philip's. 10:30, baptized three children, confirmed a class of sixteen persons and preached the sermon. 8 p. m., at Grace Church, Carthage, greeted the congregation, confirmed eight persons and preached the sermon. Returned on late train to Kansas City.

**Monday, June 26th.**—Fitted up temporary office at Mr. Toll's residence for the transacting of Church business.

**Tuesday, June 27th.**—11 a. m., Enthronement service at Grace Church. 1 p. m., lunched with the clergy at the Hotel Baltimore. 3 p. m., with Bishop Atwill's family to Forest Hill Cemetery, held a brief service and placed a wreath upon his grave. 7 p. m., dined at the University Club as guest of the Diocesan Church Club. 8 p. m., reception tendered to Mrs. Partridge and myself by the church people of the city.

**Wednesday, June 28th.**—Twenty-third Annual Council, at St. George's Church, Kansas City. Celebrated the Holy Communion at 7 a. m. and presided at the morning and afternoon sessions. 8 p. m., attended the graduating exercises of St. Luke's Hospital Training School for Nurses; made an address and presented diplomas to three graduates.

**Thursday, June 29th.**—7 a. m., celebrated the Holy Communion at St. Luke's Hospital new chapel, blessed the altar and gifts and made an address.

**Friday, June 30th.**—Arranged with the Ven. E. C. Johnson, Archdeacon, for visitation of the Diocese.

**Saturday, July 1st.**—Received official reports and took over the diocesan seal from the Rev. C. R. Taylor, Secretary.

**Sunday, July 2nd, III after Trinity—**11 a. m., held my first service after my enthronement, confirmed a large class at St. Paul's, Kansas City, and preached the sermon.

**Wednesday, July 5th.—**Revised the Journal of the Council with the Secretary and arranged for its publication. Received news in the evening of Mrs. Atwill's decease in Chicago.

**Thursday, July 6th.—**Interviewed the President of the Standing Committee and several of the clergy, on Diocesan and Parish matters.

**Friday, July 7th.—**Officiated at funeral of Mrs. Atwill in St. Paul's Church, all the clergy of the city being present, and read the committal service at Forest Hill Cemetery. Left same evening for California, owing to illness of our little daughter.

**Friday, July 14th.—**Gave Canonical consent to the consecration of Bishops Rhinelander and Gardner.

**Sunday, July 16th, V after Trinity—**8 a. m., attended celebration of the Holy Communion at St. Luke's Church, San Francisco. 11 a. m., preached the sermon.

**Sunday, July 23d, VI after Trinity—**Attended service at St. Paul's Church, San Francisco, with my family.

**Friday, July 28th.—**Gave canonical consent to the consecration of Bishops Winchester and Davies.

**Sunday, July 30th, VII after Trinity—**Attended service with my family at the Church of the Advent, San Francisco.

**Sunday, August 6th, VIII after Trinity—**Attended service with my family at St. Luke's Church, San Francisco.

**Monday, August 7th.—**Annual Altar Day of St. Luke's Church, preached the sermon and assisted the Bishop of Sacramento in the celebration of the Holy Communion.

**Sunday, August 13th, IX after Trinity—**Celebrated the Holy Communion at St. Stephen's Church, Tiburon, Cal., baptized an infant and preached the sermon.

**Sunday, August 20th, X after Trinity—**Preached at St. Luke's Church, San Francisco.

**Tuesday, August 22d.—**Officiated at the marriage of George W. Hood and Helen Sidney-Smith at St. Luke's Church, San Francisco.

**Thursday, August 24th.—**Attended service with my family at St. Luke's Church, San Francisco.

**Sunday, August 27th, XI after Trinity—**Morning, preached at St. Paul's Church, San Francisco.

**Friday, September 1st.—**Addressed the students of the University of California at Berkeley on "Foreign Missions."

**Sunday, September 3d, XII after Trinity—**Took services for the Bishop of Sacramento at St. Paul's Church, Vallejo, Cal.

**Wednesday, September 6th.**—Officiated at the marriage of William Hough and Amalia Simpson at St. Luke's Church, San Francisco, in the evening.

**Thursday, September 11th.**—Arrived back in Kansas City and went at once to our temporary residence at No. 3531 Walnut street.

**Wednesday, September 13th.**—Interviewed the President of the Standing Committee and the new Treasurer of the Diocese, Mr. H. L. Arnold, on various Diocesan matters.

**Thursday, September 14th.**—Attended meeting of the officers of the Women's Auxiliary at the residence of the President, Mrs. S. E. Woodstock, and made an address. Gave Letters Dimissory to the Rev. Julius A. Schaad to the Diocese of Minnesota and to the Rev. John Boden to the Diocese of Indianapolis.

**Saturday, September 16th.**—At St. Joseph. Arranged for the examinations of Messrs. Batcheller and Lamont, candidates for Holy Orders.

**Sunday, September 17th, XIV after Trinity**—Preached at Grace Church, Kansas City.

**Tuesday, September 19th.**—Morning, attended meeting of the Board of Directors of St. Luke's Hospital at the office of Mr. W. A. Rule. Afternoon, attended meeting of the Board of Missions at the U. S. Trust Company.

**Wednesday, September 20th.**—Interviewed a number of the clergy from out of town parishes and made arrangements for visitations.

**Monday, September 25th.**—In New York City. Met the President of the General Board of Missions and the Council of Advice and arranged for the final settlement of affairs in the District of Kyoto.

**Tuesday, September 27th.**—Attended meeting of the General Board of Missions and presented in writing my resignation from the service of the Board, my official resignation from the District of Kyoto having been sent by telegram on the day of my Enthronement.

**Friday, September 29th.**—Arrived back in Kansas City.

**Sunday, October 1st, XVI after Trinity**—Addressed the Sunday School at St. George's Church, Kansas City, and afterward greeted the congregation and preached the sermon. Evening, greeted the congregation at St. John's Church, Kansas City, and preached the sermon.

**Wednesday, October 4th.**—At Trinity Mission, Lamar. Greeted the congregation and preached the sermon.

**Thursday, October 5th.**—Attended Canonical examinations of Messrs. Homburger and Batcheller at St. Paul's Parish House, Kansas City.

**Friday, October 6th.**—Made a missionary address to the Junior Auxiliary of St. Paul's Church, Kansas City, at the Rectory.

**Sunday, October 8th, XVII after Trinity**—Morning, at St. Mary's Church, Kansas City. Greeted the congregation and preached the sermon.

**Monday, October 9th.**—Gave address at Central High School, Kansas City, on "China and the Chinese." In the afternoon attended meeting of St. Mark's Woman's Auxiliary at the Rectory and afterward went with the Rector to inspect the proposed new church property.

**Tuesday, October 10th.**—Prepared final report on the District of Kyoto for the General Board of Missions.

**Wednesday, October 11th.**—At Minneapolis, Minn. Morning, preached the sermon at the Annual Meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary in St. Mark's Church. Evening, made address at St. Mark's Church on Missions.

**Friday, October 13th.**—Attended a meeting of the Vestry of Grace Church, Kansas City, held at my residence.

**Saturday, October 14th.**—Interviewed the colored clergy of the city in regard to their especial work.

**Sunday, October 15th, XVIII after Trinity**—At Sedalia. Greeted the congregation of Calvary Church, addressed the Sunday School and preached the sermon.

**Monday, October 16th.**—Morning, visited Father Marchello's Italian Mission, Kansas City. Evening, addressed the Men's Club of St. Paul's Church on "Conditions in China."

**Tuesday, October 17th.**—3:30 p. m., attended meeting of the Board of Missions at the office of the U. S. Trust Company. 7 p. m., officiated at the marriage of Lieut. Klemm, U. S. A., and Miss Gertrude Heim at the residence of the bride's parents. 8 p. m., attended annual meeting of the Daughters of the Confederacy at the Hotel Baltimore and gave the invocation.

**Wednesday, October 18th.**—At Leavenworth, Kas. Gave an address on "Foreign Missions" in St. Paul's Church.

**Thursday, October 19th.**—Ordained the Rev. Oscar Homburger to the Priesthood in Trinity Church, Independence, Mo., the Rev. Dr. C. T. Brady presenting the candidate and the Rev. Dr. A. M. Griffin preaching the sermon. In the afternoon addressed the Woman's Auxiliary of St. Paul's Church, Kansas City, at the Rectory, and in the evening addressed the "Knife and Fork Club" at the Coates House on "China and the Chinese."

**Friday, October 20th.**—Welcomed the Rev. K. Hayakawa, Rector of St. John's Church, Osaka, Japan, the first Japanese Priest to visit this Diocese since my arrival.



- Saturday, October 21st.**—Took the Rev. Mr. Hayakawa to visit the various churches in the city.
- Sunday, October 22d, XIX after Trinity**—At St. Mark's Church, Kansas City. Addressed the Sunday School, confirmed a class of fourteen and preached the sermon.
- Monday, October 23d.**—Guest of the Clericus at the University Club at luncheon. Discussed plans for church extension. Evening, guest of the Kansas City Branch of the Society of the Sons of the Revolution; made address on "Our Flag in the Orient."
- Tuesday, October 24th.**—In St. Louis. Visited Christ Church Cathedral and inspected the magnificent new reredos, under the guidance of the Dean and the Architect.
- Thursday, October 26th.**—In New York City. Attended early celebration of the Holy Communion in the Church of the Transfiguration and afterward all-day session of the House of Bishops. Evening, addressed large missionary meeting at Newark, N. J.
- Friday, October 27th.**—Attended celebration of the Holy Communion for the House of Bishops in Calvary Church and assisted in the election of new Missionary Bishops for Kyoto, Wuhu and South Dakota. In the afternoon interviewed the Presiding Bishop on matters connected with the history of the Diocese.
- Sunday, October 29th, XX after Trinity**—In Trinity Church, Kansas City. Greeted the congregation and preached the sermon.
- Monday, October 30th.**—Evening, addressed the Men's Club of St. George's Church, Kansas City, on "Enthusiasm for Church Work."
- Wednesday, November 1st.**—Attended celebration of the Holy Communion with my family at St. Paul's Church.
- Friday, November 3d.**—Afternoon, attended Mothers' Meeting at Grace House and made an address. Evening, presented plans for a Bishop's downtown office at a meeting of the Church Club held at the residence of Mr. Phil R. Toll.
- Sunday, November 5th, XXI after Trinity**—At Trinity Church, Marshall. Greeted the congregation and preached the sermon. In the evening went to Lexington, greeted the congregation of Christ Church, preached the sermon and confirmed one candidate.
- Monday, November 6th.**—Afternoon, attended meeting of the Standing Committee held at St. Luke's Hospital and afterward addressed the Auxiliary.
- Wednesday, November 8th.**—At Fayette. Morning, preached in St. Mary's Church, greeted the congregation, baptized and confirmed one adult. At noon addressed the students of Central College on "Foreign Missions." Evening at Christ Church, Boonville, greeted the congregation and preached the sermon.

**Thursday, November 9th.**—At Trinity Church, Kansas City. Meeting of the Diocesan Woman's Auxiliary. Celebrated the Holy Communion, assisted by the Rector of the Parish, and made an address in the afternoon.

**Friday, November 10th.**—Attended meeting of Grace Church Guild in the Parish House and made an address on "Woman's Work." Evening, meeting of the Standing Committee at St. Luke's Hospital.

**Sunday, November 12th, XXII after Trinity**—At All Saints' Mission, West Plains. 7:30 a. m., attended celebration of the Holy Communion. 11 a. m., greeted the congregation and preached the sermon. 2 p. m., met the Vestry and talked over the history of the Mission and its plans for the future. 7:30 p. m., confirmed three persons and preached the sermon.

**Monday, November 13th.**—At West Plains. 7:30 a. m., Holy Communion for the newly confirmed. 11 a. m., addressed the West Plains High School on "Chinese Education." 2 to 5 p. m., reception tendered by the Parish at the residence of Mrs. Toley. 8 p. m., gave a public lecture in the Opera House on "The Kingdom of the Sunrise."

**Wednesday, November 15th.**—All-day meeting of the Board of Missions at St. George's Parish House.

**Thursday, November 16th.**—Evening, addressed large meeting of the Church Club at Grace Parish House on the subject of "Diocesan Spirit."

**Sunday, November 19th, XXIII after Trinity**—Opened and addressed a temporary Chapel for Father Marchello's Italian Mission. Afterward greeted the congregation at St. Augustine's, preached the sermon and confirmed four persons. Afternoon, greeted the congregation at Trinity Church, Independence, and preached the sermon.

**Monday, November 20th.**—At St. John's Mission, Neosho. Attended reception at residence of Mrs. William F. Eves in the afternoon and in the evening gave greeting to the congregation and preached the sermon.

**Tuesday, November 21st.**—United Convocation Meeting in St. Philip's in Joplin. Celebrated the Holy Communion in the morning and attended business meetings in the afternoon. Lunched with the clergy at the Hotel Connor as guest of St. Philip's Guild. Presided at afternoon meeting in the church when several of the clergy gave addresses on church subjects.

**Wednesday, November 22d.**—7:30 a. m., celebrated the Holy Communion in the Chapel. 10 a. m., business meeting in the Parish House. Afternoon, inspected zinc mines at Webb City. Evening, held Confirmation and preached the sermon.

**Sunday, November 26, XXIV after Trinity—Morning at Grace Church, Carthage, confirmed a class of six persons and preached the sermon. Afternoon, at St. Stephen's Mission, Monett, confirmed a class of three and preached the sermon.**

**Tuesday, November 28th.—At Grace Mission, Liberty. Confirmed a class of three, greeted the congregation and preached the sermon.**

**Wednesday, November 29th.—At St. Joseph. Guest at lunch of the "Ad." Club at Hotel Robidoux, made address on "Chinese Commerce." Afternoon, with Dean Eckel and Mr. Lamont, lay reader, visited Trinity, St. Luke's and St. Matthias'. Attended annual dinner of the Society of the Revolution and made address on "Our Flag in the Orient."**

**Friday, December 1st.—Morning, inspected St. Simon's Colored Mission and welcomed Rev. and Mrs. J. Henry King from Diocese of Atlanta. Afternoon at Chillicothe, presided at Vestry meeting at the residence of Mr. McVey, Senior Warden.**

**Sunday, December 3d, I in Advent—Morning, preached at St. Paul's Church, Kansas City. Afternoon, held services for Deaf Mutes at Grace Church, assisted by the Rev. J. M. Koehler and gave address, which was interpreted into the sign language by Supt. White of the Olathe State School, Kansas. Evening, preached at St. Paul's Church, Kansas City.**

**Monday, December 4th.—Attended meeting of St. Augustine's Woman's Auxiliary Meeting at residence of Mrs. Jordan and gave address.**

**Wednesday, December 6th.—Attended bazar given by the Ladies of St. Mark's Parish, Kansas City.**

**Thursday, December 7th.—Addressed students of Manual High School, both morning and afternoon, on "China and Japan."**

**Sunday, December 10th, II in Advent—Morning at Christ Church, Warrensburg, greeted the congregation and preached the sermon. Evening, at Calvary Church, Pleasant Hill, greeted the congregation and preached the sermon.**

**Monday, December 11th.—Afternoon, addressed the Men's Club of Trinity Church, Kansas City.**

**Wednesday, December 13th.—Evening, attended reception at the residence of Mrs. Meriwether given by St. Mark's Church to their Rector and his wife.**

**Thursday, December 14th.—All day meeting of the Board of Missions at St. Paul's Parish House, Kansas City.**

**Friday, December 15th.—At Topeka, Kas. 3 p. m., addressed the Woman's Auxiliary on "Missions in Japan." 5 p. m., assisted the Bishop of Oklahoma at afternoon prayer in Bethany College and addressed students on "Christianity in Japan." 7**

p. m., attended dinner, Cathedral Men's Club, and gave address on "The Outlook in China."

**Saturday, December 16th.**—At Springfield, Mo. Evening, attended reception at St. John's Parish House.

**Sunday, December 17th, III in Advent**—At Springfield, Mo. 7:30 a. m., celebrated the Holy Communion in Christ Church. 10 a. m., addressed Sunday School. 11 a. m., preached sermon and confirmed class of eleven. 8 p. m., preached at St. John's Church and confirmed class of nine.

**Monday, December 18th.**—At Trinity Church, Lebanon. Evening, greeted the congregation and preached the sermon. Afterward attended reception in the Guild House.

**Thursday, December 21st.**—At Clinton. 3 p. m., attended a reception given at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Gurner. 8 p. m., at St. Paul's Church. Greeted the congregation and preached the sermon.

**Sunday, December 24th, IV in Advent**—Attended morning services with my family at St. Mary's Church, Kansas City. Evening, listened to Christmas Carols by Grace Church Choir at our residence.

**Monday, December 25th (Christmas Day)**—7:30 a. m., celebrated the Holy Communion at Grace Church, Kansas City. 11 a. m., second celebration, preached the sermon.

**Thursday, December 28th.**—3 p. m., Baptized infant at Grace Church. 6:30 p. m., attended St. George's Christmas dinner with my family.

**Saturday, December 30th.**—Welcomed the Presiding Bishop on his first visit to our home.

**Sunday, December 31st, I after Christmas**—At St. John's Church, Kansas City. The Presiding Bishop unveiled the Atwill Memorial Window and preached the sermon. Evening, at St. John's Church I preached the sermon and confirmed a class of nine.

**Monday, January 1st.**—Attended morning service with my family at St. Paul's Church. At noon opened the downtown office at 501 Orear-Leslie Building, with a short service and an address. All the Clergy of the city were present and also the Rev. Douglass Atwill of Sedalia. I was afterward the recipient of a very handsome ship's clock, the gift of the Clergy to the Bishop's Office.

**Wednesday, January 3d.**—Afternoon, welcomed President Hadley of Yale University and in the evening gave an address at the Yale Alumni Meeting.

**Friday, January 5th.**—Lectured before the Brotherhood of the Linwood Presbyterian Church on "The Situation in China."

**Saturday, January 6th.**—To Mound City by rail and drove twelve miles through the snow, on the coldest night of the year, to St. Oswald's.

**Sunday, January 7th, I after Epiphany—At Oswald's in the Fields.** Morning celebrated the Holy Communion, greeted the congregation and preached the sermon. Evening, confirmed two persons, preached the sermon and afterward gave an address on "Chinese Religions" in the Parish room.

**Monday, January 9th.—**Attended meeting of the Clericus at St. John's Rectory and listened to a paper by Archdeacon Johnson. Attended a meeting of the Hospital Board in the Bishop's office.

**Wednesday, January 10th.—**Addressed the Ladies' Athenaeum of Kansas City on "Social Life of the Chinese."

**Thursday, January 11th.—**Afternoon, attended a social meeting given by the Ladies of St. John's Church at the Rectory. Evening, received telegram from Bishop Kinsolving of Texas announcing the postponement of the Missionary Department Council owing to the presence of an epidemic.

**Friday, January 12th.—**Welcomed the Bishop of North Dakota, the Rt. Rev. Cameron Mann, D. D., to the Diocese.

**Saturday, January 13th.—**Evening, greeted fifty of the "Unemployed" temporarily sheltered in the basement of Trinity Church.

**Sunday, January 14th, II after Epiphany—**Assisted the Bishop of North Dakota in the Holy Communion at Grace Church. He preached the sermon and unveiled the Butts Memorial Window. Evening, attended service at St. Paul's Church with my family.

**Monday, January 15th.—**Afternoon, interviewed the Superintendent of St. Luke's Hospital on matters connected with that institution.

**Wednesday, January 17th.—**Attended an all-day meeting of the Committee on the Revision of the Constitution and Canons at St. Paul's Parish House.

**Friday, January 19th.—**Attended meeting of the Yale Alumni Association at the University Club.

**Saturday, January 20th.—**Attended with my family a reception tendered to Rev. Dr. Grenfell of Labrador.

**Sunday, January 21st, III after Epiphany—**Morning, preached in St. Mark's Church, Kansas City, and confirmed one person. Evening, attended a lecture by Rev. Dr. Grenfell, describing his medical mission work.

**Monday, January 22d.—**Morning, addressed the students of the Westport High School on "Japan." Afternoon, attended the Clericus at St. Mary's Parish House and listened to a paper by the Rev. C. R. Taylor. In the evening attended a dinner given by the Men's Club of St. Mark's Church and made an address on "Inspiration."

**Thursday, January 25th.**—Morning, Quarterly Meeting of the Woman's Auxilliary at Grace Church. Celebrated the Holy Communion assisted by Archdeacon Johnson and preached the sermon. In the afternoon attended the business session in the Parish House and gave an address. Evening, guest of St. George's Men's Club at dinner. Welcomed Dean Sumner of Chicago, who gave an address on "Efficient Citizenship." Mayor Brown also gave an address on "Civic Purity."

**Friday, January 26th.**—Made an address on "The Responsibility of Citizenship," at a meeting for men only at St. George's Church and introduced Dean Sumner, who lectured on the work of the Vice Commission in Chicago.

**Saturday, January 27th.**—At Sedalia. Attended a reception tendered to Mrs. Partridge and myself by the Rev. and Mrs. Atwill at the Rectory.

**Sunday, January 28th, IV after Epiphany**—7:30 a. m., celebrated the Holy Communion in Calvary Church. 11 a. m., preached the sermon and confirmed a class of eight.

**Monday, January 29th.**—All-day meeting of the Board of Equalization at my office.

**Tuesday, January 30th.**—Afternoon, meeting of the Board of Missions at Trinity Rectory.

**Thursday, February 1st.**—Afternoon address at Independence High School on "China and Chinese."

**Friday, February 2d.**—Twelfth anniversary of my consecration, the Holy Communion at St. Mary's Church, Kansas City, and made an address to the Daughters of St. Mary.

**Sunday, February 4th, Septuagesima**—At St. Joseph, morning consecration Holy Trinity Church. Preached the sermon and confirmed a class of seven. Afternoon, at St. Matthias' (Colored) greeted the congregation and preached the sermon. Evening, preached at Christ Church.

**Monday, February 5th.**—Meeting of the Clericus at the Bishop's House. Listened to a paper by the Rev. J. Stewart Smith.

**Tuesday, February 6th.**—Afternoon, meeting of St. Luke's Hospital Board at my office.

**Wednesday, February 7th.**—All-day meeting of the Committee on the Revision of the Constitution and Canons" at St. Paul's Parish House.

**Thursday, February 8th.**—All-day meeting of the Board of Equalization in my office.

**Saturday, February 10th.**—At Nevada. Afternoon, visited State Hospital for insane. Evening, attended reception for the Parish at the residence of Mrs. Harper.

**Sunday, February 11th, Sexagesima**—10 a. m., addressed Sunday School of All Saints Church. 11 a. m., celebrated the Holy

Communion, greeted the Congregation and preached the sermon. Afternoon, meeting of the Vestry and discussed Parish conditions. 5 p. m., addressed the Girl's College on the subject of Foreign Missions. 8 p. m., preached sermon, confirmed a class of eight.

Wednesday, February 14th.—Conducted a Quiet Day at St. George's Church. Celebrated the Holy Communion, assisted by the Rev. Mr. Weddell of Carthage.

Thursday, February 15th.—Clerical Conference or Round Table in St. George's Parish House. 4 p. m., meeting of the Board of Equalization in my office. 6:30 p. m., attended St. Paul's Parish dinner with my family.

Sunday, February 18th, Quinquagesima—At St. George's Church, Kansas City. Preached sermon at the Annual Memorial Service of the Society of the Sons of the Revolution. In the evening went to Harrisonville, greeted the congregation there and preached the sermon.

Monday, February 19th.—Attended the Clericus at St. Mark's Rectory and gave an address on "The Fourth Dimension."

Wednesday, February 21st, Ash Wednesday—Morning, preached at Grace Church, Kansas City.

Thursday, February 22d.—At St. Joseph. Afternoon, attended Lenten Service at Christ Church. Evening, gave address at Annual Meeting of the Missouri State Society of the Sons of the Revolution on "The Sacrifice of the Revolution."

Thursday, February 23d.—Evening, addressed the Young People's Society of St. Augustine's Church on "Temptation."

Saturday, February 24th.—At Chillicothe. Evening, confirmed a class of five persons and preached the sermon.

Sunday, February 25th, I in Lent—7:30 a. m., held services at State Industrial School for Girls and preached on "Missions in Japan." 9 a. m., instituted the Rev. Oscar Homburger as Priest in charge of Grace Church and preached the sermon. Afternoon, addressed the Sunday School at Grace Church, Brookfield, afterwards held a meeting of the Vestry and discussed Parish conditions. Evening, greeted the congregation at Grace Church, preached the sermon and confirmed a class of seven.

Monday, February 26th.—Morning, instituted the Rev. Oscar Homburger as Priest in charge of Gract Parish, Brookfield. Afternoon, addressed students of the High School on "Japan."

Thursday, February 29th.—At St. Louis. Attended noon services in Garrick Theater, listened to an address by Rev. I. P. Johnson of Minneapolis. Afternoon, had an interview with the Presiding Bishop on Diocesan matters.

- Sunday, March 3d, II in Lent—Morning,** addressed Trinity Sunday School and afterward preached in the Church and confirmed a class of seven.
- Monday, March 4th.—**Meeting of the Clericus at Trinity Rectory. Listened to a paper by Rev. Dr. Griffin.
- Wednesday, March 6th.—**Evening, Lenten address at St. Mark's Church, Kansas City.
- Thursday, March 7th.—**Evening, Lenten address at St. John's Church, Kansas City.
- Friday, March 8th.—**Noon meeting of the Executive Committee of the Board of Missions at the office of the Treasurer in the Commerce Trust Company Building.
- Saturday, March 9th.—**Meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary at Trinity Church, gave address on "Home Life of the Chinese."
- Sunday, March 10th, III in Lent—Morning,** preached at St. Mary's Church, Kansas City, and blessed Memorial Gifts Stations of the Cross. Afternoon, gave address at Lincoln High School to colored congregation on "Chinese Religions."
- Monday, March 11th.—**At St. Louis. Gave noon address at special Lenten service at Garrick Theater.
- Tuesday, March 12th.—**At St. Louis. Gave noonday address at Garrick Theater. Afternoon, preached at St. Peter's Church on "Missions." Evening, attended dinner of St. Peter's Men's Club and gave address on "Conditions in China."
- Wednesday, March 13th.—**Made noonday address at Garrick Theater. Evening, preached at St. George's Church.
- Thursday, March 14th.—**Made noonday address at Garrick Theater and pupils of Bishop Robertson's School on "Home Life in Japan." Evening, gave Lenten address in church on the "Redeemer."
- Friday, March 15th.—**Visited St. Luke's Hospital and Washington University. Made noonday address at Garrick Theater. Afterward addressed Woman's Auxiliary Meeting at the Church of the Holy Comforter.
- Saturday, March 16th.—**At Trenton, Mo. Evening, attended reception of parishioners at the residence of Mrs. Witten.
- Sunday, March 17th, IV in Lent—**At St. Philip's Mission, greeted the congregation, celebrated the Holy Communion and preached the sermon. Evening, at St. John's Mission, greeted congregation and preached sermon and confirmed one adult.
- Monday, March 18th.—**Meeting of the Clericus at St. George's Rectory. Listened to a paper by Rev. Mr. Spencer.
- Tuesday, March 19th.—**Interviewed the Church Committee of St. Augustine, Kansas City.
- Wednesday, March 20th.—**Attended supper given by St. Mary's Guild in the Parish House, and afterward gave Lenten address in the church.



**Thursday, March 21st.**—Afternoon, gave address on "Shintoism" to the Woman's Auxiliary of St. Paul's Church in the Parish House.

**Friday, March 22d.**—At St. Paul's Church, Kansas City, Kas. Preached sermon on Missions.

**Sunday, March 24th, V in Lent**—Morning, at Trinity Church, Kansas City, confirmed a class of eleven. Preached the sermon. Evening, at St. George's Church, Kansas City. Confirmed a class of twenty-nine.

**Monday, March 25th.**—Conducted a Quiet Day for Women at St. George's Church, beginning with the Holy Communion at 10 o'clock.

**Tuesday, March 26th.**—Evening, presided at a Parish meeting in St. Augustine's Church.

**Wednesday, March 27th.**—All-day session of the Committee on the "Revision of the Constitution and the Canons" at St. Paul's Parish House. Evening, attended meeting of the Committee on the Episcopal Residence, at the residence of Mr. Phil R. Toll.

**Thursday, March 28th.**—Morning, attended meeting of the Committee on the "Revision of the Constitution and Canons." Evening, gave Lenten address at Trinity Church, Independence.

**Friday, March 29th.**—At Warrensburg. At Christ Church and blessed Memorial Gifts.

**Sunday, March 31st, Palm Sunday**—At St. Paul's Church, Kansas City. Preached the sermon and confirmed a class of twenty-four. Afternoon, welcomed the Bishop of Springfield to the Diocese. Evening, preached at Trinity Church and confirmed a class of five.

**Monday, April 1st.**—At Lamar. Guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Miller. In the evening preached at Trinity Mission and confirmed two persons.

**Tuesday, April 2d.**—At Joplin. Morning, assisted at the Canonical examinations of Mr. H. E. Batcheller. Afternoon, gave a Lenten address in St. Philip's Church and in the evening preached at St. Paul's Mission, Webb City, and confirmed a class of three.

**Wednesday, April 3d.**—Made a Lenten address at St. Paul's Kansas City.

**Thursday, April 4th.**—Morning, celebrated the Holy Communion at St. Mary's Church, blessed oil for the Unction of the Sick and made an address. Evening, confirmed a class of four at St. John's Church and preached the sermon. Officially received the Rev. John V. Plunkett from the Diocese of Missouri.

**Friday, April 5th, Good Friday**—Conducted the Three Hours Service at St. Mary's Church (The congregation uniting with that of St. George's). Evening, preached at St. George's.

**Saturday, April 6th.**—Held a special confirmation at St. Augustine's in the afternoon, one candidate.

**Sunday, April 7th, Easter Day**—Celebrated the Holy Communion early at Grace Church and also at 11 o'clock and preached the sermon. Afternoon, preached the annual sermon before the United Commanderies of Knights Templars of Kansas City and Independence at Trinity Church in the latter city.

**Thursday, April 11th.**—In New York City. Attended meeting of the House of Bishops in Synod Hall, Cathedral of St. John the Divine and assisted in the election of Missionary Bishops for New Mexico and South Dakota.

**Sunday, April 14th, I after Easter**—At Springfield. Morning, confirmed a class of twelve in Christ Church and preached the sermon. In the afternoon visited the National and Confederate Cemeteries and in the evening preached in St. John's Church and confirmed a class of nine.

**Monday, April 15th**—Meeting of the Clericus at St. Paul's Rectory. Listened to a paper by the Rev. Dr. Brady.

**Wednesday, April 17th**—Meeting of the Clergy of the city in the Bishop's office to take steps to hold a Memorial Service for those who perished in the loss of the S. S. "Titanic."

**Thursday, April 18th**—Officiated at the funeral of Mrs. A. C. Jones at Grace Church.

**Friday, April 19th**—Attended meeting of the Woman's Auxilliary at St. George's Rectory and made an address on "Japanese Divinities."

**Sunday, April 21st, II after Easter**—Morning, preached at St. Mary's Church and confirmed a class of eight. Afternoon, joined with all the clergy of the city in a Memorial Service for the "Titanic" at Grace Church and delivered an address.

**Monday, April 22d.**—Addressed the students of the Kansas City Medical University on "Chinese Ideas of Medicine."

**Tuesday, April 23d**—At Monett. Preached at St. Stephen's Mission.

**Wednesday, April 24th.**—At Carthage. Afternoon met the Vestry of the Parish and discussed local conditions. Evening, preached in Grace Church and confirmed a class of eight.

**Thursday, April 25th**—Celebrated the Holy Communion in St. Paul's Church, Kansas City, and made an address on "Saints' Days."

**Saturday, April 27th**—Afternoon and evening, attended an entertainment given by St. Luke's Hospital Auxilliary for the Building Fund.

**Sunday, April 28th, III after Easter**—At St. Joseph. Morning, preached at Christ Church and confirmed a class of twenty-two. Afternoon visited the State Hospital for the Insane, confirmed one person and made an address. Evening at St. Mary's Church,

**Savannah.** Greeted the congregation and preached the sermon.

**Monday, April 29th—At Amazonia.** Inspected the old Church building, now in a state of dilapidation, visited Mrs. Minturn, aged widow of former rector, and returned to South St. Joseph for the evening. Greeted the congregation at St. Luke's Mission, confirmed two and preached the sermon.

**Wednesday, May 1st—At Plattsburg.** Celebrated the Holy Communion in St. Mary's Church, greeted the congregation and preached the sermon. Afternoon called on the old Church members. Evening, preached in the Church and confirmed a class of three.

**Thursday, May 2d—Attended meeting of the Woman's Auxilliary of St. John's at the residence of Mrs. Reeves and made an address on "Japanese Religions."**

**Friday—May 3d—At Lee's Summit.** Held evening service at St. Paul's Mission, assisted by Dean Ritchey, greeted the congregation and preached the sermon.

**Sunday, May 5th, IV after Easter—At Maryville.** Owing to the Church building being out of repair, held services morning and evening in the Knights of Pythias Hall, kindly tendered to us for the occasion. Celebrated the Holy Communion, assisted by the Archdeacon and preached at both services.

**Monday, May 6th—Meeting of the Clericus at Archdeacon Johnson's.** Listened to a paper by the Rev. Dr. Ritchey.

**Wednesday, May 8th—At Butler.** Afternoon called on the Church families and in the evening greeted the congregation and preached the sermon.

**Thursday, May 9th—Meeting at the Bishop's office of a Committee to consult about the future of Grace Church.**

**Sunday, May 12th, Rogation Sunday—At Carrollton.** Celebrated the Holy Communion at St. Paul's Church, assisted by the Archdeacon, greeted the congregation and preached the sermon. In the evening went to Richmond and held service in the residence of Mrs. Powell. Greeted the congregation and preached the sermon.

**Monday, May 13th—Baptized an infant in St. Paul's Church, Kansas City.**

#### SUMMARY.

I have delivered 173 sermons and addresses, have celebrated the Holy Communion thirty-four times and have held thirty-nine Confirmations. I have presided and spoken at forty-four meetings of various kinds, have officiated at five Baptisms, three Marriages and two Burials. Have consecrated one church, conducted two Quiet Days and held one Ordination and two Institutions. These various services

have taken me into forty of the sixty counties constituting the Diocese.

Such is the record of the year. May God bless its efforts made in His name and forgive all its imperfections and omissions.

And now, in closing, I desire to call your especial attention to three most weighty matters to be brought before this Council.

First, you will have laid before you for your consideration, the very complete Report of the Board of Equalization. The representative members of this Board have worked hard and faithfully, through many months—and I can assure you it has been no easy task—to present to you the best possible ways of adjusting these obligations of assessment and apportionment. I ask for this Report your respectful consideration and suggest that you do not oppose it arbitrarily or attempt to set it aside unless you have something better and more tangible to offer right here and now.

I make the same request for your consideration of the complete and detailed Report of the Treasurer of the Board of Missions. The many and varied questions of ways and means have been thoroughly gone into, not hurriedly, but in long all-day sessions of the Board. The best way to provide services for scattered congregations has been taken up and plans looking to the formation of Associate Missions in central localities have been adopted. Committees have been appointed to suggest suitable divisions of the territory, the Board being more and more convinced that for any effective pastoral care the man must be on the ground both to win the sheep of Christ and to care for them.

And, thirdly, I commend to you the Report of the Committee on the New Constitution and Canons. This is of the utmost importance, as reaching down to the deep underlying foundations and touching the very principles of our existence, showing that firm and consistent grasp of doctrine must precede all intelligent action. The committee, after hard and faithful work and a careful comparison of our former Constitution with those of the leading Dioceses of this country, representing the best clerical and lay thought of the Church, will present for your consideration and adoption a Constitu-

tion and Body of Canons in every way worthy of this great Diocese—clear, terse and compact, and destined to last for many years to come. With such slight emendations as may seem wise, let us adopt them, and thus reassert before the religious as before the civil world, the Church's position and her loyalty to Constitutional Law and Liberty.

And so let us start in, with mutual trust and love and confidence; strong in the faith of our fathers' in the confidence of a certain and religious hope, in a new realization of our magnificent privileges; in gratitude to Almighty God for the blessings of the past and with fervent trust for His guidance in the future. Let us not look upon the Church as the rival of any other religious body, but as the Pillar and Ground of Truth, as the eventual and only rallying point in the final struggle to which sooner or later all who name the Name of Christ must turn. As holding in our hands the divinely given keys to unlock the myriad problems that confront the world around us, let us realize our opportunities, thank God and take courage.

He is working out great things in the history of men. We hear of wars and rumors of wars and we know that the end is not yet. The old order changeth and nations are being born in a day. As there never was a fairer land than this in which to live, so surely there never was a grander or more inspiring age in which to work and die for the Kingdom of our God and of His Christ. AMEN.

## 2 P. M.

The Council convened at 2 p. m., with the Bishop in the chair. Secretary Taylor called the roll of clerical and lay delegates, and a quorum was declared present.

The Rev. Carl Reed Taylor was nominated for Secretary.

On motion, nominations were closed, and it was resolved that the rules be suspended, and the Assistant Secretary was instructed to cast the ballot of the Council for the Rev. Carl Reed Taylor for Secretary, which was done.

The Secretary appointed Mr. W. F. Eves as his assistant.

The Council now being duly organized, the Bishop presented the following nominations for Standing Committees:

**STANDING COMMITTEES.**

*On the Admission of New Parishes.*

THE REV. R. N. SPENCER.

MR. J. V. B. ELLARD.

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*On Unfinished Business.*

MR. WALTER BROWN.

MR. W. F. EVES.

MR. W. F. TUTTLE.

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*On Constitution and Canons.*

THE REV. E. H. ECKEL.

MR. H. D. ASHLEY.

THE REV. C. A. WEED.

MR. JAMES BLAIN.

THE REV. C. T. BRADY, LL.D.

MR. J. T. HARDING.

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*On Finance.*

MR. A. C. STOWELL.

MR. BENJAMIN B. LEE.

MR. H. L. ARNOLD.

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*On Assessments.*

MR. W. C. GOFFE.

MR. A. C. STOWELL.

MR. D. H. SMITH.

MR. HORACE STRINGFELLOW.

MR. H. L. ARNOLD.

MR. ALBERT WHITE.

MR. ED. C. HAMILL.

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*On Missions.*

ARCHDEACON JOHNSON.

THE REV. C. A. WEED.

DR. V. W. GAYLE.

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*On Christian Education.*

THE REV. J. STEWART-SMITH.

THE REV. R. N. SPENCER.

THE REV. DR. CHAS. H. BOHN.

*On Sunday School Work.*

THE REV. D. H. ATWILL.

MR. BEN C. HOWARD.

*On Missionaries' Traveling Expenses.*

MR. C. H. CHILDS.

MR. JOHN E. GOBNALL.

*On the State of the Church.*

THE REV. J. D. RITCHEY, D.D.

THE REV. J. STEWART-SMITH.

THE REV. C. R. TAYLOR.

MR. T. C. BRADLEY.

THE REV. F. M. WEDDELL.

MR. JAY M. LEE.

On motion it was resolved that the report of the Board of Equalization be made the special order of business for 8 p. m.. today.

The Rev. J. D. Ritchey, D.D., presented the report of the Standing Committee, as follows:

**REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE.**

The Standing Committee held a meeting, according to the requirements of the canon, immediately after its election, and elected the Rev. J. Stewart-Smith President and the Rev. J. D. Ritchey Secretary.

Five meetings have been held during the year. Consent has been given to the consecration of nine Bishops. One Deacon has been recommended to the Bishop for ordination to the Priesthood, and two candidates for Holy Orders have been recommended for ordination to the Diaconate.

Other matters pertaining to the general welfare of the Diocese have claimed the attention of the Committee, but as they demanded no definite action on the part of the Committee they are not properly a part of this report.

Respectfully submitted,

J. D. RITCHEY, *Secretary.*

On motion the report was received and filed.

It was moved and seconded that the names of those at present constituting the Standing Committee be placed in nomination, and the Secretary be instructed to cast the clergy

vote and the Assistant Secretary cast the laity vote for these men.

The motion prevailed, and the following were declared duly elected:

THE REV. J. STEWART-SMITH.	MR. A. C. STOWELL.
THE REV. E. H. ECKEL.	MR. JOHN T. HARDING.
THE REV. J. D. RITCHEY, D.D.	MR. HORACE STRINGFELLOW.

It was moved and duly seconded that the rules of order be suspended, and that the series of resolutions in the hands of Doctor Brady, involving the eligibility of the nominees, be introduced before nominations for members of the Board of Missions be taken up.

On a standing vote by orders the resolution was lost.

The following nominations for members of the Board of Missions were made:

THE REV. C. T. BRADY, LL.D.	MR. B. C. HOWARD.
THE REV. E. H. ECKEL.	MR. F. A. H. GARLICH.
THE REV. J. D. RITCHEY, D.D.	MR. W. F. EVES.
THE REV. A. M. GRIFFIN, Ph.D.	MR. B. J. FRADENBURG.
THE REV. C. A. WEED.	MR. H. D. ASHLEY
THE REV. R. N. SPENCER.	MR. E. C. HAMILL.
THE REV. C. R. TAYLOR.	MR. B. B. LEE.
THE REV. F. M. WEDDELL.	MR. P. A. SIMONDS.
MR. B. R. CLARKE.	

The names of the Rev. Dr. Brady, the Rev. C. R. Taylor, Mr. H. D. Ashley, Mr. Ed C. Hamill and Mr. B. R. Clarke were withdrawn.

On motion, duly seconded, it was resolved that the rules be suspended, and that the Secretary be instructed to cast the ballot of the Council for those remaining as nominees, which duty the Secretary performed, and they were declared elected.

Mr. H. L. Arnold was nominated for Treasurer for the ensuing year, but withdrew his name.

Mr. Walton H. Holmes was nominated for Treasurer, and on motion, the rules were suspended and the Secretary cast the ballot of the Council for Mr. Walton H. Holmes for Treasurer and he was declared elected.

On motion by the Rev. Mr. Eckel it was resolved that clergymen of this Diocese not entitled to votes, clergymen of



other Dioceses present as visitors, and candidates for Holy Orders, be invited to seats on the floor of this Council.

Under this resolution the Very Rev. F. A. McElwain, Dean of the Cathedral of Our Merciful Saviour, at Faribault, Minn., was introduced to the Council, and presented the greetings and good wishes of himself and the brethren of the Diocese of Minnesota.

On the nomination, by the Bishop, of Mr. John T. Harding for Chancellor of the Diocese for the ensuing three years, the rules were suspended and the Secretary cast the ballot of the Council for Mr. Harding for Chancellor, and he was declared elected.

On the nomination, by the Bishop, of the Rev. Carl Reed Taylor for Registrar of the Diocese for the ensuing three years, the rules were suspended, and the Assistant Secretary cast the ballot of the Council for the Rev. Mr. Taylor for Registrar, and he was declared elected.

Mr. C. H. Childs, Mr. James Mackenzie and Mr. E. F. Swinney were nominated for members of the Board of Trustees of the Permanent Fund for the support of the Episcopate.

On motion the rules were suspended and the Secretary cast the ballot of the Council for said nominees, and they were declared elected.

The Rev. R. N. Spencer, Mr. F. M. Hayward and Mr. Frederick A. Smith were nominated for members of the Board of Trustees of the Fund for Theological Education. On motion, the rules were suspended and the Secretary cast the ballot for the nominees, to serve on such Board in addition to the ex-officio members, and they were declared elected.

The Rev. D. H. Atwill, Mr. B. B. Lee and Mr. J. V. B. Ellard were nominated for Diocesan Trustees for the General Clergy Relief Fund. On motion the rules were suspended and the Secretary cast the ballot of the Council for the nominees to serve on such Board, and they were declared elected.

Mr. H. L. Arnold, Treasurer of the Diocese, presented the Treasurer's report for the past year:

REPORT OF WALTON H. HOLMES, TREASURER DIOCESE OF  
KANSAS CITY, FROM MAY 1, 1911, TO JULY 28, 1911

*Diocesan Fund.*

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand May 1, 1911.....		\$1,267.85
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DUES FROM PARISHES.

From—		
Boonville, Christ .....	\$ 7.92	
Brookfield, Grace .....	26.00	
Brunswick, St. Paul's .....	5.00	
Carrollton, St. Paul's .....	4.95	
Fayette, St. Mary's .....	12.00	
Independence, Trinity .....	9.00	
Kansas City—		
Grace . . . . .	157.50	
St. George's .....	90.00	
St. Mark's .....	127.05	
St. Mary's .....	67.50	
St. Paul's .....	185.65	
Pleasant Hill, Calvary .....	7.27	
Springfield—		
Christ . . . . .	57.17	
St. John's .....	111.22	
St. Joseph—		
Christ . . . . .	285.75	
Christ . . . . .	258.75	
Warrensburg, Christ . . . . .	19.06	\$1,189.64
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Brought forward .....		\$2,457.49
Forward . . . . .		\$2,457.49

TO DUES FROM MISSIONS.

From—	
Cameron, St. John's .....	\$ 4.50
Clinton, St. Paul's .....	6.75
Harrisonville, St. Peter's.....	10.00
Kansas City, St. John's.....	20.00
Lamar, Trinity .....	3.15
Marshall, Trinity .....	20.00
Neosho, St. John's .....	7.65
Oswald, St. Oswald .....	6.30

Savannah, St. Mary's .....	5.90	
St. Joseph, St. Matthias .....	1.25	
Trenton, St. Phillip's .....	15.00	
Webb City, St. Paul's.....	13.50	
Weston, St. John's .....	1.20	\$ 115.30
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		\$2,572.79
Interest received from Helen Maitland Smith fund to July 12, 1911 .....		30.00
Borrowed from Pioneer Trust Company on demand note . . . . .		500.00
Received from Permanent Episcopal Fund.....		632.00
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Brought forward .....		\$3,734.79
Forward . . . . .		\$3,734.79

## DISBURSEMENTS.

Bishop Atwill salary paid to Mrs. Mary Atwill.....	\$499.99
Paid B. R. Clark, treasurer Board of Missions from traveling expenses—E. R. Atwill.....	75.00
On account secretary's salary.....	75.00
L. M. Lykins, assistant to treasurer.....	10.00
Bishop Partridge, salary to July 1, 1911.....	300.00
Bishop Partridge, traveling expenses to 7-1-1911.....	50.00
Expense F. A. H. Garlich, General Convention 1910	50.00
Traveling expense missionaries to Council, 1911—	
E. W. Flower .....	3.10
R. J. Belt.....	18.00
W. A. Pearman.....	4.00
John Boden .....	5.30
1,000 memoriams (Bishop E. R. Atwill).....	57.50
Postage and envelopes mailing memoriams.....	3.75
1,000 parochial reports and circular letters.....	23.00
Postage and envelopes mailing reports and letters For Council, 1911 .....	3.98
Postage mailing, 1911 Council notices.....	3.00
Cable to Bishop Partridge, Kyoto, Japan.....	7.80
Postage and envelopes for Rev. J. Stewart-Smith for correspondence, president standing commit- tee . . . . .	15.35
Postage, mailing enthronement notices.....	5.30
Printing and engraving enthronement programs....	239.10
Music for enthronement services (Grace church)...	100.00
Platform for enthronement services.....	3.80
Installing and wiring electric fans, Grace church, for enthronement services .....	4.50
Stenographic work, Journal, 1911.....	2.17
Expenses Bishop Partridge from Kyoto, Japan.....	789.84

Paid Bishop Partridge, expense shipping goods from Kyoto to Kansas City.....	228.37	
Postage, mailing August assessment notices.....	2.00	
Interest on demand note, \$500.....	10.11	
Refund St. Paul's, Webb City, paid on 1907-1908 as- sessment transferred to May, 1911-1912 assess- ment . . . . .	13.50	
Refund St. John's, Neosho, paid on 1910-1911 assess- ment transferred to May, 1911-1912 assessment..	7.65	
Janitor, Grace church, services enthronement.....	5.00	
Janitor services, St. Georges, Council 1911.....	5.00	\$2,630.11
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Janitor services, St. George's, Council 1911.....	5.00	\$2,630.11
.... . . . . <i>Theological Education Fund</i> .... . . . .		

## RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand May 1, 1911.....	\$ 133.35	
Contributions—		
Calvary Church, Sedalia, Mo.....	\$ 2.55	
Principal note, T. T. Maloney, paid in full.....	\$1,200.00	
Accrued interest, four months on above note.....	24.00	\$1,226.55
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		\$1,359.90

## DISBURSEMENTS.

Purchase B. M. Slusher loan.....	\$1,200.00	
Accrued interest at 6 per cent to June 12, 1911.....	8.80	
Appropriation for Henry Erving Batchellor, by or- der trustees, June 15, 1911.....	125.00	\$1,333.80
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Balance on hand July 28, 1911.....		\$ 26.10
<i>Episcopal Residence Fund</i>		
Certificate of deposit No. 2597, issued by Pioneer Trust Co..	\$1,055.70	
Certificate of deposit No. 2690, issued by Pioneer Trust Co..	19.75	
Certificate of deposit No. 2795, issued by Pioneer Trust Co..	2,589.96	
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Total July 28, 1911.....		\$3,665.41

## INVESTMENTS JULY 28, 1911.

. *Theological Education Fund*

B. M. Slusher, 6 per cent real estate loan.....	\$1,200.00
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Respectfully submitted,

WALTON H. HOLMES, *Treasurer.*

**REPORT OF TREASURER, DIOCESE OF KANSAS CITY, FROM JULY  
29, 1911, TO APRIL 29, 1912, INCLUSIVE.**

Balance on hand, July 29, 1911, from former treasurer.....\$1,130.78  
TO DUES FROM PARISHES.

	1911-1912. Assessment.	Special Assm't Gen. Conv't	Ent. O. O. T. Clergy.	Penalties 10 Per Cent.	TOTALS	
Boonville, Christ .....	\$ 88.00	\$ .....	\$ .....	\$ 2.20	\$ 90.20	
Brunswick, St. Paul's.	20.00	.....	.....	.....	5.00	
Brookfield, Grace .....	75.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Carrollton, St. Paul's.	22.00	.....	.....	1.10	17.60	
Chillicothe, Grace .....	160.00	.....	.....	.....	30.00	
Fayette, St. Mary's...	12.00	.....	.....	.....	2.00	
Independence, Trinity.	40.00	.....	.....	.....	10.00	
Joplin, St. Phillip's...	100.00	9.00	.....	.....	28.40	
Kansas City:						
Grace. ....	700.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	
St. George's. ....	400.00	.....	6.00	10.00	216.00	
St. Mark's. ....	154.00	.....	4.00	11.55	169.55	
St. Mary's .....	300.00	.....	4.00	.....	232.00	
St. Paul's .....	325.00	.....	6.00	.....	624.75	
Trinity. ....	375.00	.....	6.00	22.12	409.12	
Maryville, St. Paul's..	20.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Nevada, All Saints ...	50.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Pleasant Hill, Calvary.	10.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Sedalia, Calvary .....	165.00	.....	.....	.....	89.81	
Springfield:						
Christ. ....	181.50	.....	.....	.....	49.90	
St. John's .....	137.50	.....	.....	.....	72.18	
St. Joseph:						
Christ. ....	1,150.00	.....	.....	.....	72.18	
Christ. ....	1,150.00	.....	.....	.....	862.50	
Holy Trinity .....	40.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Warrensburg, Christ..	60.50	.....	.....	.....	45.37	
Weston, St. John's ...	1.10	.....	.....	.....	.....	\$3,001.38
Amazonia, St. Mathew's	1.00	.....	.....	.....	1.00	
Butler, St. Thorp's ...	5.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Cameron, St. John's ..	20.00	.....	.....	.....	10.00	
Clinton, St. Paul's ...	30.00	.....	.....	.....	22.50	
Harrisonville,						
St. Peter's .....	20.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Holden, Mt. Calvary..	15.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Kansas City:						
St. John's .....	80.00	.....	3.20	2.00	65.20	
St. Augustine's .....	50.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Liberty, Grace .....	5.00	.....	.....	.....	5.00	
Lamar, Trinity .....	10.00	.....	.....	.....	7.50	
Lee's Summit,						
St. Paul's .....	10.00	.....	.....	1.00	11.00	
Lebanon, Trinity .....	30.00	2.70	.....	1.50	34.20	
Mountain Grove,						
St. Mark's .....	10.00	.....	.....	.....	5.00	
Monett, St. Stephens..	10.00	.90	.....	.50	11.40	
Neosho, St. John's....	15.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Oswald, St. Oswald...	20.00	.....	.....	.50	15.50	
Plattsburg, St. Mary's	10.00	.90	.....	.50	18.90	
Savannah, St. Mary's.	10.00	.....	.....	.....	9.99	
St. Joseph, St. Matthias	6.00	.....	.....	.....	4.35	
Trenton, St. Phillip's.	15.00	.....	.....	.75	15.75	
Webb City, St. Paul's.	18.00	.....	.....	.....	3.15	
West Plains, All Saints	40.00	.....	.....	2.00	42.00	\$ 282.44
Total. ....						\$4,414.60
Interest from Helen Maitland Smith fund.....						30.00
Borrowed from Pioneer Trust Compny.....						500.00

Received from Slusher Loan-Theological Educa'al Fund.	36.00
Received from Pioneer Trust Compny, Interest on daily deposit .....	1.98
	<u>\$5,022.58</u>
(Summary) Bank overdraft .....	128.69
	<u>\$5,151.17</u>

DISBURSEMENTS.

Bishop's salary, 10 months .....	\$3,000.00	
Bishop's traveling expenses, 10 months.....	500.00	
Bishop's house rent, 8 months.....	800.00	
On account of Secretary's salary .....	75.00	
Salary of Treasurer, Miss Lykens, \$7.50; Mr. Arnold, \$50.00. . . . .	57.50	
Stenographer's fee for Rev. C. R. Taylor, Miss Linzey.	5.50	
Printing Diocesan Journal .....	245.50	
F. P. Burnap, blank books for Treasurer.....	4.50	
Brunswick Hotel, entertainment of out of town clergy at special convention .....	35.20	
Rev. C. R. Taylor, sundry expenses .....	2.22	
Rev. C. R. Taylor, mailing Diocesan Journal.....	15.00	
Postge for Treasurer .....	6.14	
Interest on 1,000 loan, Pioneer Trust Co.....	61.76	
Interest on \$500 loan, Pioneer Trust Co., \$13.50 \$ 7.50.....	20.83	
Rev. C. R. Tylor, mailing Journal and Circulars.....	2.20	
Bishop Partridge, freight on household goods from Japan. . . . .	117.52	
Specialty Printing Co., Rev. Tylor, circular letters..	5.50	
Pantagraph Printing Co., envelopes and blank notions for treasurer. . . . .	5.25	
Missionary assessment, S. W. Dept. F. C. Thompson, Treasurer. . . . .	15.00	
Refund All Saints Church, Nevada, order of Bishop..	40.00	
Printing report Board of Equalization.....	43.00	
Rev. C. R. Taylor, stamps, notices Annual Council....	3.00	
Mr. Harmon, printing new constitution.....	20.70	
Printing envelopes for Secretary of Diocese.....	3.50	
Printing 200 circular letters, Secretary of Diocese....	3.00	
W. H. Creed, binding Journals .....	6.25	
Paid Bishop Theological Educational fund.....	62.10	<u>\$5,151.17</u>

THEOLOGICAL EDUCATIONAL FUND.

Balance on hand, July 29, 1911.....	\$ 26.10	
Received interest on Slusher loan.....	36.00	
		<u>\$ 62.10</u>

DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid on order Bishop Partridge.....	\$ 62.10
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EPISCOPAL RESIDENCE FUND.

Three certificates, deposit—former treasurer.....	\$3,665.41	
Interest on same, compounded quarterly, certificate No. 3172. . . . .	102.27	
		<u>\$3,767.68</u>

INVESTMENTS MAY 1, 1912.

THEOLOGICAL EDUCATIONAL FUND.

B. M. Slusher, 6 per cent real estate loan.....	\$1,200.00
Respectfully submitted, H. L. ARNOLD, Treasurer.	

The report of the Treasurer of the Permanent Episcopal fund was presented to the Council by Mr. H. L. Arnold for the Treasurer of the fund:

# REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF THE PERMANENT EPISCOPAL FUND OF THE DIOCESE OF KANSAS CITY.

*To the Diocesan Council, Diocese of Kansas City:*

GENTLEMEN—I beg to submit the following report as treasurer of the Permanent Episcopal Fund of this Diocese:

## RECEIPTS.

1911—

June	19	By cash on hand as per statement.....	\$3,151.96
July	7	By interest on Kansas City Elevated Ry. Co. bonds to July 1, 1911.....	100.00
Aug.	2	By interest due Aug. 1, 1911, on loan to Prosser Preparatory School .....	216.00

1912—

Jan.	2	By interest on Kansas City Elevated Ry Co. bonds to Jan. 1, 1912.....	100.00
Jan.	29	By interest due Feb. 1, 1912, on loan to Prosser Preparatory School .....	216.00
March	18	By subscription from Grace Church of Chillicothe, Mo. . . . .	2.67
March	18	By subscription from Grace Church of Brookfield, Mo. . . . .	2.05
March	21	By subscription from Calvary Church, Sedalia, Mo.	2.60
May	8	By subscription from St. John's Mission, Kansas City . . . . .	6.55

Total . . . . . \$3,797.83

## DISBURSEMENTS.

1911—

July	17	To check Walton Holmes, treasurer.....	\$ 632.00
July	17	To check Walton Holmes, treasurer.....	2,589.96
July	21	To paid treasurer of diocese, interest to July 21, 1911, on Helen M. Smith fund.....	30.00

1912—

Jan.	22	To paid treasurer of diocese interest to Jan. 21, 1912, on Helen M. Smith fund.....	30.00
May	9	To cash on hand .....	515.87

Total . . . . . \$3,797.83

I also have on hand papers in connection with the real estate loan of \$7,200 made to the Prosser Preparatory School, Kansas City, Mo., and the five bonds of \$1,000 each, with coupons attached, of the Kansas City Elevated Railway Company, these bonds being the gift of J. C. Horton.

Very respectfully submitted,

JAMES MACKENZIE.

On motion the list of parishes and missions that are in debt to the Treasurer of the Diocese was read to the Council.

On motion all treasurers' reports were referred to Messrs. A. C. Stowell and B. B. Lee as special auditors, to report findings to the Council.

Mr. B. C. Howard, Treasurer of the Board of Missions, presented his report:

**REPORT OF TREASURER OF BOARD OF MISSIONS TO THE  
TWENTY-THIRD ANNUAL COUNCIL OF THE DIOCESE  
OF KANSAS CITY.**

*Held at Trinity Church, Kansas City, on May 14 and 15 A. D. 1912.*

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**RECEIPTS.**

Cash on hand .....	\$1,384.91
Bishop's purse .....	397.70
Women's auxiliary .....	80.50
Interest on bank balance.....	12.72
Income from trust funds.....	160.00
General Board of Missions.....	1,500.00
Junior auxiliary .....	7.00
Advent mite box offering.....	283.44
Bequests . . . . .	100.00

**APPORTIONMENTS.**

St. Matthias Mission, Amazonia.....	2.00
Grace Church, Booneville.....	130.00
Grace Church, Carthage.....	49.47
Grace Church, Chillicothe.....	125.00
St. Paul's Mission, Clinton.....	15.00
Trinity Parish, Independence.....	18.10
St. Philip's Paris, Joplin.....	75.00
St. Augustine Mission, Kansas City.....	.....
St. George's Parish, Kansas City.....	425.00
St. John's Mission, Kansas City.....	80.00
St. Mary's Parish, Kansas City.....	93.00
St. Paul's Parish, Kansas City.....	450.00
St. Simon's Nursery House (donation).....	233.00
St. Simon's Nursery House, rent.....	.....
Trinity Parish, Kansas City.....	164.45
Grace Mission, Liberty .....	15.00
Trinity Mission, Lamar.....	30.00
St. Stephen's Mission, Monett.....	22.00
All Saint's Parish, Nevada .....	20.00
St. Oswald's Mission, Oswald.....	11.35
St. Mary's Mission, Plattsburg.....	11.10



Calvary Parish, Sedalia .....	35.82
Christ's Church, Springfield.....	60.00
Christ's Church, St. Joseph.....	485.00
St. Luke's Mission, St. Joseph.....	15.00
St. Matthias' Mission, St. Joseph.....	10.00
St. Mary's Mission, Savannah.....	2.50
St. Phillip's Mission, Trenton .....	15.00
Christ's Church, Warrensburg .....	20.00
St. Paul's Mission, Webb City.....	47.20
All Saint's Mission, West Plains .....	25.00

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**\$6,611.26**

Overdraft April 30, 1912.....	246.22
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## DISBURSEMENTS.

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**\$6,857.48**

Bishop's purse .....	\$ 528.38
Women's Auxilliary .....	13.00
Office expenses .....	58.25
Treveling expenses board members.....	45.90
Special apportionments .....	50.00
Archdeacon . . . . .	1,325.00
Grace Church, Brookfield.....	37.50
St. Paul's Mission, Clinton.....	75.00
St. Peter's Mission, Harrisonville.....	75.00
Trinity Parish, Independence.....	229.97
St. Augustine Mission, Kansas City.....	499.99
Holy Spirit Mission, Kansas City.....	200.00
St. John's Mission, Kansas City.....	200.00
St. Simon's Nursery House (donation) Kansas City.....	267.00
St. Simon's Nursery House (rent) Kansas City.....	240.00
St. Simon's Nursery House (stipend) Kansas City.....	83.32
Grace Mission, Liberty .....	162.50
Trinity Mission, Lamar.....	300.00
Christ's Church, Lexington.....	137.49
Trinity Mission, Marshall .....	412.50
Mission at Mt. Washington.....	66.68
St. John's Mission, Neosho.....	266.66
All Saint's Mission, Nevada.....	75.00
St. Oswald's Mission, Oswald.....	75.00
Calvary Parish, Pleasant Hill.....	66.68
St. Matthias' Mission, St. Joseph.....	200.00
Christ Church, Warrensburg.....	550.00
St. Paul's Mission, Webb City .....	299.99
All Saint's Mission, West Plains.....	316.67

## SUMMARY.

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**\$6,857.48**

Cash on hand May 1, 1911.....	\$1,384.91
Receipts from May 1, 1911, to April 30, 1912.....	5,226.35

Overdraft, April 30, 1912..... 246.22

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\$6,857.48

Disbursements . . . . . \$6,857.48

Receipts from May 1, 1911, to April 30, 1912..... 5,226.35

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Disbursements in excess of receipts.....\$1,631.13

Unpaid apportionments on April 30, 1912.....\$1,601.68

### STATEMENT SHOWING

1. The amount apportioned to each parish and mission for Diocesan Missions.

2. The amount paid on the apportionment by each parish and mission.

3. That part of the apportionment remaining unpaid on April 30, 1912.

4. The amount expended by the board for work in each parish and mission.

Name of Parish or Mission	Place	Apportionment		Amt. Expended
		Amount	Paid Unpaid	
Trinity Mission	Aurora.	\$ 6.00	\$..... \$ 6.00	\$.....
St. Matthias Mission	Amazonia.	2.00	2.00	.....
Christ's Parish	Boonville.	65.00	65.00	.....
St. Mark's Mission	Butler.	25.00	..... 25.00	.....
Grace Parish	Brookfield.	.....	.....	37.50
Grace Parish	Carthage.	160.00	29.67	130.33
Grace Parish	Chillicothe.	125.00	.....	125.00
St. Paul's Mission	Clinton.	30.00	15.00	15.00
St. Paul's Parish	Carrollton.	10.00	.....	10.00
St. Mary's Parish	Fayette.	25.00	.....	25.00
St. Peter's Mission	Harrisonville.	25.00	.....	25.00
Trinity Mission	Hamilton.	3.00	.....	3.00
Trinity Parish	Independence.	18.10	18.10	.....
St. Phillip's Parish	Joplin.	75.00	75.00	.....
St. Augustine Mission	Kansas City	30.00	.....	30.00
St. George's Parish	Kansas City	300.00	300.00	.....
Grace Parish	Kansas City	500.00	.....	500.00
Holy Spirit Mission	Kansas City	5.00	.....	5.00
St. John's Mission	Kansas City	40.00	40.00	.....
St. Mark's Parish	Kansas City	50.00	2.00	48.00
St. Mary's Parish	Kansas City	75.00	75.00	.....
St. Paul's Parish	Kansas City	650.00	450.00	200.00
St. Simon's Nursery				Rent, 240.00
House (Colored)	Kansas City	.....	.....	Stipend, 83.32
Trinity Parish	Kansas City	200.00	164.45	35.55
Grace Mission	Liberty.	15.00	15.00	.....
Trinity Mission	Lamar.	15.00	15.00	.....
Christ Church Parish	Lexington.	30.00	.....	30.00
St. Paul's Mission	Lee's Summit	20.00	.....	20.00
Trinity Mission	Lebanon.	20.00	.....	20.00
St. Paul's Parish	Maryville.	25.00	.....	25.00
Trinity Mission	Marshall.	20.00	.....	20.00
St. Stephen's Mission	Monett.	15.00	15.00	.....
St. Mark's Mission	Mountain Grove	25.00	.....	25.00
Mission at	Mt. Washington	.....	.....	66.68
St. John's Mission	Neosho.	30.00	.....	30.00
All Saint's Parish	Nevada.	20.00	20.00	.....
St. Oswald's Mission	Oswald.	30.00	.....	30.00
Calvary Parish	Pleasant Hill	20.00	.....	20.00
St. Mary's Mission	Plattsburg.	20.00	11.10	8.90
Calvary Parish	Sedalia.	60.00	27.42	32.58
Christ's Church Parish	Springfield.	90.00	60.00	30.00
St. John's Parish	Springfield.	75.00	.....	75.00

Christ's Church Parish..St. Joseph .....	500.00	485.00	15.00	.....
Holy Trinity Parish....St. Joseph .....	50.00	.....	50.00	.....
St. Luke's Mission ....St. Joseph .....	15.00	15.00	.....	.....
St. Matthias Mission...St. Joseph .....	10.00	10.00	.....	200.00
St. Mary's Mission.....Savannah. . . . .	10.00	2.50	7.50	.....
Trinity Mission .....	5.00	.....	5.00	.....
St. Phillip's Mission ....Trenton. . . . .	15.00	15.00	.....	.....
Trinity Mission .....	5.00	.....	5.00	.....
Christ Church Parish...Warrensburg. . . .	40.00	20.00	20.00	550.00
St. Paul's Mission .....	25.00	25.00	.....	299.99
All Saint's Mission ....West Plains .....	25.00	25.00	.....	316.67
	\$2,649.10	\$1,997.24	\$1,651.86	\$4,569.95

STATEMENT SHOWING PAYMENTS MADE SINCE APRIL 30, 1912

St. Paul's Parish.....Carrollton . . . . .	\$ 10.00
Trinity Parish.....Kansas City .....	35.55
St. John's Mission.....Neosho . . . . .	20.00
St. Oswald's Mission.....Oswald . . . . .	30.00
Calvary Parish .....	Sedalia . . . . . 10.15
Christ's Church Parish.....St. Joseph .....	15.00
Grace Parish .....	Kansas City .....
	\$620.70
Overdraft, April 30, 1912.....	246.22
Cash on hand May 14, 1912.....	\$374.48

STATEMENT SHOWING

1. All Mission Stations receiving assistance from the Board of Missions.		
2. Names of missionaries.		
3. Cost of maintenance per month.		
4. Cost of maintenance per annum.		
Grace Mission,		
Brookfield . . . . .	Rev. Oscar Homberger.....\$ 8.33 1-3	\$100.00
Trinity, Independence.	Rev. John V. Plunkett.....	20.00 240.00
St. Augustine (col)		
Kansas City .....	Rev. E. S. Willet.....	50.00 600.00
Holy Spirit, Kansas		
City . . . . .	Rev. J. M. Koehler.....	16.66 2-3 200.00
St. John's, Kansas City.	Rev. C. R. Taylor.....	25.00 300.00
St. Simon's Nursery		
House (colored)      Rent . . . . .		25.00 300.00
Kansas City .....	Rev. J. Henry King.....	16.66 2-3 200.00
Grace Mission, Liberty	Rev. C. R. Taylor.....	12.50 150.00
Trinity, Lamar.....	Rev. James Senior .....	25.00 300.00
Christ Church Parish,		
Lexington . . . . .	Rev. Chas. H. Bohn.....	10.40 2-3 125.00
Trinity Mission,		
Marshall.....	Rev. Chas. H. Bohn.....	31.25 375.00

St. John's Mission,			
Neosho . . . . .	Rev. C. A. Weed . . . . .	16.66 2-3	200.00
St. Matthias Mission,			
(colored) St. Joseph.	Wm. S. D. Lamont . . . . .	25.00	300.00
Christ Church Parish,			
Warrensburg . . . . .	Rev. W. A. Pearman . . . . .	50.00	600.00
St. Paul's Mission,			
Webb City . . . . .	H. E. Batcheller . . . . .	16.66 2-3	200.00
All Saints Missions,			
West Plains . . . . .	Rev. R. J. Belt . . . . .	35.00	420.00
General Work,			
Joplin District . . . . .	Rev. C. A. Weed . . . . .	16.66 2-3	200.00
General Work,			
Archdeacon . . . . .		150.00	1,800.00
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		\$550.83 1-3 \$6,610.00	

All of which is respectfully submitted,

B. C. HOWARD, *Treasurer.*

On motion the Treasurer of the Board of Missions read the names of delinquents on apportionments for Diocesan Missions, and opportunity was given to representatives to give a statement of the reasons for non-payment of the apportionments.

On motion the report of the Treasurer of the Board of Missions was referred to the Finance Committee.

On motion by Rev. Mr. Eckel it was resolved that the Treasurer of the Board of Missions be, and he hereby is, authorized by this Council to borrow, if necessary, a sum or sums of money not to exceed two thousand (\$2,000.00) dollars, in the aggregate during the fiscal year, to carry on the work of the Board.

On motion it was resolved that the report of the Board of Missions be made the special order of business at 10 a. m., Wednesday, the 15th.

On motion the Council adjourned, at 5:35 p. m., to reconvene at 8 p. m.

### 8 P. M.

The Council re-convened at 8 p. m., for the consideration of the special order of business for the time, viz., the report of the Board of Equalization:

The report was presented to the Council by Dean Eckel, who outlined the basis on which the Committee proceeded to

draw the deductions that are the foundation of an equitable plan for the support of the Diocese.

On motion the report was received by the Council.

On motion it was resolved that the Board of Equalization be asked to raise the assessment on Brookfield, Mo., to forty-two dollars and fifty-two cents (\$42.52), and reduce the assessment on Chillicothe to one hundred nine dollars and ninety-one cents (\$109.91).

The attention of the Council was called to the fact that the current expense statement for St. George's Church, Kansas City, included the sum of nineteen hundred twenty-eight dollars and fifty cents (\$1928.50), a payment of interest on the bonded debt of the parish, which should be deducted from the statement as printed, making the same equal fifty-two hundred ninety dollars and forty-nine cents (\$290.49).

On motion the Board of Equalization was requested to make this change in the figures for St. George's Church in Kansas City.

The lay delegates of Trinity Parish, Independence, requested that they be credited with sixty communicants instead of eighty, as a basis for apportionment for Diocesan Missions. The Council refused to endorse the request.

It was moved and seconded that the Board of Equalization be requested to place the rate of apportionment for Diocesan and General Missions, for Trinity Parish, Independence, at seventy-five cents per communicant instead of one dollar. By a standing vote the motion was lost.

The Board of Equalization was granted leave to retire and consider the changes which had been presented to them.

During the retirement of the Board of Equalization it was resolved that the report of the work among deaf mutes in Kansas City be placed before the Council, and the report was read by the Secretary:

*To the Right Reverend Sidney Catlin Partridge, D.D., Bishop of Kansas City:*

RIGHT REVEREND SIR: I beg to present my report of work as your Missionary to Deaf Mutes for the year ending May 1, 1912.

During this time services, etc., have been held as follows:

*Kansas City*—Fifteen services, of which six were celebrations of the Holy Eucharist. The highest attendance at services was 60,

with an average of about 25. The highest number of communions at one time was 15, and the average, 8. The number of people reached was about 150. There were eight secular lectures and four entertainments. Thirty-five pastoral calls were made; two persons confirmed and one couple married. Several who were to be confirmed were unable to be present at the time of the Bishop's visit. I hope to present them later, with others.

*Independence*—Four calls.

*Joplin*—Four visits and twelve calls.

*Carthage*—Six services and fourteen calls.

*Webb City*—Six services, four baptisms and ten calls.

*St. Joseph*—Seven services and eight calls.

Total services, 34; communions, 6; baptisms, 4; marriage, 1.

There were four candidates for confirmation at Webb City, but pending the visitation of the Bishop they moved away—two to Kansas City and two to Oklahoma. I hope to present several during the coming year at Joplin.

One death occurred during the year among my people at Independence, and in my absence and that of the local rector, a Presbyterian minister read our burial service at a Methodist chapel.

My receipts during the year were as follows:

Offerings by the deaf at services:

Kansas City .....	\$12.79
Webb City .....	6.28
Carthage . . . . .	4.80
St. Joseph .....	1.75—\$ 25.62

From the Bishop's purse:

To cover deficit May 1, 1911.....	\$30.54
Specials . . . . .	40.00
Offering by deaf mutes, Kansas City.....	2.16— 72.70

Other sources:

St. Phillip's, Joplin .....	\$ 3.85
Grace Church, Carthage .....	6.30
Convocation, Joplin .....	2.20
Trinity Church, Kansas City.....	10.00
———through the Bishop .....	5.00
Rev. Mr. Rafter, Springfield.....	5.00
Rev. Mr. Eckel, St. Joseph.....	2.00— 34.35

Total . . . . . \$132.67

The expenses of travel, postage, printing, etc., was \$156.92, leaving a deficit of \$24.25, which has been met out of my general account. I trust a way may be found to enable me to replace this amount. I regret that there should be another deficit—it would be far pleasanter to report a surplus, however small. The expenses this year were much larger than formerly, owing, in the first place, to

loss of transportation heretofore granted me, and again to a long period of enforced idleness during the interruption of railroad traffic and the severely cold weather during the past winter. Like many others, my people have found the prevailing high prices of commodities a heavy strain upon their resources, and their contributions have been considerably smaller than in previous years.

I am glad to be able to report an increased appreciation by my people of what the Church is trying to do for them through this mission. Here in Kansas City the people are more and more making Grace Church the center of their various activities. Through the kindness of the wardens and vestry a fraternal association of men meets there monthly, as does also the Ladies Aid Society—an organization devoted to helping poor and distressed deaf mutes; and the occasions are becoming more and more frequent when the use of the Parish House is requested for meetings, conferences, etc. And I desire, here, to express my grateful appreciation to the wardens and vestrymen for thus allowing me and my people the free use of the Church and Parish House. I wish it were possible for me to spend more time in residence here to take advantage of the many opportunities that offer for extending the influence of the Church among these people and bringing them into closer relations. As it is, I can spend but a few days here every month. I trust that it may not be long before larger provision can be made for this work in the metropolitan district of Kansas City.

As in past years, I have continued the mission in the adjacent Dioceses of Kansas, Nebraska, Colorado and Iowa, and the missionary districts of Oklahoma, Eastern Oklahoma and the Dakotas. I have visited some thirty points more or less regularly, traveling over 40,000 miles, holding more than 300 services and reaching at least half of the more than 6,000 deaf mutes in the field. During the past three years I have served some forty or more stations and have traveled approximately 150,000 miles, holding over a thousand services. The spiritual results are shown in some eighty baptisms and more than half as many confirmations. Many others are preparing for or awaiting these sacraments, and there are results that are best known to God. The field is manifestly too large for one man. May God put it in the hearts of His people to provide the means for more workers, for the field is white unto the harvest!

The Bishop, clergy and people of the Diocese have always been most kind to me. For this I thank them all, bespeaking their continued interest and support for this work among the "silent children of God."

Faithfully and obediently,

J. M. KOEHLER, *Missionary.*

May 14, 1912.

Report received and filed.

The spokesman for the Board of Equalization reported the adoption of the changes which had been requested of it.

The Rev. W. A. Pearman introduced a motion requesting the Board of Equalization to raise the rate per communicant in the congregations of Clinton and Harrisonville from fifty cents to one dollar. The motion prevailed, but the Board of Equalization, after retiring to consider further changes in the report, refused to grant the request. During their absence the Rev. Mr. Atwill introduced the report from the General Clergy Relief Fund. Same was received and filed.

The report of the Board of Equalization, as revised, was put to vote and carried.

### **REPORT OF THE BOARD OF EQUALIZATION OF THE DIOCESE OF KANSAS CITY.**

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Office of the Bishop, 501 Orear-Leslie Building, Kansas City, Mo.  
March 15, 1912.

*To the Clergy and Laity of the Diocese of Kansas City:*

Dear Brethren:—As will be seen, by the following transcript from the Diocesan Journal for 1911 (page 50), the undersigned were constituted a Board of Equalization.

"There shall be appointed, by the chair, a Board of Equalization consisting of four clergymen, of whom the Bishop shall be one, and five laymen, who shall apportion among the parishes and mission stations of the Diocese:

- I. The Diocesan Assessment.
- II. The amount asked for Diocesan Missions.
- III. The amount apportioned to the Diocese for General Missions.

The Bishop shall have power to fill vacancies, provided, that nothing in the resolution shall change the apportionment of the Diocesan assessment for the ensuing year."

The duty of this Board is here explicitly defined, and it will be observed that the recommendations herein made have no bearing whatever upon the Diocesan assessment for the conciliar year, May 1, 1911—May 1, 1912.

The Board has held several meetings and given many hours of careful consideration to the matter, the results of which are herein after set forth for examination before the next Diocesan Council, when this report will be presented for adoption.

A few general remarks will be in order.

Under the leadership of our new Bishop, the Episcopal Church in the Western part of Missouri is entering upon a new era. Its motto must be, "*Speak to the children of Israel that they go forward;*" its policy to "*strengthen the weak hands, and confirm the feeble knees;*" its aim to "*devise liberal things*" and to "*strengthen the stakes and lengthen the cords,*" so that this Church may be a power in the land. Let enthusiasm, zeal, co-operation, loyalty, and



generosity be exercised together to lead us on to these results. We all want to belong to a live and working church, abreast of the times, and keenly alive to its mission, energetic and efficient in spreading and deepening the Kingdom of God. One of the manifest needs of such a church is money, and in order to make the Church what it ought to be, the loving support of every adherent is necessary.

There are three funds which the Board of Equalization had to deal with. They will be treated separately in this report.

### THE DIOCESAN FUND.

It is a mistake to regard this fund as embracing only the maintenance of the Episcopate, or in other words the Bishop's salary and expenses. It is the general fund of keeping up the Diocese, as will appear in detail from the following budget:

**For Bishop:**

Salary. . . . .	\$3,600.00
Traveling expenses. . . . .	600.00
Rent of residence. . . . .	900.00

**For Secretary of the Diocese:**

Salary. . . . .	150.00
Printing and mailing Diocesan Journals. . . . .	250.00
Postage. . . . .	25.00

**For Treasurer of the Diocese:**

Postage. . . . .	25.00
Missionaries' mileage, Diocesan Convention. . . . .	40.00
General Convention, based on number of clergy. . . . .	35.00
Contingent expenses. . . . .	50.00

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\$5,675.00

The Board has figured the budget down to the lowest possible point, and in order to do this has reluctantly felt obliged to omit several items that, under more prosperous conditions, should have been included in it, such as: Treasurer's office assistant, \$60; two-thirds traveling expenses of deputies to the General Convention, \$333; appropriation to Diocesan Sunday School Institute, \$200; and delegates' mileage to Diocesan Council, estimated at \$300; and for transfer of missionaries, \$200.

To meet the appropriations of the above budget, amounting to \$5,675, the Board counts upon receipts as follows:

Assessment, 10½% of current expenses. . . . .	\$6,386.00
Interest from invested funds. . . . .	692.00

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\$7,078.00

Rebate of 10% availed of, estimated. . . . .	\$400.00
Delinquencies, estimated. . . . .	962.00

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1,362.00

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\$5,716.00

The method of fixing the assessments which has hitherto obtained in the Diocese has been repeatedly criticised as arbitrary and inequitable. It was shown in a report to the Diocesan Council that they ranged from 5½ per cent of the current expenses to 110 per cent; and from 20 cents per communicant to \$2.82.

To correct the inequities of an arbitrary assessment of parishes and missions on the basis of their supposed ability or willingness to pay the sums thus fixed, this Board has unanimously agreed that the assessment should be based on the sums expended by parishes and missions for bare maintenance, as reported in the latest Diocesan Journal next preceding the date of the assessment. Ordinarily this would be the Diocesan Journal of the year before, but when no report appears, the Board has been obliged to go back from year to year till it found one. Inasmuch as current expenses fluctuate, the assessments will, of course, show corresponding fluctuations, and the rate will vary from year to year.

Attention should be fixed upon the meaning of the term "current expenses" in the parochial report. It does not include expenditure for charity, missions, new buildings, permanent improvements or interest on debt, none of which, of course, should be subject to taxation. Current expenses are salaries, music, heat, light, insurance, incidental repairs and sundries—all that justly belongs to the maintenance and use of the property—in short, the "fixed charges" for keeping up the church and public worship.

This Board, having found a graduated rate impracticable under present conditions, although to be put into effect when feasible, has fixed upon a flat rate of 10½ per cent for next year (with \$1 as the minimum amount), which, assuming that every parish and mission avails itself of the 10 per cent rebate for payment within thirty days of the beginning of the quarter, will yield \$5,747.44.

It is, of course, to be expected that in changing from a method of arbitrary assessment to the system recommended, the parishes and missions will be diversely affected. Some will find their assessment increased, others diminished; but the Board hopes that all will recognize the justice and wisdom of the plan adopted and, "*not looking each of you to his own things, but also to the things of others,*" will gladly approve and accept the figures herein given.

PLACE.	Cur. Exp. 1910-11.	10½% Ass't 1912-13.	After 10% Discount.
Albany. . . . .	.....	\$ 1.00	\$ 1.00
Amazonia. . . . .	\$ 12.75	1.33	1.20
Aurora. . . . .	60.00	6.30	5.67
Blackburn. . . . .	10.00	1.05	.95
Boonville. . . . .	610.34	64.08	57.68
Braymer. . . . .	.....	.....	.....
Breckenridge. . . . .	.....	1.00	1.00
Brookfield. . . . .	24.00	42.52	38.27
Brunswick. . . . .	.....	1.00	1.00
Butler. . . . .	180.00	18.90	17.01
Cameron. . . . .	175.00	18.37	16.54

Carrollton. . . . .	31.50	3.31	2 98
Carthage. . . . .	1,729.23	181.56	163.41
Chillicothe. . . . .	1,427.80	109.91	98.92
Clinton . . . . .	325.74	34.20	30.78
Craig. . . . .	.....	.....	.....
Eldorado Springs . . . . .	.....	.....	.....
Empire Prairie . . . . .	.....	.....	.....
Excelsior Springs. . . . .	.....	1.00	1.00
Fayette. . . . .	2.15	1.00	1.00
Fordland. . . . .	.....	1.00	1.00
Gallatin. . . . .	.....	1.00	1.00
Hamilton. . . . .	.....	1.00	1.00
Harrisonville . . . . .	200.00	21.00	18.90
Higginsville. . . . .	15.81	1.66	1.50
Holden. . . . .	.....	1.00	1.00
Hopkins. . . . .	.....	.....	.....
Independence. . . . .	985.68	103.49	93.15
Joplin. . . . .	1,840.50	193.25	173.93
Kansas City:			
Grace Church . . . . .	6,947.92	729.53	656.58
Holy Spirit . . . . .	.....	1.00	1.00
St. Augustine's . . . . .	864.05	90.72	81.65
St. George's . . . . .	5,290.49	555.50	499 95
St. John's . . . . .	1,531.61	160.81	144 73
St. Mark's . . . . .	1,039.00	109.09	98.19
St. Mark's . . . . .	1,039.00	109.09	98.19
St Paul's . . . . .	10,746.97	1,128.43	1,015.59
St. Simon's . . . . .	.....	1.00	1.00
Trinity. . . . .	3,771.14	395.96	356.37
King City . . . . .	.....	.....	.....
Lamar. . . . .	347.73	36.51	32 86
Lathrop. . . . .	.....	1.00	1.00
Lebanon. . . . .	84.64	8.88	8.00
Lee's Summit . . . . .	55 00	5.77	5.20
Lexington. . . . .	436.00	45.78	41.21
Liberty. . . . .	61.00	6.40	5.76
Marceline. . . . .	.....	.....	.....
Marshall . . . . .	486.00	51.03	45.93
Maryville . . . . .	15.27	1.60	1.44
Milan. . . . .	.....	.....	.....
Monett. . . . .	77.70	8.15	7 34
Mound City . . . . .	.....	.....	.....
Mountain Grove . . . . .	175.00	18.37	16.54
Neosho. . . . .	367.90	38.62	34 76
Nevada. . . . .	970.90	101.94	91.75
Oshorn. . . . .	.....	1 00	1.00
Oswald. . . . .	255.00	26.77	24 10
Platte City . . . . .	.....	1.00	1.00
Plattsburg. . . . .	31.75	3 33	3.00
Pleasant Hill . . . . .	133.70	14.03	12.63
Rich Hill . . . . .	.....	.....	.....
Richland. . . . .	25.31	2.65	2.39
Richmond . . . . .	65.00	6.82	6.14
St. Joseph:			
Christ Church . . . . .	7,935.31	833.20	749.88
Holy Trinity . . . . .	595.00	62.47	56.23
St. Luke's . . . . .	335.20	35.19	32.68
St. Matthias's . . . . .	67.05	7.04	6.34
Savannah. . . . .	.....	1.00	1.00
Sedalia. . . . .	1,879.37	197.33	177.60
Sedalia, East . . . . .	.....	1.00	1.00

<b>Springfield:</b>			
Christ Church .....	1,775.51	186.42	167.78
St. John's .....	584.35	61.35	55.22
Stanberry. . . . .	33.00	3.46	3.12
Sweet Springs. ....	.....	.....	.....
Tipton. . . . .	.....	.....	.....
Trenton. . . . .	116.66	12.24	11.02
Utica. . . . .	.....	1.00	1.00
Versailles. . . . .	.....	1.00	1.00
Warrensburg. . . . .	678.00	71.19	64.08
Webb City .....	148.26	15.56	14.01
Weston. . . . .	.....	1.00	1.00
West Plains .....	535.80	56.25	50.63
<b>Total. . . . .</b>	<b>\$60,680.72</b>	<b>\$ 6,390.01</b>	<b>\$ 5,754.12</b>

### DIOCESAN MISSION AND CHURCH EXTENSION.

Having based the Diocesan Fund ("Assessment") upon parochial current expenses, it seemed right to this Board that the apportionments for Missions, both Diocesan and General, should be based upon the number of communicants. Thus the Diocese will be supported by the corporate parts thereof, i.e., the parishes and missions, while the Church's missionary work, both in our own Diocese and abroad, will be carried on by the individual communicants. An "apportionment" upon a parish is merely a convenient way of indicating to the people of that parish, as individuals, the minimum individual responsibility for the support of missions based on the number of communicants reported.

This Board would therefore urge the clergy and church wardens of the Diocese to adopt, so far as possible, such method of collecting the sums apportioned for missions (both Diocesan and General) as shall secure the gifts directly from the individual communicant, rather than, regarding the apportionment as a tax levied upon the parish, to pay it out of the parish treasury. It will be seen, from the following table, that only a small sum for the year, ranging from 50 cents to \$1.50, according to circumstances, is asked for each communicant. And to aid the parishes to raise the amount it was unanimously decided that the Sunday School Advent offerings and the contributions of the Woman's Auxiliary for Diocesan Missions should be applied on these totals.

### DIOCESAN MISSIONS.

	Rate per Communicant.	Apportionment.
Amazonia. . . . .	\$0.50	\$ 2.50
Aurora. . . . .	.50	3.00
Blackburn. . . . .	.50	3.00
Boonville. . . . .	.50	35.00
Brookfield. . . . .	.50	30.00
Brunswick. . . . .	.50	3.00
Butler. . . . .	.50	5.00
Cameron. . . . .	.50	15.00
Carrollton. . . . .	.50	5.00

Carthage. . . . .	1.00	115.00
Chillicothe. . . . .	1.00	120.00
Clinton. . . . .	.50	25.00
Excelsior Springs . . . . .	.50	5.00
Fayette. . . . .	.50	15.00
Fordland. . . . .	.50	1.00
Hamilton. . . . .	.50	3.00
Harrisonville. . . . .	.50	15.00
Higginsville. . . . .	.50	8.00
Independence. . . . .	1.00	80.00
Joplin . . . . .	1.00	125.00
Kansas City:		
Grace. . . . .	1.25	500.00
Grace Hall . . . . .		10.00
Holy Spirit . . . . .	.50	50.00
St. Augustine's . . . . .	.50	110.00
St. George's . . . . .	1.00	100.00
St. John's . . . . .	.50	115.00
St. Mark's . . . . .	.75	150.00
St. Mary's . . . . .	.75	800.00
St. Paul's . . . . .	1.50	400.00
Trinity. . . . .	1.00	10.00
Lamar . . . . .	.50	15.00
Lebanon. . . . .	.50	5.00
Lee's Summit . . . . .	.50	20.00
Lexington . . . . .	.50	5.00
Liberty. . . . .	.75	50.00
Marshall. . . . .	.50	15.00
Maryville. . . . .	.50	10.00
Monett . . . . .	.50	10.00
Mountain Grove. . . . .	.50	25.00
Neosho. . . . .	.50	45.00
Nevada . . . . .	.75	20.00
Oswald. . . . .	.50	10.00
Plattsburg . . . . .	.50	10.00
Pleasant Hill . . . . .	.50	5.00
Savannah. . . . .	.50	170.00
Sedalia . . . . .	1.00	
Springfield:		
Christ. . . . .	1.25	190.00
St. John's. . . . .	.80	205.00
Stanberry. . . . .	.50	3.00
St. Joseph:		
Christ. . . . .	1.20	600.00
Holy Trinity . . . . .	.50	35.00
St. Luke's . . . . .	.50	20.00
St. Matthias's . . . . .	.50	5.00
Trenton. . . . .	.50	15.00
Utica. . . . .	.50	2.50
Versailles. . . . .	.50	1.00
Warrensburg. . . . .	1.00	15.00
Webb City . . . . .	.50	10.00
West Plains . . . . .	.50	20.00
Total. . . . .		\$4,465.00

## GENERAL MISSIONS.

The clergy and church wardens will understand that by a resolution of the Board of Missions of New York, a blanket apportion-

ment for General Missions, covering receipts from all sources, has been laid upon the several Dioceses. In our case this gross amount is \$6,760. The apportionment to the several parishes and missions of the Diocese has therefore been made by considering three sources of contribution toward general missions: (1) The amount expected from the parish. This has been figured on the number of communicants. The rate per communicant is the same as in the preceding table. By this computation we reach the amounts named in the first column of the following table. (2) To this was added 50 cents for every Sunday School officer and scholar reported in the last Diocesan Journal. (3) And finally, the various amounts, as indicated, which are to be raised by the local branches of the Woman's Auxiliary or other women's societies of the various parishes and missions. The aggregate of these three sources makes the total apportionment for the parish or mission. The column headed "Parish" in the following table indicates the aggregate sums expected from communicants as individuals, in accordance with the explanation given above under the head of "Diocesan Missions and Church Extension:"

PLACE.	Parish.	Sunday School	Women's Auxiliary.	Total.
Amazonia. . . . .	\$ 2.50	\$ . . . . .	\$ 1.00	\$ 3.50
Aurora. . . . .	3.00	. . . . .	1.00	4.00
Blackburn. . . . .	3.00	. . . . .	1.00	4.00
Boonville. . . . .	35.00	15.00	10.00	60.00
Brookfield. . . . .	30.00	. . . . .	1.00	31.00
Brunswick. . . . .	3.00	. . . . .	1.00	4.00
Butler. . . . .	5.00	. . . . .	1.00	6.00
Cameron. . . . .	15.00	13.50	1.00	29.50
Carrollton. . . . .	5.00	. . . . .	1.00	6.00
Carthage. . . . .	115.00	44.00	25.00	184.00
Chillicothe. . . . .	120.00	15.00	1.00	136.00
Clinton. . . . .	25.00	13.50	1.00	39.50
Excelsior Springs . . . . .	5.00	. . . . .	1.00	6.00
Fayette. . . . .	15.00	. . . . .	1.00	16.00
Fordland. . . . .	1.00	. . . . .	1.00	2.00
Hamilton. . . . .	3.00	. . . . .	1.00	4.00
Harrisonville. . . . .	15.00	. . . . .	1.00	16.00
Higginsville. . . . .	8.00	. . . . .	8.00	16.00
Independence. . . . .	80.00	17.50	1.00	98.50
Joplin. . . . .	125.00	19.00	1.00	145.00
Kansas City:				
Grace. . . . .	500.00	100.50	200.00	800.50
Grace Hall . . . . .	. . . . .	. . . . .	40.00	40.00
Holy Spirit . . . . .	10.00	. . . . .	1.00	11.00
St. Augustine's . . . . .	50.00	17.00	10.00	77.00
St. George's . . . . .	410.00	105.50	130.00	645.50
St. John's . . . . .	100.00	70.00	50.00	220.00
St. Mark's . . . . .	115.00	29.00	50.00	194.00
St. Mary's . . . . .	150.00	81.00	35.00	266.00
St. Paul's . . . . .	600.00	127.00	200.00	927.00
Trinity. . . . .	400.00	44.50	100.00	544.50
Lamar. . . . .	10.00	3.50	2.00	15.50
Lebanon. . . . .	15.00	7.00	1.00	23.00
Lee's Summit . . . . .	5.00	. . . . .	1.00	6.00
Lexington. . . . .	20.00	35.50	1.00	56.50

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Liberty. . . . .	5.00	3.00	1.00	9.00
Marshall. . . . .	20.00	18.50	1.00	39.50
Maryville. . . . .	15.00	4.50	1.00	20.50
Monett. . . . .	10.00	14.50	2.00	26.50
Mountain Grove . . . . .	10.00	27.50	2.00	39.50
Neosho. . . . .	25.00	11.00	1.00	37.00
Nevada. . . . .	45.00	17.50	1.00	63.50
Oswald. . . . .	20.00	11.50	5.00	36.50
Plattsburg. . . . .	10.00	.....	1.00	11.00
Pleasant Hill. . . . .	10.00	.....	1.00	11.00
Savannah. . . . .	5.00	.....	1.00	6.00
Sedalia. . . . .	170.00	31.50	36.00	236.50
Springfield:				
Christ's Church ...	190.00	27.50	50.00	267.50
St. John's . . . . .	205.00	44.00	50.00	299.00
Stanberry. . . . .	3.00	.....	1.00	4.00
St. Joseph:				
Christ Church . . . . .	600.00	94.00	100.00	794.00
Holy Trinity . . . . .	35.00	25.50	10.00	70.50
St. Luke's . . . . .	20.00	.....	1.00	21.00
St. Matthias . . . . .	5.00	.....	1.00	6.00
Trenton. . . . .	15.00	14.00	1.00	30.00
Utica. . . . .	2.50	.....	1.00	3.50
Versailles. . . . .	1.00	.....	1.00	2.00
Warrensburg. . . . .	15.00	7.50	1.00	23.50
Webb City . . . . .	10.00	18.50	1.00	29.50
West Plains . . . . .	20.00	14.50	1.00	35.50
Total. . . . .	<u>\$4,465.00</u>	<u>\$1,143.00</u>	<u>\$1,152.00</u>	<u>\$6,760.00</u>

## SUMMARY.

For convenience of reference we here present a table in which are set opposite the name of each parish or mission (1) its assessment for the Diocesan Fund, (2) its apportionment for Diocesan Missions, (3) its total apportionment for General Missions, and (4) the total of these sums. This Board is painfully aware of the staggering aggregate but we would venture to remind the Diocese that our task was to divide certain large fixed sums as equitably as possible. This we have done faithfully and conscientiously and with much anxious labor, and we trust that the results, as embodied in this report, will secure the sympathetic approval and hearty acceptance of the entire Diocese.

PLACE.	Assessments.	Diocesan Missions.	General Missions.	Total.
Albany. . . . .	\$ 1.00	\$.....	\$.....	\$ 1.00
Amazonia. . . . .	1.33	2.50	3.50	7.33
Aurora. . . . .	6.30	3.00	4.00	13.30
Blackburn. . . . .	1.05	3.00	4.00	8.05
Boonville. . . . .	64.08	35.00	60.00	159.08
Breckenridge. . . . .	1.00	.....	.....	1.00
Brookfield. . . . .	2.52	30.00	31.00	63.52
Brunswick. . . . .	1.00	3.00	4.00	8.00
Butler . . . . .	18.90	5.00	6.00	29.90
Cameron. . . . .	18.37	15.00	29.50	62.87
Carrollton. . . . .	3.31	5.00	6.00	14.31

Carthage. . . . .	181.56	115 00	184.00	480.56
Chillicothe. . . . .	149.91	120.00	136.00	405.91
Clinton. . . . .	34.20	25.00	39.50	98.70
Excelsior Springs . . . . .	1.00	5.00	6.00	12.00
Fayette. . . . .	1.00	15.00	16 00	32.00
Fordland. . . . .	1.00	1.00	2.00	4.00
Gallatin. . . . .	1.00	.....	.....	1.00
Hamilton. . . . .	1.00	3.00	4.00	8.00
Harrisonville. . . . .	21 00	15.00	16.00	52.00
Higginsville . . . . .	1.66	8.00	16.00	25.66
Holden. . . . .	1.00	.....	.....	1.00
Independence. . . . .	103.49	80.00	98.50	281.09
Joplin. . . . .	193.25	125.00	145.00	463.25
Kansas City:				
Grace Church . . . . .	729.52	500.00	800.50	2,030.03
Grace Hall . . . . .	.....	.....	40.00	40.00
Holy Spirit . . . . .	1.00	10.00	11.00	21.00
St. Augustine's . . . . .	90.72	50.00	77.00	217.72
St. George's. . . . .	757.99	410.00	645.50	1,813.49
St. John's . . . . .	160.81	100.00	220.00	480.81
St. Mark's . . . . .	109.09	115.00	194.00	418.09
St. Mary's . . . . .	279.29	150.00	266.00	695.20
St. Paul's . . . . .	1,128.43	600 00	927.00	2,655.43
St. Simon's . . . . .	1 00	.....	.....	1.00
Trinity. . . . .	395.96	400.00	544.50	1,340 46
Lamar . . . . .	36.51	10.00	15.50	62.01
Lebanon . . . . .	8.88	15.00	23.00	46.88
Lathrop. . . . .	1.00	.....	.....	1.00
Lee's Summit . . . . .	5.77	5.00	6.00	16.77
Lexington. . . . .	45.78	20.00	56 50	122.28
Liberty. . . . .	6.40	5 00	9.00	20.40
Marshall. . . . .	51.03	20.00	39.50	110.53
Maryville. . . . .	1 60	15.00	20.50	37.10
Monett. . . . .	8.15	10.00	26.50	44 65
Mountain Grove . . . . .	18.37	10.00	39.50	67.87
Nevada. . . . .	101.94	45.00	63.50	210.44
Necaho. . . . .	38.62	25.00	37.00	100.62
Osborn. . . . .	1.00	.....	.....	1.00
Oswald. . . . .	26 77	20.00	36.50	83.27
Platte City . . . . .	1.00	.....	.....	1.00
Plattsburg. . . . .	3.33	10.00	11.00	24.33
Pleasant Hill . . . . .	14.03	10.00	11.00	35.03
Richland . . . . .	2.65	.....	.....	2.65
Richmond. . . . .	6 82	.....	.....	6.82
St. Joseph:				
Christ Church . . . . .	833 20	600.00	794.00	2,227.20
Holy Trinity . . . . .	62.47	35.00	70.50	167.97
St. Luke's . . . . .	35.19	20.00	21.00	76.19
St. Matthias' . . . . .	7.04	5.00	6 00	18.04
Savannah. . . . .	1.00	5.00	6.00	12.00
Sedalia. . . . .	197 33	170.00	236.50	603.83
Sedalia, East . . . . .	1.00	.....	...	1.00
St. Louis:				
Christ Church . . . . .	186.42	190.00	267 50	643.92
St. John's . . . . .	61.35	205.00	299.00	565 35
Stanberry. . . . .	3.46	3 00	4.00	10.46
Trenton . . . . .	12.24	15.00	30.00	57.24
Utica. . . . .	1.00	2.50	3.50	7.00
Versailles . . . . .	1.00	1 00	2.00	4.00
Warrensburg. . . . .	71.19	15.00	21 50	109.69



Webb City .....	15.56	10.00	29.50	55.06
Weston. . . . .	1 00	.....	.....	1.00
West Plains .....	56.25	20.00	35.50	111.75
Total. . . . .	<u>\$6,390.01</u>	<u>\$4,465.00</u>	<u>\$6,760.00</u>	<u>\$17,615.01</u>

SIDNEY C. PARTRIDGE, President. J. STEWART-SMITH,

ALBERT C. STOWELL, Secretary. H. L. ARNOLD,

C. T. BRADY,

D. H. SMITH,

C. A. WEED,

F. A. GARLICH,

E. H. ECKEL,

F. A. SMITH,

Board of Equalization.

On motion it was resolved that the report of the Committee on Revision of the Constitution and Canons be made the special order of business for 2:30 p. m., on Wednesday.

It was moved by the Rev. Father Smith and duly seconded that all delinquent parishes and missions on apportionments up to this Council have their delinquencies remitted.

It was moved as a substitute by Rev. Dr. Brady, and duly seconded, that this question be referred to the Board of Missions with power to act. Substitute carried.

On motion by the Rev. Oscar Homburger, duly seconded, it was resolved that the balance due on the assessments of Brookfield, Chillicothe and Utica be remitted.

On motion of Rev. Dr. Brady, duly seconded, it was resolved that there shall be appointed by the chair a Board of Equalization, consisting of five clergymen, of whom the Bishop shall be one, and five laymen, who shall apportion among the parishes and missions of the Diocese, first, the Diocesan assessment; secondly, the amount asked for Diocesan Missions; thirdly, the amount assigned to the Diocese for General Missions for the year 1913, based upon the figures in the fiscal journal for 1911-12.

On motion it was resolved that all the functions hitherto devolving upon the Assessment Committee be taken over by the Board of Equalization.

The Bishop announced some items in the program for Wednesday, and on motion the Council adjourned at 10:10 p. m., to re-convene at 10 a. m., on Wednesday.

## SECOND DAY—10 A. M.

The Bishop called the Council to order, and the minutes of the preceding day were read by the Secretary.

On motion by the Rev. Dr. Brady it was resolved that

the interest on the Permanent Fund for the Episcopate shall be added to the Diocesan Assessment Fund for the ensuing year.

Mr. W. F. Eves having been obliged to leave the city, the Secretary appointed Mr. Walter Brown, of Independence, to act as assistant secretary in his place.

The following communication from the Diocese of Fond du Lac was presented to the Council:

### DIocese OF FOND DU LAC.

#### *Office of the Secretary.*

BIG SUAMICO, Wis., June, 1911.

REVEREND AND DEAR SIR: The following resolution was adopted by the Thirty-seventh Annual Council of the Diocese of Fond du Lac, holden in the Cathedral Church of St. Paul's, Fond du Lac, on Tuesday, June 6, A. D. 1911, and is sent to you in accordance with the instructions of the Council, viz:

*Resolved*, That it is the judgment and desire of this Council that the words "Protestant Episcopal" should be stricken from the Book of Common Prayer in the seven places where now used; and be it further

*Resolved*, That a copy of this resolution be sent to the Bishop and Secretary of each Diocese with a request that they should express their judgment on this subject by a vote of their Council or Convention before the next meeting of the General Convention.

This change would bring our Prayer Book into accord with that used by the rest of the Anglican Communion.

So that where the English Prayer Book reads "according to the use of the Church of England" our Prayer Book would read "according to the use of the Church in the United States of America."

Sincerely yours,

LUCIUS D. HOPKINS,  
*Secretary of the Council.*

And was on motion referred to a committee of three to report on same at the next Council.

The Rev. Dr. Brady introduced the following resolution:

*Resolved*, That it is the sense of this Council that no apportionment shall hereafter be made to increase the salary of any stipendiary, except the Archdeacon, directly or indirectly, above the amount fixed as a minimum stipend for the several classes of clergymen by resolution of Dec. 14, 1911. Provided, that this resolution shall not

be retroactive and that nothing therein shall disturb existing contracts or agreements. Furthermore,

*Resolved*, That this resolution shall be submitted to the Committee on new Constitution and Canons and also to the Diocesan Council for such action as may be proper.

And moved its adoption by the Council. On motion by the Rev. C. A. Weed, this resolution was amended by referring same to the Board of Missions with power to act.

The Rev. Dr. Brady introduced the following resolution:

*Resolved*, That it is the sense of this Council that clergymen who are stipendiaries of the Board and that laymen who represent parishes or mission stations that have not paid their apportionment for Diocesan Missions for the previous year shall not be eligible for membership on the Board of Missions.

Which, on a rising vote, was lost.

The Bishop led the Council in noon-day prayers for missions.

Mr. Ben C. Howard presented the report of the Sunday School Advent offerings:

#### REPORT OF THE SUNDAY SCHOOL OF THE DIOCESE OF KANSAS CITY, TO THE TWENTY-THIRD ANNUAL COUNCIL,

Relating to the Advent Mite Box Offering For Diocesan Missions.

##### RECEIPTS.

Open offering at children's mission service May, 1911.....	\$ 13.71
Fayette . . . . . ST. MARY'S PARISH.....	4.04
Sedalia . . . . . CALVARY PARISH . . . . .	5.97
Springfield . . . . . CHRIST CHURCH . . . . .	1.45
Warrensburg . . . . . CHRIST CHURCH . . . . .	9.64
Independence . . . . . TRINITY PARISH . . . . .	3.05
Nevada . . . . . ALL SAINT'S PARISH.....	8.00
Kansas City . . . . . TRINITY PARISH . . . . .	25.00
Kansas City . . . . . ST. PAUL'S PARISH . . . . .	43.00
Joplin . . . . . ST. PHILIP'S PARISH . . . . .	4 19
Neosho . . . . . ST. JOHN'S MISSION . . . . .	10.62
St. Joseph . . . . . CHRIST CHURCH . . . . .	17.98
Marshall . . . . . TRINITY MISSION . . . . .	16.16
Kansas City . . . . . ST. AUGUSTINE MISSION.....	5.00
Chillicothe . . . . . GRACE CHURCH . . . . .	7.20
Kansas City . . . . . ST. SIMON'S NURSERY HOUSE	1.12
Lebanon . . . . . TRINITY MISSION . . . . .	32.25
Kansas City . . . . . ST. GEORGE'S PARISH . . . . .	83.41

Springfield . . . . .	ST. JOHN'S PARISH . . . . .	3.93
St. Joseph . . . . .	ST. LUKE'S MISSION . . . . .	5.00
Kansas City . . . . .	ST. JOHN'S MISSION . . . . .	20.58
St. Joseph . . . . .	HOLY TRINITY PARISH . . . . .	7.30
Monett . . . . .	ST. STEPHEN'S MISSION . . . . .	1.62
Kansas City . . . . .	GRACE CHURCH . . . . .	2.14
Lexington . . . . .	CHRIST'S CHURCH . . . . .	3.15
Kansas City . . . . .	ST. MARK'S PARISH . . . . .	7.05
Carthage . . . . .	GRACE CHURCH . . . . .	10.00
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		\$360.16

Respectfully submitted,

B. C. HOWARD,  
*President Sunday School Institute.*

#### DISBURSEMENTS.

Two electrotypes for seal of Diocese . . . . .	\$ .50
Mite boxes . . . . .	45.00
Express charges . . . . .	4.47
Printing labels . . . . .	1.50
Printing Bishop's letter . . . . .	14.00
Printing circulars . . . . .	2.95
Delivery charges . . . . .	1.65
Express charges . . . . .	1.60
Stamps . . . . .	5.05
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Total expenses . . . . .	\$ 76.72
Paid to Board of Missions . . . . .	283.44
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	\$360.16

Report received by the Council.

On motion, the following resolution was adopted:

*Resolved*, That in view of the fact that the Advent offerings made by the various Sunday Schools of the Diocese are hereafter to apply upon the missionary apportionment against each parish and mission; that the Board of Missions shall hereafter look after the collection of same, and that the resolutions heretofore adopted authorizing the Sunday School Institute of the Diocese to look after the collection of said offering be, and the same is hereby set aside.

The Rev. E. H. Eckel made a favorable report for the Committee on Episcopal Residence, and presented a resolution that consent be granted to the Committee to expend a sum not exceeding \$22,500.00 in the purchasing or building of a residence. Said motion was seconded by the Rev. Dr. Ritchey.

A motion made to adjourn to 2 o'clock was lost.

The Bishop called the President of the Standing Committee to the chair, and he then spoke upon the needs and plans with regard to the Episcopal Residence.

The Rev. Dr. Brady moved to amend the resolution making the sum \$16,000.00.

Mr. A. C. Stowell introduced the following amendment to the resolution: "Resolved, That the Committee on Episcopal Residence be instructed to build or purchase a residence, not to exceed \$22,500.00 but no residence shall be built or purchased until there is at least ten thousand dollars on hand to the credit of this fund for this purpose."

The amendment to the amendment was lost, and the amendment to the resolution was also lost. The original motion by the Rev. E. H. Eckel then prevailed.

Adjourned to 2 p. m.

## 2 P. M.

Council called to order at 2 p. m.

The Rev. Dr. Brady offered an enabling act or resolution, with the motion that it be adopted, which was seconded.

Amendments were made to the same by Mr. John T. Harding, and, after the elision of the preamble and some other modifications, the enabling act was adopted.

*Resolved.* By the Twenty-third Annual Council of the Diocese of Kansas City, in meeting duly assembled:

1. That there shall be, and hereby is, created a permanent commission which shall be known as the Episcopal Residence Commission, and shall be composed of two clergymen and three laymen, all of whom shall be elected by this Council immediately after the adoption of this resolution. The Bishop shall be an ex-officio member thereof.

2. Immediately after the election of the members of the Commission hereby created they shall organize by selecting from their members a President and a Secretary. The President shall preside at all meetings of the Commission, and shall have full power to call meetings of the Commission at his discretion. The Secretary shall keep the records of all meetings and shall, at any time, upon the written request of two or more members of the Commission, call special meetings thereof.

3. The Commission shall, after it shall be duly organized as herein provided, upon the majority vote of those present at any meeting at which a majority of the members of the Commission

shall be present, have full power and authority to select, and purchase upon such terms as it may deem best, a site for the Episcopal Residence, and erect thereon a suitable residence, or at the discretion of the Commission, they may select and purchase upon such terms as they may deem best, a site upon which a suitable residence shall have already been erected; provided, however, that in neither case shall the cost of the land and buildings to be erected thereon, or the land and the buildings already erected thereon, exceed the sum of \$22,500.

4. When ever the Commission shall have selected a site as above provided the Commission shall have full power and authority to purchase same and take the title thereto in such manner as it may deem best for the time being, and the Treasurer of the Diocese is hereby authorized and directed to turn over to the President of said Commission, all sums of money that may be in his hands, to the credit of the Episcopal Residence Fund; provided, however, that in no event shall the said Treasurer be required to pay to the President of said Commission any sum or sums of money under authority of this resolution until said Commission shall have deposited with the said Treasurer a copy of the resolution of the Commission directing the purchase of an Episcopal Residence as above provided. Said resolution, when duly certified by the President and Secretary of the Commission, shall be full and complete authority for the payment of the funds herein provided for.

5. In case the funds in the hands of the Treasurer above named shall be insufficient to pay the full purchase price of the property selected, then said Commission is authorized on behalf of the Diocese, to raise such sums of money as they can, by subscriptions, or otherwise, and any and all sums in excess of the money on hand, and the money so raised, shall be procured on a loan upon the property so purchased, and said Commission is further authorized to cause to be executed such note or notes as may be necessary to pay the balance of the purchase price of said property, and to secure the payment thereof by placing upon the property so purchased a mortgage or deed of trust.

6. After the Commission shall have purchased the Episcopal Residence as herein provided for, and shall have arranged for the payment of the unpaid portion of the purchase price thereof by mortgage or otherwise, the Commission shall cause the property so purchased to be transferred to the Board of Trustees of the Parochial Trust Fund of the Diocese of Kansas City, Mo., for the use and benefit of said Diocese, subject to the incumbrances; thereon and thereafter it shall be the duty of the Treasurer of the Diocese to pay the interest as the same accrues upon the notes given as a part of the purchase price as above provided, and it shall be the duty of the Board of Trustees of the Parochial Trust Fund of the Diocese of Kansas City, Mo., to execute such new notes or deeds of trust as may be necessary from time to time until the balance of the pur-

chase price of such property shall have been paid in full.

7. Immediately after the election of this Commission the Secretary of the Diocese is hereby directed to furnish to the President of said Commission a duly certified copy of this resolution, which shall be evidence of authority to said Commission to act in the manner as herein provided.

The Rev. Mr. Eckel moved, and it was duly seconded, that the Committee on Episcopal Residence be discharged.

On motion by the Rev. Dr. Brady it was resolved that the late Committee on Episcopal Residence be reappointed as the Episcopal Residence Commission and the Secretary authorized to cast the ballot of the Council for them, which duty the Secretary performed, and they were declared elected.

The regular order of the day was then taken up, and, on motion by Mr. J. V. B. Ellard, it was resolved that when no objection is raised to a proposed article or canon, it may be adopted by a *viva voce* vote and that when objection is raised, the article or canon may be passed without debate for consideration after the passage of all unopposed articles and canons.

On motion it was resolved that wherever the word "convention" appeared the word "council" be substituted, except in places where the word may relate to the General Convention of the Church.

On motion the word "annual" was inserted in Section 4, Article 4.

Section 4, Article 4, adopted.

Section 7, Article 10, adopted. On motion it was resolved to reconsider. Article 10, Section 1, readopted.

Section 5, Article 10, adopted.

On motion by the Rev. Oscar Homburger it was resolved that Article 11 be amended to read "four presbyters and four laymen" instead of "three presbyters and three laymen."

Article 15 adopted.

Article 16, Sections 1 and 2, adopted.

Article 17 adopted.

In Article 18 it was resolved that in the fifth line it should read "ecclesiastical authority," instead of "Bishop."

Article 18, as amended, adopted.

On motion by the Rev. Dr. Brady it was resolved that the words "Diocese of Kansas City" be replaced by the words

“Diocese of West Missouri,” wherever the words appear in the Constitution and Canons.

Article 1 adopted.

Article 12 adopted.

On motion by the Rev. Dr. Brady it was resolved that the rules be suspended, and that the votes of the clergy be cast for the adoption of the Constitution by the Secretary, and that the Assistant Secretary cast the vote of the laity for the adoption of the Constitution. The Secretary and Assistant Secretary performed this function, and the Constitution was declared adopted, as amended, and is printed in that modified form.

## REPORT OF COMMISSION ON CONSTITUTION AND CANONS.

May 14, 1912.

Commission to prepare and present to the next Annual Council a new Constitution and Canons (see Journal, 1911, page 71) held meetings on January 12, February 7, March 27 and 28, 1912.

There were present at all the meetings the Bishop, Rev. E. H. Eckel, Rev. J. D. Ritchey, Rev. J. Stewart-Smith, Rev. Charles A. Weed and M. G. Harman; F. M. Hayward was present at the morning session on March 27.

The Bishop opened the meetings with prayer.

The Commission herewith begs leave to submit the following Constitution:

## CONSTITUTION AND CANONS FOR THE GOVERNMENT OF THE CHURCH IN THE DIOCESE OF WEST MISSOURI.

### THE CONSTITUTION.

#### ARTICLE I.

##### Title and Jurisdiction.

This Diocese shall be known and distinguished as the “Diocese of West Missouri.” And the jurisdiction thereof, as established by the Convention of the Diocese of Missouri on May 22, 1889, and ratified by the General Convention in October, 1889, shall consist of the following counties in the State of Missouri, namely: Andrew, Atchison Barry, Barton, Bates, Benton, Buchanan, Caldwell, Camden, Carroll, Cass, Cedar, Chariton, Christian, Clay, Clinton, Cooper, Dade, Dallas, Davies, De Kalb, Douglass, Gentry, Green, Grundy, Harrison, Henry, Hickory, Holt, Howard, Howell, Jackson, Jasper, Johnson, Laclède, La Fayette, Lawrence, Linn, Livingston, McDonald, Mercer, Moniteau Morgan, Newton, Nodaway, Ozark, Pettis, Platte, Polk, Putnam, Ray, St. Clair, Saline, Stone, Sullivan, Taney, Vernon, Webster, Worth, Wright.



## ARTICLE II.

**On Acceding to the Church in the United States.**

The Church in this Diocese acknowledges its allegiance to the One Holy Catholic and Apostolic Church of Christ; and recognizing the body known as the Protestant Episcopal Church in the United States of America to be a true branch of said Church, having rightful spiritual jurisdiction in this country, submits to the authority of the General Convention of the same.

## ARTICLE III.

**Of Annual and Special Conventions.**

SECTION 1. The Council of the Church in this Diocese shall annually assemble on the Tuesday after the second Sunday in November, at such time and place as shall have been appointed by the preceding Annual Council; but for sufficient cause the ecclesiastical authority of the Diocese shall have power to change the time or place, or both, as the emergency may require; provided, however, that due notice of such change shall be given as long before such Council as is practicable under the circumstances, to every vlergyman, and to the warden of every parish and mission not under the charge of a clergyman.

SEC. 2. Special meetings of the Council may be called by the ecclesiastical authority, when, in the judgment thereof, the good of the Church requires it. The notice of a special meeting shall be issued, by letter or printed circular, to every clergyman, and to every vestry, and to the warden of every mission in the Diocese, at least thirty days before the time appointed for the meeting, and it shall state the business for which the Council is called. No business shall be transacted at any special Council beyond that mentioned in the call, unless by unanimous consent of the members present.

## ARTICLE IV.

**Of the Members of the Council.**

SECTION 1. The Council shall be composed of clergymen and laymen.

SEC. 2. The Bishop, the Bishop Coadjutor, the Bishop Suffragan and the Archdeacons, when there be such; and every clergyman in regular standing who shall have been for six months actually and canonically resident in this Diocese shall be entitled to a seat and a vote in the Council; provided, that he shall have been accepted, and at the time of the Council shall be actually settled as rector, or assistant minister of some parish in union with the Council, or shall be a missionary under the direction of the ecclesiastical authority of the Diocese, or shall be engaged as an officer or instructor in some public institution, or shall be a chaplain in the army or navy of the United States, or a department secretary of the Domestic and

Foreign Missionary Society. But no clergyman in good standing, who is manifestly disabled by age or infirmities from statedly performing the functions of the holy ministry, shall be deprived of such privilege. This provision shall not apply to a clergyman exclusively engaged in secular work.

SEC. 3. A clergyman's canonical residence shall date from his ordination within the Diocese, or from the date of the acceptance of his letter dimissory by the ecclesiastical authority of the Diocese.

SEC. 4. Every parish and mission in union with the Council of this Diocese, having fifty communicants or less, shall be entitled to be represented by one lay delegate and also by one lay delegate for each additional fifty above the first fifty communicants; provided, that no parish shall have more than five delegates, and provided also, that no lay delegate shall take his seat until his parish has paid all assessments in full to the Treasurer, or unless such indebtedness has been remitted by the preceding Annual Council; and the same provision shall apply to lay delegates from missions.

SEC. 5. Lay delegates shall be chosen for a parish by its vestry. Lay delegates for a mission shall be chosen by the congregation duly convened. The lay delegates chosen as above shall be male communicants of the Church in good standing, and shall have been for six months next preceding, stated worshipers in the parish or mission which they severally represent; and shall be canonically entitled to vote for vestrymen; but no postulant or candidate for holy orders shall be admitted as a lay delegate to any Council.

SEC. 6. No person under ecclesiastical censure or process, whether clergyman or layman, shall be allowed a seat in the Council.

#### ARTICLE V.

##### Divine Service at the Meeting of Council.

SECTION 1. Every Council shall be opened with a celebration of the Holy Communion.

SEC. 2. The direction of divine service during the sessions of the Council shall rest with the Bishop presiding. In his absence all services shall be under the direction of the President of the Standing Committee.

#### ARTICLE VI.

##### Of the Presiding Officer.

The Bishop of the Diocese shall be *ex officio* President of the Council. In his absence the Bishop Coadjutor, if there be one, or in his absence, the Bishop Suffragan, if there be one, shall preside, with like powers. If there be no Bishop, or in case of his absence, and that of the Bishop Coadjutor, and that of the Bishop Suffragan, if there be one, the President of Standing Committee shall preside with like powers.

## ARTICLE VII.

**Of the Secretary and Treasurer.**

**SECTION 1.** The Annual Council shall elect a Secretary and a Treasurer, whose duties shall be defined by Canon. If either of these officers be not a member of the Council he shall, nevertheless, be entitled, *ex officio*, to all the privileges of membership except that of voting.

**SEC. 2.** At any time in the interval between two Annual Councils, the Standing Committee may, for sufficient cause, of which they shall be the judges, remove the Secretary or Treasurer from office; and in such case, or if the Secretary or Treasurer resign, or remove from the Diocese, or become incapable of acting, the Standing Committee shall have power to appoint a Secretary or Treasurer to act until the next Annual Council.

## ARTICLE VIII.

**Of the Chancellor of the Diocese.**

The Annual Council shall, on the nomination of the ecclesiastical authority, elect a Chancellor of the Diocese, who shall be the legal adviser of the Bishop and Standing Committee. He shall be a communicant of the Church, and shall be entitled, *ex officio*, to a seat in the Council, with all the privileges of membership except that of voting. He shall hold his office for the term of three years, and if a vacancy occur during the recess of the Council the Standing Committee may elect, upon the nomination of the Bishop, if there be one, or in case there be no Bishop, shall elect someone to fill the office until the next Annual Council, which shall then elect a Chancellor for the full term of three years.

## ARTICLE IX.

**Of the Registrar of the Diocese.**

The Annual Council shall, on the nomination of the ecclesiastical authority, elect an officer to be called the Registrar of the Diocese, who shall be a communicant of the Church. He shall be entitled, *ex officio*, to a seat in the Council, with all the privileges of membership, except that of voting. He shall hold his office for a full term of three years, and if a vacancy occur the next Annual Council shall elect a successor for the full term of three years. His duties shall be defined by Canon.

## ARTICLE X.

**Of the Transaction of Business.**

**SECTION 1.** One-third of the clergy entitled to seats in the Council and lay delegates from one-fourth of the parishes and missions entitled to representation, when duly assembled, shall constitute a

quorum for the transaction of business; but a smaller number may adjourn from time to time.

SEC. 2. The clergy and laity shall deliberate in one body. Except when herein otherwise expressly provided, a majority of all the votes cast shall determine any question submitted to the Council.

SEC. 3. Any member may call for a vote by yeas and nays, and when such a call is made the Secretary shall call the roll of the Council, and the members shall thereupon announce their votes as their names are called. The votes so cast shall be recorded in the Journal, and no member shall be excused from voting unless by unanimous consent.

SEC. 4. If any five clergymen, or if any five laymen, representing not less than three parishes or missions, shall demand a vote by Orders, the roll of the clergy shall be called by the Secretaries, and the members shall announce their votes as their names are called. Immediately on the completion of this call, the roll of parishes and missions shall be called by the Secretaries, and each lay delegate shall announce his vote as his name is called. A majority of the votes of each Order shall be necessary to an affirmative decision.

SEC. 5. The Council shall have power to ordain and enact Canons and Discipline for the ecclesiastical government of all parishes and missions, clergy and laity of the Church within this Diocese, the Bishops alone excepted. But any Constitutional provision, or any Canon of the Council, which is inconsistent with the Constitution and Canons of the General Council shall be void.

SEC. 6. Any Canon proposed for adoption by the Council shall be considered and passed upon, section by section, and a final vote by Orders be unanimously dispensed with.

SEC. 7. The Rules of Order of the next preceding Council shall remain in force until altered by the Council.

#### ARTICLE XI.

##### Of the Standing Committee.

The Council shall annually elect, by the concurrent vote of both Orders, a Standing Committee, to consist of four presbyters and four laymen, all actually resident in the Diocese and eligible to seats in the Council, who shall serve until the next Annual Council, or until a new election is had, the functions of which committee, beside those provided for in the Canons of the General Council, and in this Constitution, shall be determined by Canon or resolution of the Council. Vacancies in the Standing Committee shall be filled by a majority of the votes of the remaining members, until the next meeting of the Council.

#### ARTICLE XII.

##### Of the Parochial Trust Fund.

"The Parochial Trust Fund of West Missouri" a corporation consisting of the Bishop and the several members of the Standing Com-

mittee, incorporated May 8, 1891, under the laws of the State of Missouri, is hereby recognized as authorized to receive and hold in trust the property of any parish, mission or other institution in the Diocese of West Missouri, for the preservation and use of such property for such parish, mission, or other institution of the Church, and for the exercise of such other duties as are conferred upon it by its charter.

#### ARTICLE XIII.

##### **Of Deputies to the General Convention.**

At the Annual Council next before each tri-ennial meeting of the General Council, four presbyters and four laymen, actually resident in the Diocese and eligible to seats in its Councils, shall be elected as deputies to the General Council for the next three years. The same number of alternates, similarly qualified, shall also be elected.

#### ARTICLE XIV.

##### **Of the Election of Officers.**

The election of all officers provided for by this Constitution shall be by ballot, unless the same shall be unanimously dispensed with by the Council. In the event of a failure or neglect to elect at any Council, the person or persons already in office, if still eligible, shall hold over until their successors shall have been duly elected. Whenever an election is by ballot a majority of votes in each Order shall be necessary to elect.

#### ARTICLE XV.

##### **On the Admission of New Parishes.**

The Council may admit parishes and missions into union with it, providing they shall have presented to the Council evidence of their compliance with the Canonical requirements concerning the organization of parishes and missions.

#### ARTICLE XVI.

##### **Of Assessments.**

SEC. 1. The Council shall have power to assess the parishes and missions in union with it for the necessary expenses of the Diocese. Assessments may be made either by Canon or resolution.

SEC. 2. The Council shall have power to fix by canon the terms and conditions upon which any parish or mission which has contributed a definite sum towards the Episcopal Endowment Fund, shall have the amount of its annual assessments reduced.

#### ARTICLE XVII.

##### **Suspension or Dissolution of a Parish or Mission.**

SEC. 1. Any parish or mission may, for cause specified by Canon, be suspended from representation in the Council or its connection therewith be wholly dissolved by a vote of two-thirds of each Order. The Council may also restore to such parish or mission its Councilor privileges.

**SEC. 2.** Whenever, in the opinion of the Bishop, any parish or mission shall be liable to the forfeiture of status, or be essentially defunct, he shall signify the same to the Council, which may proceed forthwith to dissolve the said parish or mission, as the case may require.

**ARTICLE XVIII.**

**On the Election of a Bishop.**

The election of a Bishop shall be made in an Annual Council or in a special Council called for that purpose by the Standing Committee, or, in case of the election of Bishop Coadjutor or a Bishop Suffragan, called by the Bishop of the Diocese, and according to the Canon in that case provided. To the choice of a Bishop, or a Bishop Coadjutor, or Bishop Suffragan, the concurrent vote by ballot of a majority of all the clergy and laity entitled to seats, voting separately, shall be necessary to elect.

**ARTICLE XIX.**

**Of Amendments to the Constitution.**

This Constitution shall not be amended, in whole or in part, by any Council unless the proposed amendment shall have been submitted to and approved by the next preceding Council, nor unless at its final adoption it shall be approved by the Bishop and shall receive a majority of both Orders, voting separately.

**ARTICLE XX.**

All Articles of any previous Constitution of the Church in this Diocese are hereby repealed.

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Your commission did a great deal of work on the Canons, however, it is not ready to report for the reason that the Canons can not become operative until the Constitution takes effect. Article XIX of the present Constitution provides "that it shall not be amended, in whole or in part, by any Council unless the proposed amendment shall have been submitted to and approved by the Bishop, and shall receive a majority of both orders, voting separately." Therefore, your committee asks to be continued for the purpose of completing its work on the Canons, to be submitted to the Twenty-fourth Annual Council, with power to fill vacancies.

Respectfully submitted,

**S. C. PARTRIDGE,**

*Bishop.*

Attest:

**J. STEWART-SMITH,**

**M. G. HARMAN,**

*Committee on Printing.*

## PROPOSED AMENDED CHARTER.

*First*—The name of this organization shall be "The Parochial Trust Fund of the Diocese of West Missouri."

*Second*—The purposes of this organization are and shall be to take title to real estate which shall be from time to time conveyed, transferred, devised or granted to it in aid of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of West Missouri, and both hold the same in trust for the purposes of such conveyances, transfers, devises or grants, to sell, convey and transfer the same in accordance with the terms of such trust and to execute any trusts connected therewith, and any other trusts that shall be devolved upon it, not inconsistent with the purposes of said Church or the laws relating to the incorporation of such organizations; and this organization shall continue for the term of one hundred years.

*Third*—The affairs of this organization shall be managed by the members thereof, who shall be designated as "Trustees," and it shall be one of the duties of said Trustees to recommend and advise that all gifts and bequests of personal property, and all conveyances, transfers, devises or grants of real estate which may be made in aid of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Kansas City, Missouri, other than those for the purposes of Church edifices, parsonages and cemeteries, be made, given, conveyed, transferred, devised or granted directly to the Bishop of the Diocese of Kansas City, Missouri, and his successors, to be held in trust by them, and to be managed by and under the direction of said Bishop for the purposes expressed in said trust.

*Fourth*—The Bishop of the Diocese of Kansas City, Missouri, and the several members of the Standing Committee of said Diocese of said Church, as provided for in Article XI of the Constitution of said Church in the Diocese of Kansas City, Missouri, and his and their respective successors on said Standing Committee, from time to time shall constitute and be the members of this organization and shall be designated as Trustees.

*Fifth*—The officers of this organization shall be a President, Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer and such other officers as the Trustees shall from time to time direct.

*Sixth*—The duties of the President shall be to be present at the meetings of this organization, and to exercise general supervision over the affairs of this organization; of the Vice-President to perform the duties of the President in case of his inability, from absence or other reason, to perform them; of the Secretary to keep a written record of the proceedings of this organization, to conduct so far as directed by the President, the correspondence of this organization, and to file and preserve all papers of this organization, except as otherwise directed by the President or the Trustees; and of the Treasurer to collect, care

for and disburse under the direction of the Trustees all money which shall belong to this organization, or come under its control.

*Seventh*—The Bishop of the Diocese of Kansas City, Missouri, aforesaid, shall be *ex officio* President of this organization. All the other officers shall be chosen annually by the Trustees and shall hold office until their respective successors are chosen and have qualified.

The annual election of officers shall be held in the month of .....of each year.

*Eighth*—The Treasurer before entering upon the duties of his office shall give to this organization ample security that he will fully and faithfully account for and pay all money that shall come into his hands as such Treasurer, which security shall be prescribed by the Trustees, and when made shall, before accepted by this organization, be approved in writing by at least three of said Trustees.

*Ninth*—The jurisdiction of this organization shall extend to and consist of the following counties in the State of Missouri, namely:

Andrew	Clinton	Howell	Ozark
Atchison	Cooper	Jackson	Pettis
Barry	Dade	Jasper	Platte
Barton	Dallas	Johnson	Polk
Bates	Davies	Laclede	Putnam
Benton	DeKalb	LaFayette	Ray
Buchanan	Douglass	Lawrence	St. Clair
Caldwell	Gentry	Linn	Saline
Camden	Green	Livingston	Stone
Carroll	Grundy	McDonald	Sullivan
Cass	Harrison	Mercer	Taney
Cedar	Henry	Moniteau	Vernon
Chariton	Hickory	Morgan	Webster
Christian	Holt	Newton	Worth
Clay	Howard	Nodaway	Wright

The Rev. Dr. Ritchey called the attention of the Council to the addenda printed in connection with the report of the Committee on Constitution and Canons.

On motion by the Rev. Dr. Brady it was resolved to refer this portion of the report to the Standing Committee with power to act.

On motion by the Rev. Dr. Smith it was resolved that the communication from the Diocese of Fond du Lac be reconsidered and all action on the same be postponed until next year.

On motion by the Rev. Dr. Brady it was resolved that the Committee on Constitution and Canons be continued.

On motion by the Rev. Dr. Brady it was resolved that the Committee on Constitution and Canons be prayed to



present new rules of order and methods of procedure for the facilitation of the business of the Council.

On motion by the Rev. Dr. Brady it was resolved that the sum of five dollars be appropriated to the sexton of Trinity Church.

The Rev. Dr. Ritchey reported to the Council, that the Standing Committee had organized for business by electing the Rev. J. Stewart-Smith as President, and the Rev. J. D. Ritchey, D.D., as Secretary.

Mr. John E. Cornall reported that the Committee on Missionaries' Traveling Expenses have had four statements of expenses made to them, amounting to the total sum of \$29.48. On motion the report was accepted and the treasurer authorized to pay the amounts.

The Rev. Dr. Ritchey presented the following report of the Parochial Trust Fund Commission:

#### **REPORT OF THE PAROCHIAL TRUST FUND COMMISSION.**

The Parochial Trust Fund Commission has held one meeting during the year at which was considered and adjusted some details of the Church property at Fayette and Blackburn. Further than this no business has come before the Commission during the year.

The Chancellor of the Diocese has kindly promised the Commission that he will secure a complete list of all the Church property in the Diocese in order that the Commission may the more intelligently and efficiently do its work.

Respectfully submitted,

J. D. RITCHEY, *Secretary.*

Mr. A. C. Stowell, on behalf of the Committee on Finance, asked leave to report to the Bishop after the Council, and publish the same in the Journal.

The Rev. Dr. Ritchey introduced the following report of the Committee on the State of the Church:

#### **REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON THE STATE OF THE CHURCH.**

Your committee, appointed to report on the State of the Church in this Diocese, hereby submits the following report:

Our information and observations indicate to us that the Church in the rural districts and small towns has made little growth in the last decade.

We do not think that this condition is the fault of the administration of the Diocese nor of the workers in the field. We think that good and efficient work has been and is being done in these

parts of the Diocese, but that certain conditions have retarded the work and hindered the growth of the Church.

As one element in the problem the workers in the field point out to us that there is an appalling drift of population from the rural districts and small towns to the large cities. The more energetic and thrifty families of the community, and these are the people the Church is apt to gather, attain to some prosperity and move away to the city for wider social and business opportunities. In this way the Church is constantly losing its constituency at a rate as great, or greater, than additions can be made. This condition must be taken into consideration in any fair estimate of the State of Church in this Diocese.

Another cause for the Church's failure to take hold with vigor upon the people of both city and country is, we believe, a lack of definite and continuous teaching and explaining the truths and principles of the Church. The agents and missionaries of the Church, at work in these parts of the Diocese, themselves assert that this is largely the explanation for the apathetic condition of the Church.

Your committee has little to suggest as to remedies for the first obstacle named. The movement of population will go on according to its own laws, and the Church must meet such conditions as best she may. But the loss of the country by this movement of population ought to be the gain of the city, for the Church as for business and society. Good work done in the rural parishes and missions ought not to be lost to the Church when the people who have been attached to the Church by that work move to the city. But it must be good work, thoroughly and efficiently done, for it is very difficult to hold in the Church even the well instructed and well trained when they come from the country into the new and distracting environment of the city.

Your committee would suggest, as one helpful agency toward the growth of the Church, the holding of parochial missions, not as revivals, but as occasions for teaching and instructing people of the Church. When the reasonableness and the meaning of the Church's services and customs are explained in a gentle way, invidious comparisons with other services and customs being eliminated, the appeal is always very strong.

These parochial missions should be held for a sufficient length of time to secure and crystalize results; and at as many points throughout the Diocese as possible; and they should be conducted by the best informed, the sweetest tempered and the most Godly men that can be found for the work. Your committee believes that this work, well and faithfully done, would conduce greatly to the growth of the Church, both in its numbers and in quality of its membership.

Your committee believes, also, that concentration of effort and money upon points where the conditions for growth and success are most favorable, and where the response made to the work is encour-

aging, and the consequent abandonment of points where the Church is stagnant and the people are unresponsive, would be a wise policy. Isolated Church people, where there seems little prospect of growth, should not be abandoned. They should have the ministrations of the General Missionary of the Church as often as possible, but the mere sustentation of a parish or mission, when the means at hand for the work are meager and little response is given the work by the people, should be abandoned. This plan, steadily prosecuted, might diminish the number of points in the Diocese at which work is being done, but it would leave more means, energy and ability for the prosecution of the work at points where means, energy and ability would bring results.

Respectfully submitted,

J. D. RITCHEY,  
F. M. WEDDELL,  
J. STEWART-SMITH,  
T. C. BRADLEY,  
JAY M. LEE,

*Committee.*

The Bishop announced the appointment of the new Board of Equalization.

THE BISHOP.

THE REV. C. A. WEED.

THE REV. E. H. ECKEL.

THE REV. J. STEWART-SMITH.

THE REV. F. F. BECKERMAN.

MR. H. L. ARNOLD.

MR. D. H. SMITH.

MR. A. C. STOWELL.

MR. F. A. H. GARLICH.

MR. F. A. SMITH.

On motion it was resolved that the offering taken at the opening service of the Council be given to the Bishop's purse.

On motion by the Rev. Mr. Eckel it was resolved that, "It is the sense of this Council that the form of Parochial Reports should contain as separate items all confirmed persons, actual communicants, and communions made at Easter. Easter.

On motion by Mr. Thomas Knight it was resolved that a Sunday be set apart as a day of special intercession to Almighty God for His blessing upon this Diocese, the Bishop and clergy thereof, and all the activities of the Church in its work therein; and that a special plea be made upon that day for funds to continue amplifying the work of Diocesan missions.

On motion by the Rev. Dr. Brady it was resolved that the printing of the Journal be referred to the Bishop and the

Secretary with power to act, and that the said committee be prayed to get the Journal into the hands of the Board of Equalization as soon as possible.

On motion by the Rev. Dr. Brady it was resolved that six hundred copies of the Journal be printed, if the cost be near the sum appropriated for that purpose.

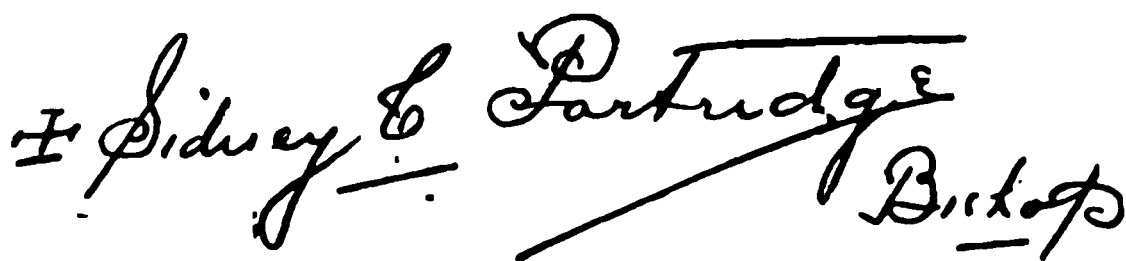
On motion it was resolved that the delegates to the Missionary Council of the Seventh Missionary District be the same as those elected last year.

On motion by the Rev. Dr. Brady it was resolved that if any delegation or Board be not filled, the Bishop appoint members to the same.

An invitation was extended to the Council by the Rector and Parish of St. Paul's Church of Kansas City, to meet with them next year. The invitation was accepted.

On motion by the Rev. Mr. Eckel it was resolved that the thanks of the Council be extended to the Rector, Church Wardens and Vestrymen of Trinity Church, whose guests we are, and also to the Ladies of the Parish, and the Ladies of St. Mark's and St. Mary's Parishes, for their hospitality, and the abundant and delightful entertainment provided us.

The Bishop extended a statement of his appreciation of the courtesy and consideration of the members of the Council; and on motion the Council stood adjourned *sine die*, the Bishop giving the Apostolic Blessing.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Sidney C. Partridge" followed by "Bishop" on a separate line. The signature is written in dark ink.

Attest:

REV. CARL REED TAYLOR,  
Secretary.



TRINITY CHURCH, KANSAS CITY.

## Parochial Directory.

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### BROOKFIELD.

#### GRACE CHURCH

Organized 1874

Rector—Oscar Homburger, Chillicothe, Mo.

Wardens—John McCartney, Senior Warden; Richard N. Bowden, Junior Warden.

Secretary—Charles W. Green, Brookfield, Mo., care the Argus.

Treasurer—L. E. Dewey, 227 Clark Street, Brookfield, Mo.

Vestrymen—John McCartney, Richard N. Bowden, Charles W. Green, L. E. Dewey, J. F. Turner.

*Rt. Rev. and Dear Sir:* The parish has had a rector for but four and one-half months, and all statistics except financial are for that period only. While things have been very much disorganized here because of the fact that there was no rector for four years, we have hope that there will be an awakening. Considerable interest is manifested by strangers.

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### BRUNSWICK.

#### ST. PAUL'S CHURCH

J. M. Peery, late Senior Warden St. Paul's Parish.

Once St. Paul's Church, now defunct.

BRUNSWICK, MO., May 13, 1912.

*My Dear Bishop:* In acknowledging receipt of blank and request for reports and election of delegate to the Annual Diocesan Convention the 14th inst., beg to say, and am sad to have to report that this parish, always very weak, has at last become dead. I and my family of three are the only communicants left. We built a small frame church building here just after the Civil war. About twenty years ago it was destroyed by a cyclone. With a little help from outside friends I rebuilt in a smaller and plainer style, but it has never been in use and is now about useless for any purposes whatever, and is not now worth near the money I advanced to rebuild. About twenty years ago I was honored as senior warden and have never

had another selection for the reason there has been none to select from, you see, therefore we can not have a meeting to appoint a delegate to this convention, and there will be no authorized delegate to represent this old defunct parish. I expect to take the pleasure of attending the convention as a visitor. This is a sectarian community with some jealous prejudices against the Church as in many locations in Missouri. With highest regards and best wishes I am  
yours truly.  
J. M. PEERY.

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### CARROLLTON.

#### ST. PAUL'S CHURCH.

Organized March 4, 1872

Rector—The Archdeacon, 523 Wabash Ave., Kansas City.

Wardens—H. M. Pettit, R. H. Monin.

Secretary—Jay Higginbotham, Carrollton.

Treasurer—R. H. Monin, Carrollton.

Vestrymen—Jay Higginbotham, W. E. Scott, Arthur Phillips.

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### CARTHAGE.

#### GRACE CHURCH

Organized April 18, 1870

Rector—F. M. Weddell, 820 Howard Street, Carthage.

Wardens—T. N. Davey, A. M. Drake.

Treasurer—C. R. Bishop, 1174 S. Main Street.

Secretary—M. C. Conkey, 515 South McGregor Street.

Vestrymen—T. N. Davey, A. M. Drake, D. G. Well, C. F. Drake, M. C. Conkey, A. F. Beneke, C. R. Bishop, Mahilton Caffee.

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### CHILLICOTHE.

#### GRACE CHURCH

Organized 1858

Rector—Oscar Homburger, Grace Rectory, 425 Elm Street

Wardens—A. McVey, senior warden; Dr. R. Barney, junior warden.

Secretary—A. J. McDowell, 1003 Vine Street.

Treasurer—A. J. McDowell, 1003 Vine Street.

Vestrymen—A. McVey, Dr. R. Barney, A. J. McDowell, A. Leeper, G. B. Sherman, W. W. Voelker, C. B. Swan, Fred Harris, Harvey Hunt, J. F. Hawley, J. Barclay, L. H. Gould, W. E. Walsh, Robert Nuttall.

*Rt. Rev. and Dear Sir:* This parish was without a rector for an entire year and the present rector has been here only four and one-half months. This accounts for the small number of services and the relatively small amount of money raised.

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**FAYETTE.**

**ST. MARY'S CHURCH.**

Rector—None.

Wardens—I. H. Pearson, senior; John Talbot, junior.

Secretary—Robert Jacobi.

Treasurer—Miss Nell Potts.

Vestrymen—I. H. Pearson, John Talbot, Harry Nutt, Robert Jacobi.

*Rt. Rev and Dear Sir:* Since the death of our beloved rector, the Rev. Mr. Walton, we have had only an occasional service. We can raise \$100 for a minister for a Sunday once a month. If we can do no better might unite with Moberly, as that is only twenty-five miles away, but in Bishop Tuttle's diocese. The other points are quite distant. A week day service will not do much good here.

I. H. PEARSON.

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**INDEPENDENCE.**

**TRINITY CHURCH**

Organized 1884

Rector—John Venbon Plunkett, Independence, Mo.

Wardens—Mark Salisbury, senior; Florian C. Florance, junior.

Secretary—Edwin B. Loveland, Independence, Mo.

Treasurer—Florian C. Florance, Independence, Mo.

Vestrymen—Mark Salisbury, Florin C. Florance, Walter Brown, Thomas Knight, Sr.; Richard C. Peacock, Dennis B. Davis, Edwin B. Loveland.

*Rt. Rev. and Dear Sir:* On taking charge of Trinity Church, Independence, Mo., on March 1, 1912, I found on record a revised list of communicants dated Dec. 15, 1911, which reduced the list of 160 returned to the Council last, to 134. Of this latter number I found that 9 had died, 15 had removed without letter, 13 were unknown, 12 had abandoned the Church and 1 was transferred by letter. These make a total of 50 removals by various causes. There are also 24 lapsed communicants in the parish. These added to the 50 removals and deducted, reduce the 134 to 60 communicants in good standing. It is hoped that the most of the 24 lapsed will in time be restored



to communion again. And also that the 18 unknown will be discovered as soon as the rector gets an opportunity to search for them.

J. V. P.

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### JOPLIN.

#### ST. PHILIP'S CHURCH

Organized 1891

Rector—Charles A. Weed, 706 Byers Avenue.

Wardens—Judge Haywood Scott, Elmer Webster.

Secretary—Frank Sharp, 212 Moffett.

Treasurer—Henry M. Beal, 817 West Sixth Street.

Vestrymen—Frederick S. Cook, Andrew R. Snyder, M. D.; Curran C. Spencer, Platt B. Crosby, Henry H. Gregg.

*Rt. Rev. and Dear Sir:* New St. Paul's opened for divine service in June last. The old church building will be used as a parish house, thus adding another building to our equipment. Two adult guilds. Two junior organizations beside the Sunday school. Vested choir of thirty voices.

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### KANSAS CITY, MO.

#### GRACE CHURCH

415 West 13th Street

Rector—J. A. Schaad, 927 West Thirty-fourth Street, until August, 1911. Since then under lay reader, Will H. Corse.

Wardens—Henry D. Ashley, senior; W. C. Goffe, junior.

Secretary—E. M. Clendening, 3708 Baltimore Avenue.

Treasurer—L. R. Moore, Jr., 200 East Armour Boulevard.

Vestrymen—H. D. Ashley, W. H. Chapman, W. C. Goffe, W. M. Reed, B. C. Christopher, L. R. Moore, Jr., James Mackenzie, E. P. Pratt, H. M. Lowe, E. M. Clendening, B. Rockwell, J. H. Bovard, Bertrand Clarke, W. R. Jacques, I. B. Dunlap.

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#### ST. GEORGE'S

Organized March 23, 1891

Rector—Cyrus Townsend Brady, LL.D., 2917 Tracy Avenue.

Wardens—A. C. Stowell (Rector's), F. M. Hayward (Vestry's).

Secretary—W. L. Richards, 3912 Manheim Road.

Financial Secretary—C. J. Stott, 2112 Aberdeen Brooklyn.

Treasurer—William Mendenhall, 3125 Woodland Avenue.

Missionary Treasurer—George Wise, 812 Linwood Boulevard.

Vestrymen—L. C. Boyle, F. C. Broadway, L. E. Coles, J. V. B. Ellard.

F. S. Ford, B. C. Howard, Joseph W. Howard, A. W. Peet, W. A. Remfry.

*Rt. Rev. and Dear Sir:* To the Sunday school statistics should be added two Bible classes with an average attendance of fifty-five persons, all adults. The parochial statistics given above are all actual, nothing is estimated, the facts are drawn from a new parish register which has been prepared and revised with great care. Of the 529 registered communicants 36 do not live in the city, the address of 17 more is not known and 51 others have lapsed, that is, they do not contribute regularly, rarely if ever attend, and are not known to have received the communion for over a year at least. Some of these last have asked to have their names stricken from the roll, which of course can not be done. In addition to the names, etc., reported the names of families, or parts, and individuals in number enough to make a total of 529 families and 1,282 persons, have been handed to the rector from the house-to-house canvass. St. Andrew's Mission is in abeyance until an assistant minister is secured.

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#### ST. MARK'S CHURCH.

Organized April 12, 1889.

Rector—Arthur M. Griffin, 714 Benton Boulevard.

Wardens—T. C. Bradley (Rector's), I. Caleb (Vestry's).

Secretary—Ross Hawkins, 2618 East Eighth Street.

Treasurer—Irving Hills, 3300 East Tenth Street.

Vestrymen—A. D. Johnson, C. Whitaker, F. H. Ward.

*Rt. Rev. and Dear Sir:* St. Mark's parish has purchased a lot 130x134, corner of Sixth Street and Benton Boulevard, where it is purposed to build a new church as soon as possible, to take the place of the present one at the corner of Seventh Street and Prospect Avenue.

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#### ST. MARY'S CHURCH

Organized Dec. 14, 1857

Rector—J. Stewart-Smith, 1307 Holmes Street.

Wardens—Thomas Pain, Edward C. Hamill.

Secretary—Aubrey P. Devereux, 1233 Tracy Avenue.

Treasurer—Frederick A. Smith, 2612 East Sixth Street.

Vestrymen—Frank H. Cutler, W. H. Oliver, H. L. Jost, Harry Schroeder, J. S. Smith.

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#### ST. PAUL'S CHURCH

Organized May 5, 1891

Rector—J. D. Ritchey, 4010 Walnut Street.

Wardens—Walton H. Holmes, senior; C. W. Armour, junior.

**Treasurer**—T. J. Brodnax, 408 Exchange Building, city.

**Vestrymen**—John G. Groves, John Fennelly, J. L. Loose, Phil R. Toll, P. A. Simonda, Dr. V. W. Gayle, Gardiner Lathrop, B. B. Lee, Edward George, T. S. Young, H. L. Arnold.

### TRINITY CHURCH

Organized April 23, 1883

**Rector**—Robert Nelson Spencer, 1004 Park Avenue.

**Wardens**—Hon. John T. Harding, senior; John Gosling, Esq., junior.

**Secretary**—Thomas U. Kendall, 2327 Olive Street.

**Treasurer**—Fred B. Mertsheimer, 300 United States and Mexican Trust Building.

**Vestrymen**—The above and C. H. Childs, R. W. Cary, W. M. Federman, W. M. Cooper, J. T. Davis, Albert White, R. H. Schmalfeldt, J. C. Fuller, W. J. Edelen, J. R. Gregg.

*Rt. Rev. and Dear Sir:* During the winter the church housed and fed homeless unemployed, giving 500 free lodgings and 1,200 meals. Also secured employment for 35 men. The parish opened and maintained a convalescent home during the winter, giving 750 free days, food and shelter to the convalescent poor of Kansas City. This in addition to the regular charity within parochial boundaries.

ROBT. NELSON SPENCER.

### LEXINGTON.

#### CHRIST CHURCH

Organized 1842

**Rector**—Charles H. Bohn, Marshall.

**Warden**—J. F. Foster.

**Secretary**—John R. Moreland, Lexington.

**Treasurer**—John R. Moreland, Lexington.

**Vestrymen**—J. Bills, Captain Wiley, Henry Rinehart, B. L. Little.

### MARYVILLE.

#### ST. PAUL'S CHURCH

Organized 1878

**Rector**—Archdeacon, 523 Wabash Avenue, Kansas City.

**Warden**—E. E. Williams.

*Rt. Rev. and Dear Sir:* The church building has been temporarily abandoned owing to its delapidated condition. The last service was held in the Knights of Pythias hall, kindly tendered us by the members of that organization.

## NEVADA.

## ALL SAINT'S CHURCH

Organized 1866

Rector—None.

Wardens—Henry Kraft, Jr.; F. B. George.

Secretary—Twyman Harper, Nevada, Mo.

Treasurer—Robert Gabrielson, Nevada, Mo.

Vestrymen—Robert Gabrielson, C. O. Graves, F. B. George, H. W. Sutton, Twyman Harper, H. R. Stevens, Henry Kraft, Jr.

*Rt. Rev. and Dear Sir:* No special news to be mentioned. This parish is in about its average condition. The guilds are meeting regularly and doing good work. The men are doing nothing, in fact the vestry is about the only male members of this parish. The date of organization I did not fill in, as the papers are at the bank in vault, but you can fill that in same as last report.

Very respectfully submitted,

HENRY KRAFT, Jr., Senior Warden.

## SEDALIA.

## CALVARY CHURCH

Organized 1868

Rector—Douglass Henry Atwill, 819 South Vermont.

Wardens—D. H. Smith, senior, A. D. Stanley, junior.

Secretary—E. W. Lamy, Tenth and Missouri, Sedalia.

Treasurer—C. C. Evans, Sedalia Trust Company.

Vestrymen—D. H. Smith, A. D. Stanley, E. W. Lamy, W. J. Maltby, W. H. Schnare, J. W. Mellor, Ed Metcalf, C. M. Price, N. C. Smith.

## ST. JOSEPH.

## CHRIST CHURCH (INCLUDING ST. LUKE'S MISSION).

Organized 1852

Rector—Edward Henry Eckel, Christ Church Rectory.

Wardens—William R. Millan, Horace Stringfellow.

Secretary—Frank L. Endebrock, 2424 Lafayette Street.

Treasurer—Horace Stringfellow, 731 S. Fourth Street.

Vestrymen—F. L. Endebrock, R. T. Forbes, F. A. H. Garlichs, W. S. Hendrick, C. L. Holland, O. B. Knight, S. S. Oakford, Horace Wood and two vacancies.

*Rt. Rev. and Dear Sir:* It will be observed that the figures above given are for the twelve months from April 1 to April, as is rendered necessary by our parochial fiscal and statistical year. It may be remarked that the floating debt of \$923.48 noted in the report was wiped out immediately after Easter, 1912.

E. H. E.

**CHURCH OF THE HOLY TRINITY**

Organized 1881

Lay Reader in Charge—William S. D. Lamont, 1604 South Eleventh Street.

Wardens—John Howe, F. W. Archer.

Secretary—Frank D. Keys, 2909 Olive Street.

Treasurer—Charles F. Horan, 3106 Messanie Street.

Vestrymen—John Howe, F. W. Archer, Frank D. Keys, C. F. Horan, Charles Compton, Charles Sowter, William J. Hardenstein, Fred C. Wilkins, John J. Jamieson.

**SPRINGFIELD.****CHRIST CHURCH**

Organized 1861

Rector—Frank F. Beckerman, 328 Kimbrough Street.

Wardens—James Blain, George McCann.

Secretary—John H. Syfan, 727 East Elm Street.

Treasurer—H. Z. Williams, 727 East Elm Street

Vestrymen—James Blain, George H. McCann, Ernest Hudson, S. E. Austin, Robert P. Bowyer, John H. Syfan, H. Z. Williams.

**ST. JOHN'S CHURCH**

Organized May, 1886

Rector—G. Churchill Rafter, 1412 Benton Avenue.

Wardens—Marcus Coll, Xenophon Hawkins.

Secretary—J. E. Hicks, 2060 Robertson Avenue.

Treasurer—T. K. Bowman, 311 Hovey Street.

Vestrymen—T. K. Bowman, J. E. Hicks, E. L. Richardson, Charles Petterson, S. A. Dixon, Julius Selfert, J. B. McBride.

**WARRENSBURG.****CHRIST CHURCH**

Organized May 28, 1868

Rector—W. A. Pearman, Warrensburg, Mo.

Wardens—Charles A. Shepard, W. B. Tuttle.

Secretary—Ewing Cockrell, Warrensburg, Mo.

Treasurer—Miss Lillian Duffield, Warrensburg.

Vestrymen—Charles A. Shepard, W. B. Tuttle, Ewing Cockrell, John A. Wilson, J. A. Fuller.

**BRUNSWICK.****ST. PAUL'S MISSION**

Missionary—Archdeacon, 523 Wabash Avenue, Kansas City, Mo.

*Rt. Rev. and Dear Sir:* The church has long been in an uninhabitable condition. I am indebted to the kindness of Mrs. Peery for the use of her home for divine service.

ARCHDEACON.

**BUTLER.****ST. MARK'S MISSION**

Warden—M. S. Clay, Butler, Mo.

Secretary—H. M. Cannon, Butler, Mo.

*Rt. Rev. and Dear Sir:* Communion alms used for traveling expenses of Archdeacon.

**CAMERON.****ST. JOHN'S MISSION**

Missionary—Archdeacon, 523 Wabash Avenue, Kansas City, Mo.

Warden—A. J. Althouse, Cameron, Mo.

Secretary—J. A. Franklin, Cameron, Mo.

*Rt. Rev. and Dear Sir:* This mission has suffered the loss of a large portion of its membership by removal. Judge Turney, so long identified with this mission and acting as its treasurer for many years, has died since last annual report. I have been unable to get access to his books. Would present an accurate financial report. But the finances of the mission in good condition and there is no debt.

ARCHDEACON.

**CLINTON.****ST. PAUL'S MISSION**

Wardens—James Blain, George McCann.

Secretary—H. H. Williams, Clinton, Mo.

Treasurer—H. H. Williams.

Vestrymen—Richard Bowen, W. L. Gurnes, W. C. Hoen, H. H. Williams.

*Rt. Rev. and Dear Sir:* The Rev. D. E. Johnston was in charge of this mission from May 1 to October, when he resigned and left the diocese.

**HAMILTON.****TRINITY MISSION**

Organized 1870

Missionary—Archdeacon, 523 Wabash Avenue, Kansas City, Mo.

*Rt. Rev. and Dear Sir:* The church building here has been falling into decay but it has been repaired within the year with a view to service in the future. The few church people here have been visited and we hope to have occasional services the coming year.

ARCHDEACON.

### HIGGINSVILLE.

#### ST. ALBANS MISSION

Missionary—Charles H. Bohn, Marshall, Mo.

Warden—Lee Shippy.

### KANSAS CITY.

#### ST. AUGUSTINE MISSION

Organized 1882

Missionary—Edward S. Willet, 1016 Virginia Street.

Warden—F. C. Trent.

Secretary—W. E. Green, 2304 Vine Street.

Treasurer—H. O. Cook, 2436 Montgall.

Vestrymen—Dr. Cyril Kane, Oliver Jackman.

*Rt. Rev. and Dear Sir:* For lack of facilities this mission is not prepared to do the kind of work that it is quite evident it should do. No church or mission does its duty among our people unless it provides for their social betterment aside from regularly appointed services of divine worship. We have no parish house or even a guild room where we can assemble our people in a social way, or hold business meetings of our different organizations, or to hold much needed lectures on social subjects. Our present location is not best suited for aggressive practical missionary work among the large negro population of this city. I am sir,

Reverently and obediently,

EDWARD S. WILLETT.

#### ST. JOHN'S MISSION

Missionary—Carl Reed Taylor, 525 Kensington Avenue.

Warden—Donald G. Murray.

Secretary—Jay M. Lee, 605 R. A. Long Building.

Treasurer—Percy A. Adam, 4009 Morrell Avenue.

Bishop's Committee—Fred C. Adams, John Beckett, Lorenzo B. Deagle, Baron J. Fradenburg, Clarence L. Sanford, Charles E. Taylor.

## ST. SIMON, THE CYRENIAN MISSION

Opened May, 1910

Missionary—Edward S. Willet, 1016 Virginia Street, J. H. King, assisting, 558 Lydia Avenue.

*Rt. Rev. and Dear Sir:* This work at St. Simon's is a very important feature of the city mission work among the negroes of Kansas City. In it we help people who can not help themselves. The amount of good a dollar placed here can do can not be estimated in money value. In compliance with your appointing me as city missionary to the negroes of Kansas City, and the Rev. J. H. King as my assistant, I have designated his work as follows: To assist me in the management of the settlement work at St. Simon's, conduct a Sunday-school and hold other services there; give especial care to the religious, moral, industrial and ethical training of the resident children and assist in or say services and preach at St. Augustine's or elsewhere in the city as occasion may demand. We have now plans for systematic settlement work which we believe with co-operation and encouragement of churchmen throughout the diocese can put into effective operation. I am sir,

Reverently yours,

EDWARD S. WILLETT.

## LAMAR.

## TRINITY MISSION

Organized 1903

Missionary—James Senior, Lamar, Mo.

Secretary—Mrs. Paul Tucker, Lamar, Mo.

Treasurer—Walter J. Miller, Lamar, Mo.

Vestrymen—Mrs. Walter J. Miller, Mrs. C. A. Lockwood.

## LEBANON.

## TRINITY MISSION

Organized September, 1873

Secretary—E. F. Stebbins, Lebanon.

Treasurer—Hy T. Wright, Lebanon.

## MARSHALL.

## TRINITY MISSION

Missionary—Charles H. Bohn, Marshall.

Wardens—Dr. William Harrison, Joseph V. Chase.

Secretary—Edmund Brown, Marshall.

Treasurer—Frank W. Miles, Marshall.



## PAROCHIAL DIRECTORY

## MONETT.

## ST. STEPHEN'S MISSION

Missionary—F. M. Weddell, Carthage.

Secretary—Mrs. John W. Bingham, Monett.

Treasurer—Mrs. John W. Bingham.

## MOUND CITY.

## ST. OSWALD'S MISSION

Warden—Isaac Tyson.

Secretary—Miss Elizabeth Tyson.

Treasurer—William Bowness.

Vestrymen—Isaac Tyson, William Bowness.

*Rt. Rev. and Dear Sir:* This is as near correct as I can give it, as there was no collections for a few funds, as we had no minister. If there is any corrections that you can make would be glad for you to do so. There was no delegate chosen to the Council.

Yours truly,

WILLIAM BOWNESS.

## NEOSHO.

## ST. JOHN'S MISSION

Organized June 28, 1889

Missionary—Rev. Charles A. Weed, Joplin, Mo.

Warden—W. F. Eves, Neosho, Mo.

Secretary—W. R. Watson, Neosho, Mo.

Treasurer—Floyd N. Price, Neosho, Mo.

## PLATTSBURG.

## ST. MARY'S MISSION

Organized 1874

Missionary—Archdeacon, 523 Wabash Avenue, Kansas City, Mo.

Warden—Frank B. Ellis.

Treasurer—F. B. Ellis, Plattsburg.

## RICHMOND.

## ST. PAUL'S MISSION

Missionary—Archdeacon, 523 Wabash Avenue, Kansas City, Mo.

*Rt. Rev. and Dear Sir:* This is a promising little mission. There is an active Woman's Guild and the nucleus of a building fund. I

have not at hand the financial report, but it is a creditable one. Services are held at the home of Mrs. Powell. ARCHDEACON.

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**ST. JOSEPH.**

**ST. MATTHIAS MISSION (COLORED)**

**Organized 1885**

**Missionary**—William S. D. Lamont, 1604 South Eleventh Street.

**Wardens**—W. D. Hawkins, Robert L. Scott.

**Secretary**—Mrs. W. D. Hawkins, 1713 Angellique Street.

**Treasurer**—Mrs. R. L. Scott, 2205 Sylvania Street.

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**TRENTON.**

**ST. PHILIP'S MISSION.**

**Organized July 1, 1895**

**Missionary**—Archdeacon Johnson.

**Warden**—George T. McGrath.

**Secretary**—W. C. Collins.

**Treasurer**—George T. McGrath.

*Rt. Rev. and Dear Sir:* Sunday school organized May, 1912, with eight members. W. C. Collins is superintendent, Mrs. H. C. Utley treasurer. There has been an average of nine each Sunday. Amount of cash on hand, \$6.72. Owing no bills. In addition to the above financial report the Archdeacon reports \$11.50 communion alms, used by him for traveling expenses incident to his ministration at that point.

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**UTICA.**

**TRINITY MISSION**

**Organized 1873**

**Missionary**—Oscar Homburger, Chillicothe, Mo.

**Warden**—George Rice.

**Secretary**—E. J. Miller, Utica, Mo.

**Treasurer**—George Rice, Utica, Mo.

**Vestrymen**—E. J. Miller and George Rice.

*Rt. Rev. and Dear Sir:* The enclosed very imperfect statistics are due to the fact that I have been here so short a time that I have not had time to visit Utica, but it is my intention, beginning this month, to go there once each month.

## WEST PLAINS.

## ALL SAINTS MISSION

Missionary—R. J. Belt, West Plains.

Warden—Wm. W. Maults, West Plains.

Secretary—Joseph L. Knooris, West Plains.

Treasurer—William T. Greenup. (Resigned April 20).

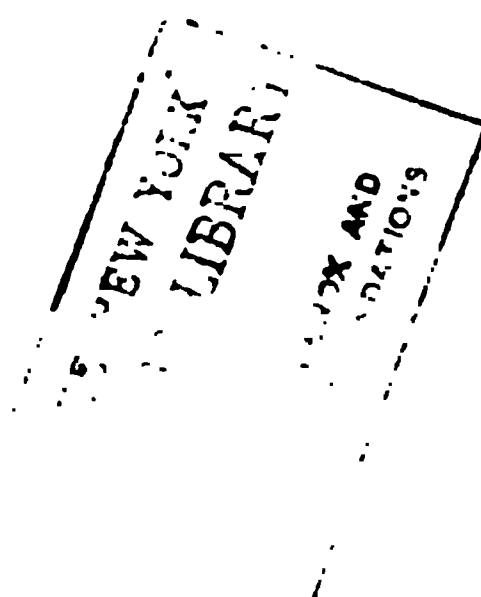
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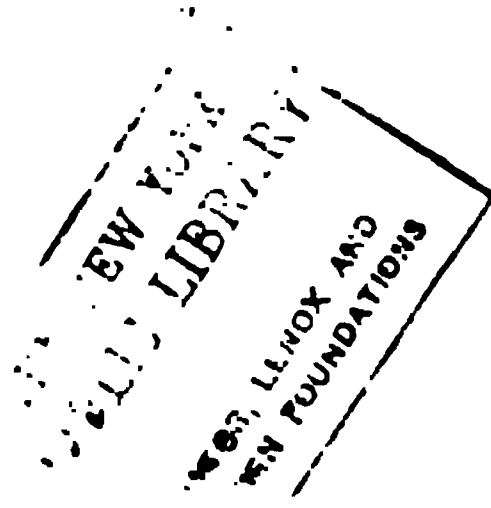
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### AUDITING COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., July 1, 1912.

TO THE RT. REV. SIDNEY C. PARTRIDGE, D.D.,

*Bishop of the Diocese of Kansas City.*

The committee on finance appointed at the last Diocesan Council has examined the accounts of Mr. Walton H. Holmes, treasurer of the Diocese of Kansas City, from May 1, 1911, to July 28, 1911; of Mr. H. L. Arnold, treasurer of the Diocese of Kansas City, from July 28, 1911 to April 30, 1912; of Mr. B. C. Howard, treasurer of Diocesan Board of Missions; of Mr. James Mackenzie, treasurer of the permanent episcopal fund, and finds everything in strict agreement with the reports or the treasurers.

A. C. STOWELL,  
BENJAMIN B. LEE,  
H. L. ARNOLD,  
*Committee.*

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# General Clergy Relief Fund

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THE REV. A. J. P. McCLURE, Treasurer

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The general and official society for the Pension and Relief of Clergy, Widows and Orphans, covering the whole Church. See Canon 53. The general convention recommends an annual offering from every church, and that a percentage of the Communion Alms be given to this fund. Remit to Treasurer, Alfred J. P. McClure, the Church House, 12th and Walnut Streets, Philadelphia, Pa.

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# CANONICAL AND STATED OFFERINGS

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The following *must* be taken up by every Parish and Mission  
in Union with this Council. (*Canon XX, Sec. 1, 2.*)

**Diocesan Assessment . . . . . Quarterly**

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**Diocesan Missions . . . . . Quarterly**

B. C. HOWARD, Treasurer Diocesan Missionary Board,  
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**General Clergy Relief Fund . . . . . Christmas Day**

REV. A. J. P. McCLURE, 12th and Walnut Sts., Philadelphia

**Permanent Episcopal Fund . . . . . 2nd Sunday in Lent**

JAMES McKENZIE , Treas., R. A. Long Bldg., Kansas City

**Theological Education Fund . . . . . Trinity Sunday**

HARRY L. ARNOLD, Treas., Suite 411, Keith & Perry Bldg.,  
Kansas City

The following are recommended and by the terms of Canon 52 of  
the General Convention, an offering for General  
Missions is Obligatory.

Prayer Book Distribution Society .....Whitsunday  
Domestic Missions .....1st Sunday in Advent  
Foreign Missions .....2nd Sunday after Epiphany  
Missions to Colored People .....Quinquagesima Sunday  
Missions to Indians .....4th Sunday after Easter  
American Church Building Fund.....22nd Sunday after Trinity

GEORGE GORDON KING, Treas., Church Mission House,  
281 Fourth Avenue, New York City

Missions to the Jews.....Good Friday  
WM. G. DAVIES, Treas., 68 East 7th St., New York City

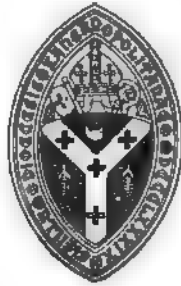
Missions to Deaf Mutes.....12th Sunday after Trinity  
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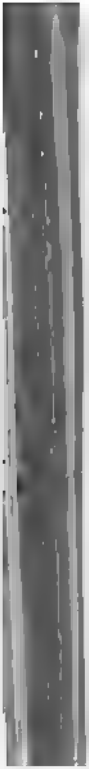
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**for the Diocese Twenty-Fifth Sunday after Trinity.**  
**November 9, 1913**



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D. V., at such place as the  
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10 o'clock a. m., and will open  
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Total number of Patients in Hospital .....	317
Total number of wholly or partially free Patients .....	100
Total number of days care of all Patients .....	4,757
Total number of days of wholly or partially free Patients .....	1,400

**WOMAN'S AUXILIARY TO THE BOARD OF MISSIONS.**

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507 East Forty-seventh Street, Kansas City.

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### ABSTRACT FROM THE CONSTITUTION.

ARTICLE I.—NAME.—The name of this Society shall be: "The Woman's Diocesan Society of the Diocese of Kansas City."

ARTICLE II.—OBJECTS.—The objects of this Society shall be:

1. To sustain the Bishop of the Diocese in carrying out the missionary work of the Church in the Diocese of Kansas City.

2. To increase the funds of the Board of Missions so that it shall be enabled to carry on its work without appealing to the general Church.

3. To circulate missionary literature and information as to the state of the Diocese and its needs.

4. To make and distribute special offerings of money, Church furniture, effects, etc., etc., for definite assistance of clergy and missions.

## OFFICERS.

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**ON THE ADMISSION OF NEW PARISHES.**

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MR. J. V. B. ELLARD.

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MR. W. F. EVES.

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**ON FINANCE.**

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MR. BENJAMIN B. LEE.

MR. H. L. ARNOLD.

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**ON MISSIONS.**

ARCHDEACON JOHNSON.

THE REV. C. A. WEED.

DR. V. W. GAYLE.

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**ON CHRISTIAN EDUCATION.**

THE REV. J. STEWART-SMITH.

THE REV. R. N. SPENCER.

THE REV. C. A. WEED.

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**ON SUNDAY SCHOOL WORK.**

THE REV. D. H. ATWILL,

MR. BEN C. HOWARD.

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**ON MISSIONARIES' TRAVELING EXPENSES.**

MR. C. H. CHILDS.

MR. B. J. FRADENBURG.

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**ON THE STATE OF THE CHURCH.**

THE REV. J. D. RITCHEY, D. D.

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THE REV. C. R. TAYLOR.

MR. A. D. JOHNSON.

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MR. D. G. MURRAY.

**OTHER COMMITTEES TO REPORT AT NEXT COUNCIL.**

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**ON REVISION OF CANONS.**

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THE REV. E. H. ECKEL.	MR. B. J. FRADENBURG.

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THE REV. H. R. REMSEN.	MR. A. C. STOWELL.

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**COMMITTEE ON ARMY AND NAVY CHAPLAINS.**

THE REV. E. H. ECKEL.	MR. L. T. GOLDING.
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## LIST OF PARISHES.

IN UNION WITH THE COUNCIL, WITH DATES OF ORIGINAL  
FORMATION AND OF ADMISSION TO THE DIOCESE OF  
MISSOURI OR WEST MISSOURI.

Place.	Parish.	Formed.	Admitted.
Blakburn.....	*CHURCH OF THE MEDIATOR.....	1836	1880
Boonville.....	CHRIST CHURCH .....	1835	1840
Brookfield.....	GRACE .....	1874	1884
Brunswick.....	†St. PAUL'S .....	1851	1852
Carrollton.....	St. PAUL'S .....	1872	1873
Carthage.....	GRACE .....	1869	1870
Chillicothe.....	GRACE .....	1858	1859
Fayette.....	St. MARY'S .....	1836	1847
Independence.....	TRINITY .....	1844	1853
Joplin.....	St. PHILIP'S .....	1874	1891
Kansas City.....	‡GRACE .....	1870	1871
Kansas City.....	St. GEORGE'S .....	1891	1891
Kansas City.....	St. MARK'S .....	1889	1889
Kansas City.....	§St. MARY'S .....	1857	1858
Kansas City.....	St. PAUL'S .....	1889	1891
Kansas City.....	TRINITY .....	1883	1883
Lexington.....	CHRIST CHURCH .....	1842	1846
Maryville.....	St. PAUL'S .....	1857	1878
Nevada.....	ALL SAINTS' .....	1866	1870
Pleasant Hill.....	CALVARY .....	1868	1868
St. Joseph.....	CHRIST CHURCH .....	1851	1852
St. Joseph.....	HOLY TRINITY .....	1869	1870
Sedalia.....	CALVARY .....	1868	1868
Springfield.....	CHRIST CHURCH .....	1859	1860
Springfield.....	St. JOHN'S .....	1886	1886
Warrensburg.....	CHRIST CHURCH .....	1859	1868
Weston.....	St. JOHN'S .....	1851	1852

Number of Parishes in the Diocese, 27.

\*Name changed from "St. Thomas'" to "Mediator" in 1880.

†Name changed from "St. Ann's" to "St. Paul's" in 1870.

‡Name changed from "St. Paul's" to "Grace" in 1873.

§Name changed from "St. Luke's" to "St. Mary's" in 1879.

**ORGANIZED MISSIONS.****WITH DATES OF ORIGINAL FORMATION.**

Place.	Mission.	Organized.
Amazonia . . . . .	ST. MATTHEW'S . . . . .	1875
*Aurora . . . . .	TRINITY . . . . .	1890
Butler . . . . .	ST. MARK'S . . . . .	1875
Cameron . . . . .	ST. JOHN'S . . . . .	1869
†Clinton . . . . .	ST. PAUL'S . . . . .	1886
*Excelsior Springs . . . . .	ST. LUKE'S . . . . .	1905
Hamilton . . . . .	TRINITY . . . . .	1870
Harrisonville . . . . .	ST. PETER'S . . . . .	1871
Holden . . . . .	MOUNT CALVARY . . . . .	1887
Kansas City . . . . .	CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD . . . . .	1913
Kansas City . . . . .	ST. AUGUSTIN'S . . . . .	1882
Kansas City . . . . .	ST. JOHN'S . . . . .	1891
‡Lamar . . . . .	TRINITY . . . . .	1903
Lebanon . . . . .	TRINITY . . . . .	1872
Lee's Summit . . . . .	ST. PAUL'S . . . . .	1879
Marshall . . . . .	TRINITY . . . . .	1872
*Monett . . . . .	ST. STEPHEN'S . . . . .	1893
Mound City . . . . .	ST. OSWALD'S . . . . .	1891
Mountain Grove . . . . .	ST. MARK'S . . . . .	1890
Neosho . . . . .	ST. JOHN'S . . . . .	1889
Plattsburg . . . . .	ST. MARY'S . . . . .	1874
Rich Hill . . . . .	ST. LUKE'S . . . . .	1887
St. Joseph . . . . .	ST. LUKE'S . . . . .	1906
St. Joseph . . . . .	ST. MATTHIAS' . . . . .	1885
Savannah . . . . .	ST. MARY'S . . . . .	1855
Stanberry . . . . .	TRINITY . . . . .	1902
Sweet Springs . . . . .	ST. JAMES . . . . .	1888
¶Trenton . . . . .	ST. PHILIP'S . . . . .	1893
Utica . . . . .	TRINITY . . . . .	1873
Webb City . . . . .	ST. PAUL'S . . . . .	1899
West Plains . . . . .	ALL SAINTS' . . . . .	1889

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\*Not in union with Council.

†First organized as "St. Matthew's."

‡First organized as "Church of the Advent."

||First organized as "St. John's."

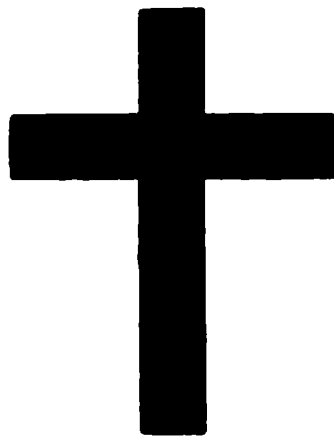
¶First organized as "Christ Church."

## UNORGANIZED MISSIONS.

## UNORGANIZED MISSIONS.

## WITH DATES OR ORIGINAL FORMATION.

Place.	Mission.	Organized.
Higginsville . . . . .	ST. ALBAN'S . . . . .	1905
Kansas City . . . . .	HOLY SPIRIT . . . . .	
Kansas City . . . . .	ST. SIMON THE CYRENIAN . . . . .	1910
Liberty . . . . .	GRACE . . . . .	1859
Platte City . . . . .	ST. THOMAS . . . . .	1851
Richmond . . . . .	ST. PAUL . . . . .	1891
Versailles . . . . .	TRINITY . . . . .	1887 <sup>•</sup>



**The**  
**Rev. Charles Harrison Bohn,**  
**M. A.**

**Minister-in-Charge of Marshall and Lexington**

**Ordained Deacon 1883, by Bishop Robertson**

**Ordained Priest 1884, by Bishop Vail**

**Died, St. Louis, Mo., March 30, 1913**

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**An earnest, faithful Priest, zealous in good works**

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*May he rest in peace, and may light perpetual  
shine upon him*

**J. STEWART-SMITH  
CHARLES A. WEED  
EDWARD C. JOHNSON**

## OFFICIAL LIST OF CLERGY.

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### CANONICALLY RESIDENT IN THE DIOCESE OF KANSAS CITY.

THE RT. REV. SIDNEY CATLIN PARTRIDGE, D. D.  
Enthroned June 27, 1911.

May 13th, 1913.

With Dates of Their Admission.

THE REV. J. STEWART-SMITH .....	Oct. 26, 1891..	Chicago
THE REV. CECIL P. WILSON .....	June 9, 1898..	New York
THE REV. CHAS. A. WEED.....	Oct. 15, 1901..	Nebraska
THE REV. THOMAS G. HARPER .....	Feb. 1, 1903..	England
THE REV. JEFFERSON D. RITCHEY, D. D.	Feb. 18, 1905..	Kansas
THE REV. EDWARD H. ECKEL.....	May 3, 1905..	Harrisburg
THE REV. C. R. STEARNS.....	Jan. 11, 1906..	So. Ohio
THE REV. JAMES SENIOR ..	Sept. 15, 1906..	Nebraska
THE REV. ROBERT N. SPENCER .....	Feb. 25, 1907..	Kansas
THE REV. CARL R. TAYLOR.....	May 2, 1907..	Duluth
THE REV. EDWARD S. WILLETT .....	May 4, 1907..	Springfield
THE REV. DOUGLAS H. ATWILL .....	June 5, 1907..	By Ordination
THE REV. ROBERT J. BELT .....	May 5, 1908..	Springfield
THE REV. F. F. BECKERMAN.....	Sept. 5, 1909..	Iowa
THE REV. EDWARD C. JOHNSON.....	Oct. 15, 1909..	No. Dakota
THE REV. OSCAR HOMBURGER.....	Nov. 15, 1909..	Arkansas
THE REV. GEO. C. RAFTER .....	May 20, 1911..	Western N. Y.
THE REV. JNO. V. PLUNKETT.....	April 4, 1912..	Missouri
THE REV. HENRY E. BATCHELLER .....	June 13, 1912..	By Ordination
THE REV. WILLIAM S. D. LAMONT.....	July 7, 1912..	By Ordination
THE REV. J. M. KOEHLER.....	July 30, 1912..	Pennsylvania
THE REV. HENRY R. REMSEN .....	Dec. 6, 1912..	Long Island
THE REV. JOHN OLIPHANT .....	April 30, 1913..	Fond du Lac
THE REV. L. A. C. PITCAITHLY.....	May 12, 1913..	Kansas

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**HAVING A RIGHT TO SEAT AND VOTE IN THE TWENTY-  
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THE REV. CHAS. A. WEED, Missionary, Good Shepherd, Kansas City.  
THE REV. EDWARD S. WILLETT, Missionary, St. Augustine's Kansas City.

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THE REV. WM. S. D. LAMONT, Missionary, Holy Trinity, St. Joseph.

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**CANDIDATE FOR HOLY ORDERS.**

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 ALBERT C. STOWELL, St. George's, Kansas City.  
 BEN C. HOWARD, St. George's, Kansas City.  
 WILLIAM A. REMFREY, St. George's, Kansas City.  
 FREDERICK C. BROADWAY, St. George's, Kansas City.  
 SAMUEL W. RAVENAL, Christ Church, Boonville.  
 MAX E. SCHMIDT, Christ Church, Boonville.  
 CAPTAIN GEORGE T. IRVING, Christ Church, Boonville.  
 RAYMOND KNOX, St. Augustine's, Kansas City.  
 J. E. COBB, St. Paul's, Webb City.  
 WILLIAM F. EVES, St. Philip's, Joplin.  
 WILLIAM CORSE, Grace Church, Kansas City.  
 CHARLES A. SHEPARD, Christ Church, Warrensburg.

## SUMMARY.

Bishop . . . . .	1
Priests . . . . .	22
Deacons . . . . .	2
Candidates . . . . .	1
Lay Readers . . . . .	13
Total . . . . .	39

**LIST OF LAY DELEGATES**

**To the Council of the Diocese of Kansas City, in St. Paul's Church,  
Kansas City, May 13th and 14th, 1913.**

**PARISHES.**

CHILLICOTHE—GRACE—A. McVey, F. A. Hawley, Dr. R. Barney, F. H. Harris, \*C. B. Swan, R. L. Isherwood.

INDEPENDENCE—TRINITY—\*F. C. Florance, \*Thos. Knight, \*C. W. Lyon, \*E. B. Loveland.

JOPLIN—ST. PHILIP'S—\*W. F. Eves, E. Webster.

KANSAS CITY—GRACE—H. D. Ashley, B. C. Christopher, W. C. Goffe, J. Mackenzie, E. M. Clendenning, B. R. Clark, L. R. Moore, W. M. Reid, H. M. C. Low, E. P. Pratt.

ST. GEORGE'S—\*A. C. Stowell, F. C. Broadway, \*B. C. Howard, J. W. Howard, M. D., \*William Mendenhall, George Wise, \*J. V. B. Ellard, A. W. Peet, \*C. J. Stott, W. L. Richards.

ST. MARK'S—\*T. C. Bradley, \*A. D. Johnson.

ST. MARY'S—\*Edward C. Hamil, Aubrey P. Devereux, Henry L. Jost, Harry Schroeder, \*Frederick A. Smith, \*William Wooten.

ST. PAUL'S—Gardiner Lathrop, Edward George, \*V. W. Gayle, M. D., John Fennelly, \*Phil R. Toll, \*John Cobb, Jr., \*H. L. Arnold, J. D. Warren, T. J. Brodnax, B. B. Lee.

TRINITY—\*John T. Harding, F. B. Mertscheimer, \*John Gosling, Solomon Stoddard, \*Albert White, Joseph T. Davis, \*Chas. H. Childs, Jas. R. Duff, \*J. C. Pond, W. H. Smith.

LEXINGTON—CHRIST—\*B. M. Little, W. A. Dunferd.

SEDALIA—CALVARY—\*D. H. Smith, J. W. Mellor, \*E. W. Lamy, W. J. Maltby, A. D. Stanley, Walter Morey.

SPRINGFIELD—CHRIST—Geo. H. McCann, C. E. Lilley, James Blain, Joseph Williams, H. Z. Williams, Ernest Hudson.

ST. JOSEPH—CHRIST—\*F. A. H. Garlichs, W. M. Cunningham, \*Louis T. Golding, F. L. Endebrock, \*Chas. L. Holland, S. S. Oakford, Elliot Marshall, C. N. Willis, \*Horace Stringfellow, L. P. Taylor.

WARRENSBURG—CHRIST—\*Chas. A. Shepard, W. F. Tuttle.

**MISSIONS.**

KANSAS CITY—CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD—\*H. M. Beal.

ST. JOHN'S—\*Baron J. Bradenburg, \*John E. Gornall, \*Jay M. Lee, Alexander Johnson, Donald G. Murray, Amos Edwards.

ST. JOSEPH—ST. LUKE'S—\*F. E. Vancil.

WEBB CITY—ST. PAUL'S—\*Frank L. Forlow.

\*Recorded present at Council.



## CONVOCATIONS.

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### NORTHERN CONVOCATION.

THE REV. EDWARD HENRY ECKEL, Dean.  
St. Joseph.

### CLERGY.

THE REV. OSCAR HOMBURGER.  
THE REV. WM. S. D. LAMONT.

### THE COUNTIES OF

Atchison, *Holt*, Nodaway, Andrew, *Worth*, Gentry, *DeKalb*, Buchanan,  
Clinton, *Platte*, Clay, Ray, Caldwell, Daviess, *Harrison*, *Mercer*, Grundy,  
Livingston, Carroll, Chariton, Linn, *Sullivan*, *Putnam* and Howard.

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Note—Counties in *italics* are those in which no church work is being done.

Population . . . . .	495,736
Area in square miles . . . . .	12,617
Parishes . . . . .	7
Organized Missions . . . . .	9
Unorganized Missions . . . . .	3
Clergy . . . . .	3
Communicants (estimated) . . . . .	1,154

CENTRAL CONVOCATION.

THE REV. J. D. RITCHEY, D. D., Dean.  
Kansas City.

CLERGY.

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THE REV. E. C. JOHNSON.	THE REV. R. N. SPENCER.
THE REV. J. M. KOEHLER.	THE REV. J. STEWART-SMITH.
THE REV. L. A. C. PITCAITHLY.	THE REV. C. R. TAYLOR.
THE REV. JOHN V. PLUNKETT.	THE REV. CHAS. A. WEED.
THE REV. EDWARD S. WILLETT.	

THE COUNTIES OF

Jackson, Cass, Bates, Vernon, Johnson, Henry, *St. Clair*, Saline, Pettis, *Benton*, *Hickory*, Cooper, Moniteau, Morgan, *Camden*.

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Note—Counties in *italics* are those in which no church work is being done.

Population . . . . .	607,410
Area in square miles . . . . .	13,076
Parishes . . . . .	14
Organized Missions . . . . .	11
Unorganized Missions . . . . .	6
Clergy . . . . .	12
Communicants (estimated) . . . . .	2,832

## SOUTHERN CONVOCATION.

THE REV. \_\_\_\_\_, Dean.

## CLERGY.

THE REV. JAMES SENIOR.

THE REV. H. E. BACHELLER.

THE REV. R. J. BELT.

THE REV. JOHN OLIPHANT.

THE REV. FRANK F. BECKMAN.

## THE COUNTIES OF

Barton, Jasper, Newton, *McDonald, Cedar, Dade, Lawrence, Barry, Polk,*  
*Greene, Christian, Stone, Taney, Dallas, Webster, Douglas, Osage, Laclede,*  
*Wright and Howell.*

Note—Counties in *italics* are those in which no church work is being done.

Population	467,048
Area in square miles	13,076
Parishes	4
Organized Missions	8
Unorganized Missions	1
Clergy	5
Communicants (estimated)	1,065

## RULES OF ORDER.

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1. When the President takes the Chair no member shall continue standing, or shall afterwards stand up, unless to address the Chair.

2. When the President shall have taken the Chair, the minutes of the preceding day shall be read.

3. Immediately after organization of the Council, the following Standing Committees shall be appointed, viz.:

- (1) On the Admission of New Parishes.
- (2) On Constitution and Canons.
- (3) On Unfinished Business.
- (4) On Finance.
- (5) On Assessments.
- (6) On Missions.
- (7) On Christian Education.
- (8) On Sunday School Work.
- (9) On Missionaries' Traveling Expenses.
- (10) On the State of the Church.

4. All Committees shall be appointed by the President, unless otherwise ordered.

5. All resolutions shall be reduced to writing, presented to the Secretary, and by him read; and a motion shall not be considered before the house until recorded.

6. When any member is about to speak, or deliver any matter to the house, he shall, with due respect, address himself to the President, confining himself strictly to the point in debate.

7. A member shall not absent himself from the services of the house unless he have leave or be unable to attend.

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### FIRST DAY.

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**St. Paul's Church, Kansas City, Missouri, May 13th, 1912.**

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This being the time and place appointed for the meeting of the Twenty-fourth Annual Council of the Diocese of Kansas City, the Rt. Rev. Sidney Catlin Partridge, D. D., Bishop of the Diocese of Kansas City, and a number of clergy and laity assembled in St. Paul's Church, Kansas City, Missouri, at 10:00 A. M. for Divine Service.

Holy Communion was celebrated by the Bishop, assisted by the Rev. J. D. Ritchey, D. D., as reader of the Epistle, and the Rev. J. Stewart-Smith as reader of the Gospel. The Rev. C. A. Weed served as Bishop's Chaplain.

The Bishop delivered the following address:

### THE BISHOP'S ADDRESS.

"May Grace, Mercy and Peace from God, our Father, and from the Lord Jesus Christ be with you all, forevermore." Amen.

Dearly Beloved in the Lord: I greet you affectionately, one and all, and bid you welcome to this, the Twenty-fourth Annual Council of our beloved Diocese.

I feel that it has been a year of material progress and growth to us, under the Divine blessing; that we know and understand each other better; that we are ready to clasp hands more closely and look forward cheerfully and hopefully to the future and the great things that God in His mercy has in store for us.

At the last Council, it being the close of my first year among you, I thought it best to read to you in full—and I did so, under the wisest advice—the complete official diary and

record of all the detailed visitations and manifold duties that fall to the Episcopate. I felt that it was only right and fair to the flock, as well as to the Chief Pastor, that they should know something of what the varied and complex duties of a Bishop in this land and generation really are; of the vast extent of the territory that is given him to cover, and of his efforts, under God's help, to be faithful to his charge. It may surprise some of you, Beloved, as it did recently my friends in New England, to hear that this Diocese, while by no means the largest in the great Southwest, covers more square miles than all Rhode Island, Connecticut, Massachusetts, Vermont, New Hampshire and a large section of the state of Maine! I need hardly say that I shall not follow last year's program, nor establish it as a precedent, but relegate my official diary to its normal place, viz.: to be kept on file for reference and record and to be printed in the Annual Journal. I confine myself this morning to the Canonical requirements of the Bishop's Address, which are to review rapidly the events of the year, to glance at our ecclesiastical statistics and ascertain the state of the Church, and then to speak to you in God's name, a word of encouragement and good cheer.

It always becomes my first duty to read out before you the names of those Bishops in our own Communion who have been called by the great Captain of our Salvation to lay down their armor and pass onward to their reward. This year I have to chronicle but two, the Rt. Rev. Charles Chapman Grafton, S. T. D., L. L. D., second Bishop of Fond du Lac, passed away toward the close of the summer, after a long life of over four score years. A great scholar, Preacher and Bishop, the motto of whose life was ever "Press on the Kingdom."

The Kingdom was to him a very definite thing—the one Holy Catholic and Apostolic Church—the institution which was in the Eternal Mind when He created the heavens and the earth. For that Kingdom he lived and worked and died. These were his characteristics: Childlike faith in God; obedience to the Heavenly Vision; surrender of self; loyalty to the truth; courtesy and pity; scholarship transfigured by the light of faith; and love as the supreme gift crowning it all.

Later on we were called to mourn the loss of the Rt. Rev. Thomas Augustus Jaggar, D. D., retired Bishop of Southern Ohio, and who, until just before his death, had been in charge of the American Churches on the continent of Europe.

Bishop Jaggar's official life covered a period of some forty years, twenty-nine of which were passed in Ohio. He was known to the Church at large as an efficient worker and as one of its ablest preachers. He had recently been appointed to take charge of the services in St. Paul's pro-cathedral in Boston.

In our own Diocese we mourn the loss of a devoted Priest and faithful Missionary. The Rev. Charles Harrison Bohn died at St. Luke's Hospital, St. Louis, on March 30th, the first Sunday after Easter, after a long and lingering illness and much suffering, patiently and cheerfully borne for his Master's sake. Mr. Bohn was ordained Deacon by Bishop Robertson of Missouri in 1883, and Priest by Bishop Vail of Kansas in 1884, and had been in charge of the Parishes in Lexington and Marshall since 1909, coming to this Diocese from Iowa in 1907, after holding various charges in that state and in Kansas. The funeral took place at Trinity Church, Marshall, on Tuesday, April 1st. The Rev. Dr. Ritchey, Dean of the Central Convocation, the Ven. Archdeacon Johnson and the Rev. Charles A. Weed, Bishop's Chaplain, assisting the Bishop in conducting the services.

For them we sing:

"The strife is o'er—the battle done!  
The victory of life is won;  
The song of triumph has begun!  
Alleluia."

May we receive new inspiration from their lives to carry forward the work that still is ours while we wear the armor of the Church that is militant and carry her weapons in our hands!

I pass on, next, to note the names of clergymen transferred to other Dioceses and of those who have been welcomed to this:

The Rev. Dr. Arthur M. Griffin, Rector of St. Mark's, Kansas City, transferred to Ohio on November 30th, 1912.

The Rev. William A. Pearman, Missionary at Warrensburg, transferred to Virginia on October 21st, 1912.

The Rev. Franklin M. Weddell, Rector of Grace Church, Carthage, transferred to Missouri, October 11th, 1912.

The Rev. J. Henry King, Missionary at St. Simon's, Kansas City, transferred to Pennsylvania, December 19, 1912; and the Rev. Dr. Cyrus Townsend Brady, Rector of St. George's, Kansas City, transferred to New York, March 13th, 1913.

Our good wishes and our prayers follow them to their new fields of labor, and we ask God's blessing upon all their efforts for the upbuilding of His Kingdom. This makes six removals from our midst, viz.: one by death and five by transfer to other Dioceses. The number of those received and added to our list is also exactly six, so that the total of our workers remains unchanged. Those received are as follows:

The Rev. Jacob M. Koehler, our faithful Missionary to deaf mutes, was transferred to us from the Diocese of Pennsylvania on July 30th last. This was at my own request, as I felt he ought to be located near the center of his work, which is throughout the Dioceses of the Middle West and the Southwest.

On Dec. 6th, 1912, the Rev. Henry R. Remsen was received from the Diocese of Long Island and appointed Curate of Grace Church, Kansas City, a position for which his experience in the Dioceses of New York and vicinity pre-eminently fitted him.

On April 30th, 1913, the Rev. John Oliphant was called from the Diocese of Fond du Lac to the Rectorship of Grace Church, Carthage, where he has been doing most efficient work in building up the Parish.

Yesterday I received the official Letter Dimissory of the Rev. Laurence A. C. Pitcaithly, who comes to us from Topeka, Kansas (where he has been Canon of the Cathedral), to take the Rectorship of St. Mark's, Kansas City, and who already has put new life and vigor into a weak and somewhat discouraged Parish.

Two new names have been added to our list of Clergy by Ordination:

On Thursday, June 13th, 1912, in St. Philip's Church, Joplin, I ordained to the Diaconate the Rev. Henry Erving

Batcheller, presented by the Rev. Charles A. Weed, then Dean of the Southern Convocation, and assigned him to St. Paul's Church, Webb City, and to the work in that vicinity.

On Sunday, July 7th, 1912, in Holy Trinity Church, St. Joseph. I ordained to the Diaconate the Rev. William Scott Douglass Lamont, presented by the Rev. Edward Henry Eckel, Dean of the Northern Convocation, and assigned him to work in Holy Trinity Church, St. Joseph. There have been no Ordinations to the Priesthood during the year.

I have held the Institution Office once: On Sunday, May 19th, 1912, I instituted the Rev. John V. Plunkett as Rector of Holy Trinity Church at Independence, the Rev. Robert N. Spencer, Rector of Trinity Church, Kansas City, preaching the sermon.

On Thursday, June 6th, 1912, I had the sad duty of "de-consecrating" or "secularizing" St. Mark's Church, St. Joseph, the building being in a state of dilapidation and no longer to be used for religious purposes.

My other official acts have been as follows: Baptisms, 5; Confirmations, 28 (220 candidates); marriages, 7; burials, 7; Holy Communion, 27; sermons, 102; Addresses, 82 (at Woman's Auxiliaries, Church Clubs, Universities, High Schools and Civic organizations); I have held two Quiet Days for women, one in Kansas City and one in Sedalia, and conducted the Three Hours' Service at Springfield. In addition to the above I have held services for Foreign Missions at various Churches and Seminaries in Nebraska, Iowa, Minnesota, Kansas and Oklahoma.

May God accept this tribute and labor of love, forgiving what has been amiss and contrary to His Blessed will, and graciously receiving what has been done in accordance with it!

And now I have a word of deep and abiding gratitude to you all for furnishing the Bishop of the Diocese, officially, with a suitable residence, and myself and family personally with a beautiful and comfortable home. I congratulate you and I rejoice with you, one and all, that the plan started so many years ago has now been successfully carried to its completion and that the Church has finally secured a most satisfactory and valuable piece of property for this permanent

need. The house on the northeast corner of Armour Boulevard and Baltimore Avenue, in this city, was purchased—under the direction of the last Council and at the sum it named—by the Episcopal Residence Commission at the end of June, and the Bishop and his family occupied it at the middle of September.

Passing now from structures of brick and stone to foundations and buildings no less important for the Church, I note another great work accomplished during the year, namely, the completion of the revision of our Constitution and Canons. The Constitution which was adopted at our last Council, and which will be presented for your final consideration at this one, is, with the Canons attached, the result of the long and very thorough labors of your special committee. I rejoice with you that we are finally to have such a complete and satisfactory set of Canons in our hands. Embodying, as they do, the results of the labors of the very best ecclesiastical and legal talent in other Dioceses and sections of our country, they will prove most useful and helpful, both in strengthening and guiding the hands of the Bishop and his fellowworkers, and in furnishing the entire Diocese with an authoritative standard and manual of ecclesiastical law. They contain in themselves, incidentally, many of the most important teachings on the fundamental principles of Church order and government so necessary for our Church people to know.

Glancing for a moment at our work of Diocesan Missions—or “Church Extension,” as some prefer to call it—two new lines of work have been undertaken; both essential to the Church's growth, though very different in their nature. Grace Church, in this city, so long known as one of the oldest and most vigorous of our Parishes, has been handed over by the Wardens and Vestry to the Bishop, “to be used for the worship of this Church and the extension of the Kingdom of God among men.” This was done because they felt that, owing to changes in the city, it could no longer do the special parochial work it formerly did, and yet no one wished it to be removed, or its doors to be closed. So from now on it is to be a free Church for all God's people; to branch out into new activities in all directions, and under God's blessing to accomplish, we trust, a great work for His Kingdom in

the hearts and homes of the teeming population of that section of our great community.

"Our own city—right here—is our greatest and most crying Mission field," are the words I so often hear quoted since my arrival, and so our Church is planning to move steadily onward, following the tide of population to the Southeast and Southwest. The Church of the Good Shepherd has been opened in the Country Club District, with the Rev. Charles A. Weed, now the Bishop's Chaplain, as Priest in charge, and it is expected that, with the coming of the new Rector to St. George's Parish, St. Andrew's Mission will be reopened, and thus Church privileges be provided for the Rockhill District on the opposite side of the city. I ask for both these efforts and ventures of faith, your hearty co-operation, your sympathies and your prayers.

I wish I could give you a more encouraging account of our Diocesan Missions. Alas! The Harvest truly is great, but the laborers are few.

In addition to the ever-faithful and devoted Archdeacon, who, with the Bishop, tries to reach all the unoccupied places, we have scarcely a half a dozen Missionaries to cover the entire field, where we ought to have twenty men at the very least. It is one of the hardest of problems, and what to do in these emergencies, and how to supply the needs of the Parishes and Missions, even temporarily, are questions which fill my days and nights with solicitude. One of my brethren, in very much the same predicament, says: "The care of all the Churches can never be a sinecure, but when men and money are both lacking, the burden becomes indeed overwhelming." Some thoughtless persons speak of a Bishop's work as an easy task, but I venture to say that no business man has more anxieties for others or a heavier burden to carry. To make bricks without straw has, since Moses' day, been proverbially difficult. Every Bishop passes through this ordeal, but sometimes he is expected to make them even without clay. To possess responsibility without means to meet it is always a dreadful harrassment.

To keep the Diocese well manned, and yet to be denied the power of "mission," which rightly belongs to the Episcopate, is to fret against unnecessary and irritating bars—a

heart breaking experience, through which both Clerical and Lay brethren do not have to pass. What we sadly lack is Diocesan self-consciousness, burdened with Diocesan responsibility, inspired by Diocesan ideals and backed by Diocesan resources.

Says the Bishop of Pennsylvania: "Just here is our characteristic failure; not ours as a Diocese, but ours as a Church. In all the Dioceses it is the same. We, as a Church, do some things very well, and other things only moderately well. Diocesan Missions we hardly do at all. We fail because the Diocese, for the most part, exists on paper only, not in power; in word, but not in spirit. Why should not Diocesan Missions come to grief, never get fairly started, never push on and spread out with an aggressive power, if there is no Diocesan spirit to be sent upon a mission? On the other hand, given a Diocese, conscious of its unity, feeling its common life, facing its common task and what might not be done?" And just in this connection I want to speak of the new Diocesan Organization formed on last St. Andrew's Day, namely, the **Woman's Diocesan Society**, which is to do for the Diocesan Board exactly what the Woman's Auxiliary so nobly and generously does for the General Board of the Church. It may seem a little strange for one who has been for so many years a foreign missionary to come before you with an appeal for work right here at home, but he considers it his especial privilege so to do. It may take a little time to get the new Society into good working order, but it will not be very long before a splendid new force and activity will be taking its proper place in the Diocese.

Our people naturally want settled Rectors, even in the smallest places—and they alone can ever effectually do the pastoral work—and yet they are only able to raise a quarter to a third of the necessary stipend. Even in cases where two or three places can be combined, only a half to two-thirds of the Missionaries' support can be assured, and we have to fall back in every case upon the limited resources of our Diocesan Board to make up the balance. Can we not have the beginning of a fund—such as they have in many of the Eastern Dioceses—to provide for just this need? I have recently read in the Church papers of two munificent gifts, one



of \$30,000.00 and the other of \$40,000.00, the income from which was "to enable the Bishop to make up the stipends of his country clergy." I cannot imagine a more worthy object to which to devote a Diocesan legacy. And this leads me to the sad duty of speaking of our Diocesan Apportionment. It would seem impossible of belief, if we did not have the cold figures before us, that there are no less than twenty-five Parishes and Missions—two of them prominent Churches in our cities—that have not given a solitary farthing since I came to this Diocese to carry the blessings of the Church to their fellowmen at home, and more than that number that have not lifted a finger toward carrying out our Blessed Saviour's last command to "preach the Gospel to every creature." I will not call this poor Churchmanship, I am obliged to call it poor Christianity. In spite of all our assessments and other demands upon us at home, we cannot, nay, more, we dare not, neglect our responsibilities abroad. The law of Nature stands out clear and distinct on the statute books of life: The soul that does not go out from itself withers and dies. Spiritual inactivity ends in complete spiritual atrophy.

When I turn to the report of the Treasurer of our General Board of Missions, I find that up to the first of March, out of sixty Parishes and Missions, only ten had so far given anything, apart from the offerings of the Sunday Schools and the Woman's Auxiliary. Surely there is something wrong here! We shall only be prepared to ask God's blessing on our work at home in proportion as we are faithfully doing that same work abroad. I do not believe it is so much prejudice or selfishness as it is innocent ignorance and thoughtlessness. We must know what the Church really is; knowing this we shall love it, and loving it we shall want to work for it. And so I plead for deeper and more spiritual teaching as to the Kingdom of God; why it grows, how it grows, and what our share and part in that growth must be. Let us go back to our Bibles; let us re-open the Gospel of St. Matthew and learn these truths anew at the feet of our Blessed Lord, by the lakeside in Gallilee! You will pardon my saying it to you very frankly, but, as a matter of fact, few things have surprised me more since I came to live and

work among you, than the lack of knowledge, or at least of appreciation, of the Church's relation to the Holy Scriptures. That She is their Author; that they arose in and were written to Her and for Her; that She is ever the **Testis et Conservatrix**, as the old Latin phrased it, the "**Witness-to**" and the "**Guardian-of**" the Sacred Volume, and that it never can be satisfactorily and completely understood except as interpreted by the Holy Spirit, who dwells within Her—these are the great and vital truths which we should earnestly and prayerfully recall and forever make our own.

In loving gratitude to you, my Brethren of the Clergy, for all your support and co-operation through the year, I want now to say a similar word of appreciation to my devoted Laity. One high in the ranks of this American Church has said: "The right hand of the Bishop is his Laity. They are the real Diocese and they are his mainstay; the left hand is the Clergy, who come and go; the Laymen and the Bishop are thus the permanent facts of the Diocese. The Bishop represents the principle of general leadership; his function is to see visions and make large plans; the Laymen are to be his counselors in forming the plans, and his agents in achieving them." This being so, I want you, my dear Brethren of the Laity, to stand loyally by me and share my responsibility with me, by helpfully doing your part. There is a large part of the work that concerns the administration of a great Diocese like this that can be carried through without personal call upon the Bishop's well-filled time. The honored and beloved Bishop of Massachusetts emphasizes this point, when he says: "It is a source of constant surprise to me to see how Laymen, who, as their business has grown from small to large proportions, have organized and have spent money in getting the best heads of departments and relieving them of unnecessary detail, will watch their Diocese grow, allow detail in ever-increasing proportions to fall upon the Bishop, and then regret that the Bishop is enslaved by detail. Throughout the whole Church, in her great Parishes, her Bishop's office, her Diocesan and General Missionary work, we are not organizing with sufficient or well enough paid central force to do the Church's work with real efficiency, and relieve those who are able to deal with the larger things.

**It is a tribute to these men's ability and devotion that the work is done as well as it is. The Bishops of a number of our Dioceses should be supplied by the Diocese with such instrumentalities and helps as will leave them free for duties which can be done by them only. There are many things now done almost universally by Bishops which have nothing to do essentially with their office. If we keep our Dioceses of good strength and dignity, and make their Episcopal duties worthy of the strongest men, we will add strength to the Church." I commend these words of one of our wisest executives to your careful consideration. Hours and hours of my time are taken up, week after week, with details of correspondence and statistical work, from which a Secretary could at once relieve me, and allow me the freedom I so much crave to devote my energies to the pastoral side of my office and to preaching and teaching the Faith committed to our keeping.**

**Give me tools wherewith to do my work! That is my cry, Beloved, and inasfar as you realize that the efficiency of your Bishop depends upon your response to it, your loyalty to the Church will impel you to heed it.**

My closing appeal today is for a nobler Diocesan manhood and for that dignity and self-respect, which, Beloved, can never be ours as long as we are still dependent upon others to carry on the work within our own borders. Let us, in God's name, rise and assert ourselves! Let us make up our minds to be a Diocese, in deed as well as in name, and not a mere Missionary District, which is what we practically are and will continue to be, just so long as we put in our plea of poverty to the General Board, and extend our open palms to the Churches of the Eastern and Middle States and ask them—mendicants that we are—to place upon our hands the coin that will enable us to take care of our own people. The older Diocese in this State has long since shaken off these shackles, why cannot we? We can begin; we must begin, right here and now—nay, more, your Bishop has begun and pledged himself to the Board in New York that if he cannot cancel this debt at once, he will at least reduce it by \$500.00 annually, until in a few short years of God's good time, we become free and independent.

There is another side to this which you may not have thought of, but which I feel very keenly. You called your Bishop from the Missionary Episcopate to the higher honor and weightier responsibilities of the Diocese; do you still wish to keep him a Missionary Bishop by making him dependent upon the Church at large? You surely cannot honorably and in loyalty do so.

I look to you to stand by me in all my efforts to make this Diocese and its work absolutely self-supporting. Those who appeal to your sense of national or of civic pride always meet with a hearty and instant response—will you do less for one who appeals to your religious pride? Beloved, I trust you—and, trusting you, I shall not appeal to you in vain.

And now, as I commend you to God and to His work in this Council at the threshold of the opening year, I bid you again welcome to the Sacred Feast, and to the royal Banquet Table of the King of Kings. The pledge to renewed and nobler effort is here. Let us, in that Sacred Rite which ever bears the name of the **Sacramentum** or oath of the Roman legions, one and all, again “offer and present ourselves, our souls and bodies, to be a reasonable, holy and living sacrifice unto Him,” of Whom and to Whom and through Whom are all things.

So He will make our darkness light and our weakness strength. He will lift up our feeble hands and show us that the end and object of all life's effort is that He may dwell in us and we in Him, forever! Amen!

### THE BISHOP'S OFFICIAL DIARY.

May 14th, 1912.—Trinity Church, Kansas City, celebrated Holy Communion and presided at the Diocesan Council.

May 15th.—Second day of Council. Reception to Delegates in the evening.

May 16th, A. M.—Celebrated Holy Communion, examined Candidates for Holy Orders and addressed the Woman's Auxiliary.

May 18th, A. M.—St. Paul's Church, Kansas City. Annual Sermon to Junior Auxiliary. P. M.—Married Charles R. Thomas and Nellie DeBell.

May 19th, A. M.—Holy Trinity Church, Independence. Instituted the Rev. John V. Plunkett. P. M.—Baccalaureate Sermon to High School.

**May 20th.—Meeting of Clericus.**

**May 21st, P. M.—Grace Church, Grand Rapids, Mich. Annual Sermon to Woman's Auxiliary.**

**May 22nd.—Address to Auxiliary in Parish House.**

**May 23d.—Graduating Address to Nurses at Kansas City General Hospital.**

**May 24th.—Public address on "The Orient."**

**May 26th, A. M.—Baccalaureate Sermon to Kemper Military School, Boonville. P. M.—Baptized an infant, addressed State Reform School and preached in Christ Church.**

**May 28th.—Meeting of Standing Committee.**

**June 2d, A. M.—Trinity Church, Kansas City. Sermon.**

**June 4th, A. M.—Meeting of Clericus. P. M.—Graduation Address, Westport High School.**

**June 5th.—Afternoon Address, St. Mark's Auxiliary. P. M.—Address Graduating Class University Medical College.**

**June 6th, A. M.—St. Joseph. De-consecration St. Mark's Church. Afternoon Address, Daughters of St. Mary. P. M.—Meeting Grace Church Vestry.**

**June 9th, A. M.—St. Paul's Church, Manhattan, Kansas. Sermon. P. M.—Baccalaureate Sermon to Agricultural College.**

**June 10th, P. M.—Meeting Grace Church Vestry. Transfer of Church and property to Bishop.**

**June 12th.—Canonical Examinations.**

**June 13th.—St. Philip's, Joplin. Confirmation; Ordination of Henry E. Batcheller to Diaconate. Sermon.**

**May 14th.—Canonical Examinations.**

**June 16th, A. M.—St. Paul's Church, Kansas City. Celebrated Holy Communion. St. George's Church, Address to Sunday School, Confirmation and sermon. Afternoon, Confirmation at Grace Church. P. M.—Sermon at Trinity Church. XXV. Anniversary of Laying Corner Stone.**

**June 17th.—Meeting of Clericus.**

**June 19th—Married Robert T. Cattle to Claudine M. Brown.**

**June 20th, A. M.—St. Paul's Church, Kansas City. Celebrated Holy Communion. Meeting Committee St. John's Church.**

**June 21st.—Canonical Examinations.**

**June 23d.—St. John's Church, Kansas City. Celebrated Holy Communion. St. Mark's Church, Confirmation and Sermon.**

**June 25th.—Grace Church, Kansas City. Funeral of Mrs. Addie S. Young.**

**June 27th.—First Anniversary of Enthronement. Celebrated Holy Communion at St. Mary's Church and received gift of cope and mitre.**

Noon—Meeting of Standing Committee. P. M.—Confirmation at St. George's Church.

June 28th.—Utica, inspected Church property.

June 30th, A. M.—Chillicothe. Address at State Industrial Home for Girls. Grace Church, Confirmation and Sermon. P. M.—Grace Church, Brookfield, Baptism, Confirmation and Sermon.

July 1st.—Chillicothe. P. M.—Reception at Rectory.

July 2d.—Signed deeds, etc., for Episcopal residence.

July 3d.—Took over accounts of Grace Church, Kansas City.

July 5th.—Received official transfer of Episcopal Residence.

July 7th.—St. Joseph, Holy Trinity Church, Ordination of W. S. D. Lamont to Diaconate. Sermon.

July 8—Meeting with Diocesan Treasurer and Chancellor.

July 12th.—Meeting of Standing Committee.

July 13th.—Meeting of Standing Committee.

July 14th, A. M.—Grace Church, Kansas City. Celebrated Holy Communion. Sermon.

July 15th.—Transferred Parochial Trust Funds to Diocesan Treasurer.

July 28th.—St. Philip's Church, Putnam, Conn. Celebrated Holy Communion. Sermon.

August 11th.—Maryville. Morning Prayer and Sermon. Chautauqua Lecture in P. M. on "China."

August 15th.—Grace Church, Carthage. Vestry Meeting.

August 18th.—Maryville. Morning Prayer and Sermon. Chautauqua Lecture in P. M. on "Japan."

August 25th.—Morning Prayer and Sermon on board Houseboat "Silonan," in Larchmont Harbor, N. Y.

August 27th.—Loon Lake, N. Y. Chapel of Sanatorium. Funeral of Dr. James T. Newcomb (a classmate).

August 29th.—Burial Service (Dr. Newcomb) at New London, Conn.

September 1st—Block Island, R. I. St. Anne's-by-the-Sea. Celebration of Holy Communion. Sermon.

September 10th—Funeral of Mrs. L. Robertson.

September 11th, A. M.—Moved into the new Bishop's house., P. M.—Marriage of Dr. F. B. Tiffany and Zoe Clark.

September 15th, A. M.—Grace Church, Kansas City. Morning Prayer and Sermon.

September 23d.—Meeting of President and Secretaries General Board of Missions, New York.

September 24th.—Meeting Executive Committee. General Board of Missions.

September 25th.—Autumn Meeting of General Board.

September 27th.—Brooklyn, N. Y. Church of the Incarnation. Sermon.

September 28th.—Meeting Officers Woman's Auxiliary.

September 29th, A. M.—Grace Church, Kansas City. Celebration of Holy Communion and Sermon. P. M.—Baptism.

October 6th, A. M.—Christ Church, St. Joseph. Morning Prayer and Sermon. P. M.—Holy Trinity. Evening Prayer and Sermon.

October 7th, A. M.—Address, Ministers' Alliance, St. Joseph. P. M.—St. Mary's, Savannah. Evening Prayer and Sermon.

October 7th.—Meetings Standing Committee and Trustees' Parochial Trust Fund

October 11th.—Grace Church Guild, Kansas City. Address.

October 13th, A. M.—St. Oswald's-in-the-Fields. Celebration of Holy Communion. Harvest Home Festival and Sermon. P. M.—Evening Prayer and Sermon.

October 14th.—Meeting of Episcopal Residence Commission.

October 18th, P. M.—Grand Junction, Col. Diocesan Convention. Missionary Sermon.

October 19th.—Woman's Auxiliary. Address.

October 20th.—St. Thomas's Church, Denver, Col. Sermon.

October 24th.—St. George's Church, Kansas City. Woman's Auxiliary. Celebration of Holy Communion and Sermon. P. M.—Address.

October 25th.—Oklahoma City, Okla. Address at Men's Club on "China."

October 26th, Afternoon.—The Cathedral Guild. Address to Woman's Auxiliary. P. M.—Lecture to Arcadian Club on "Japan."

October 27th.—The Cathedral. S. S. Address and Sermon.

October 28th.—Meeting of Clericus.

October 29th, Afternoon.—Meeting Episcopal Residence Commission. P. M.—Meeting Diocesan Board of Missions.

October 30th.—Meeting D. A. R. Invocation.

October 31st.—Meeting of Rotary Club. Address on "China."

November 1st.—St. Luke's Hospital. Celebration of Holy Communion and Address.

November 2d.—Meeting St. Luke's Hospital Auxiliary. Address.

November 3d, A. M.—St. Paul's Church, Kansas City. S. S. Address and Sermon. P. M.—Trinity Church. Sermon.

November 4th.—Meeting Ladies' Guild, St. Luke's Hospital.

November 10th, A. M.—All Saints' Church, Omaha, Neb. S. S. Address and Sermon. P. M.—Trinity Church, Lincoln, Neb. Evening Prayer and Sermon.

November 11th, A. M.—Address, Brownell Hall. Afternoon—Woman's Auxiliary. Address. P. M.—The Cathedral. Sermon.

November 12th.—Ottumwa, Iowa. Trinity Church. Afternoon—Woman's Auxiliary, Address. Men's Club, Address. P. M.—Sermon.

November 13th.—Keokuk, Iowa. St. John's Church. Afternoon—Men's Club, Address. P. M.—Sermon.

November 14th.—Iowa City, Iowa. Trinity Church. Afternoon—Woman's Auxiliary. P. M.—Sermon.

November 15th.—Cedar Rapids, Iowa. Grace Church. Address.

November 17th, A. M.—St. Paul, Minn. St. John's Church, Sermon. Afternoon—St. Mark's Cathedral, Sermon. P. M.—St. Mary's Church, Merriam Park, Sermon. ,

November 18th.—Fairbault, Minn. Afternoon—Seabury Divinity School, Address. St. Mary's Hall, Address. Shattuck Hall, Address.

November 21st.—North Topeka, Kas. Church of the Good Shepherd, Sermon.

November 23d.—Springfield, Mo. Christ Church, Celebration of Holy Communion and Address. Afternoon—Woman's Auxiliary, Address. P. M.—Reception.

November 24th.—Springfield, Mo. Christ Church, Celebration of Holy Communion and Sermon. P. M.—St. John's Church, Sermon. Vestry Meeting after Service.

November 25th.—Meeting of Clericus.

November 26th, A. M.—Moved into new and larger office. P. M.—St. Paul's Church Parish Supper. Grace Church Harvest Cantata. Address.

November 28th, A. M.—Marriage of Albert W. Merkle and Irma M. Gordon. Grace Church, Morning Prayer and Sermon.

November 30th, Afternoon—Organized the Woman's Diocesan Society. P. M.—Addressed Student Volunteers.

December 1st.—Grace Church, Kansas City. Introduced the Rev. H. R. Remsen as Curate. Celebration of Holy Communion and Sermon.

December 2d, Afternoon—Reception at Grace House for Rev. and Mrs. Remsen.

December 3d.—Chillicothe, Joint Convocation of Three Deaneries. Afternoon—Grace Church, Confirmation and Sermon.

December 4th, A. M.—Grace Church, Chillicothe. Celebration of Holy Communion. Noon—Address to High School. Afternoon—Session of Convocation. P. M.—Address in Church.

December 5th.—Gave Letter Dimissory to Rev. Arthur M. Griffin to Diocese of Ohio.

December 6th, A. M.—Inspected location for Country Club Church. P. M.—Welcomed the Bishop of the Tonga Islands and Mrs. Willis.

December 8th.—St. Mary's Church, Kansas City. Blessing of Cope and Mitre, Confirmation and Sermon.

December 9th.—Meeting of Clericus.

December 16th.—All day session of Committee on New Canons.

December 17th.—Parish Meeting at St. Mark's Church.

December 22d, A. M.—St. Augustine's Church, Kansas City. Confirma-



tion and Sermon. P. M.—St. Mark's Church, Baptism and Sermon.

December 24th.—Midnight. Attended Christmas Eve Celebration at St. Mary's Church.

December 25th.—Grace Church, Kansas City. Celebration of Holy Communion and Sermon.

December 29th, A. M.—St. Philip's Church, Joplin. Celebration of Holy Communion and Sermon. P. M.—St. John's Mission, Neosho. Sermon.

December 30th, A. M.—St. John's Mission, Neosho. Celebration of Holy Communion. Meeting of Vestry, St. Philip's Church. P. M.—St. Paul's Mission, Webb City, Baptism, Confirmation and Sermon.

January 1, 1913.—Attended Service at Grace Church, Kansas City.

January 5th.—St. George's Church, Kansas City. Celebration of Holy Communion and Sermon.

January 6th, A. M.—Attended Celebration of Holy Communion at St. Paul's Church, Kansas City. P. M.—Address to Men's Club, St. George's Church.

January 7th.—Woman's Auxiliary Meeting, Address.

January 8th.—Marriage of John R. Crowe, Jr., and Nancy I. Bell at St. Paul's Church, Kansas City.

January 9th.—St. Paul's Church, Kansas City. Sermon.

January 17th.—Opened Rectory, Church of the Good Shepherd, Kansas City.

January 19th, A. M.—Held first service in Church of the Good Shepherd, Kansas City. Appointed the Rev. Chas. A. Weed as Chaplain and Priest in charge. P. M.—Marshall, Trinity Church. Confirmation and Sermon.

January 21st, A. M.—Woman's Auxiliary Institute at Grace Church, Kansas City. Celebration of Holy Communion. P. M.—Meeting of Standing Committee.

January 22d.—Institute at Grace Church.

January 23d, A. M.—Institute at Grace Church. Afternoon—Woman's Auxiliary Meeting. P. M.—Attended Lantern Lecture at St. George's Church.

January 25th.—St. Joseph, Christ Church. Meeting of Joint Vestries, and Address at Men's Club.

January 26th, A. M.—St. Joseph, Christ Church. S. S. Address and Sermon. P. M.—St. Luke's Mission, South St. Joseph. Sermon.

January 27th, Afternoon—Meeting of Clericus. P. M.—Address at St. Paul's Men's Club.

January 29th.—Grace Church, Kansas City. Confirmation.

January 30th.—Chillicothe. Lecture in new Parish House.

- January 31st.—Attended Mission at St. John's Church, Kansas City.
- February 1st, P. M.—St. John's Church, Kansas City. Sermon.
- February 2d.—XIII. Anniversary of my Consecration. A. M.—St. John's Church, Kansas City, S. S. Address and Sermon. P. M.—Closing Sermon for St. John's Mission.
- February 4th, A. M.—Funeral of Mr. A. A. Tomlinson at Grace Church. Funeral of Mr. R. W. Carey at Trinity Church. P. M.—Public Lecture on "China."
- February 5th, A. M.—Penitential Office and Sermon at Grace Church. P. M.—St. Mark's Church, Sermon and Meeting of Vestry.
- February 7th.—Guild, St. Paul's Church, Address.
- February 11th.—Meeting of Executive Committee in Church Mission House, New York.
- February 12th.—Spring Meeting, General Board of Missions.
- February 15th.—Attended Memorial Services for Vice-President Sherman in Senate Chamber, Capitol, at Washington.
- February 16th, A. M.—Washington, D. C., St. Paul's Church, Sermon. Noon—Lunched with the President of the United States and family at the White House. Afternoon—Inspected Cathedral School for Girls.
- February 17th.—Fort Wayne, Ind. Visited Trinity Church.
- February 19th.—Meeting of S. S. Institute Committee at St. George's Parish House.
- February 20th.—Mountain Grove. A. M.—St. Mark's Mission, Celebration of Holy Communion and Sermon. P. M.—Sermon. Inspected site for new Church.
- February 21st.—Aurora, Trinity Mission, Evening Prayer and Sermon.
- February 22d, P. M.—Invocation, "Sons of the Revolution" Meeting. Gave Canonical consent to Consecration of the Rev. Theodore I. Reese as Bishop Coadjutor of Southern Ohio.
- February 23d, A. M.—Grace Church, Sermon for "Sons of the Revolution." Afternoon—Cantata on "Seven Words."
- February 24th.—Meeting of the Clericus. Funeral of Mrs. Taliaferro.
- February 27th.—St. Joseph, Christ Church, Lenten Address.
- March 2d, A. M.—Sedalia, Calvary Church, Celebration of Holy Communion and Sermon. P. M.—Sermon. Meeting of Vestry.
- March 3d.—Sedalia, Calvary Church. A. M.—Celebration of Holy Communion. "Quiet Day" for Women. P. M.—Sermon.
- March 5th.—Lawrence, Kansas. Trinity Church, Sermon.
- March 9th, A. M.—St. Mary's Church, Kansas City. Confirmation and Sermon. P. M.—Trinity Church, Sermon.
- March 10th.—Meeting of Clericus.
- March 11th.—Finished New Canons of Diocese.

**BISHOP'S ADDRESS.**

- March 12th.**—West Plains, All Saints' Mission. Afternoon—Address at High School. P. M.—Confirmation and Sermon.
- March 13th.**—West Plains, Guild Meeting, Address.
- March 14th, A. M.**—Lincoln High School, Kansas City, Address. P. M.—Meeting of St. Luke's Hospital Board.
- March 16th, A. M.**—St. Paul's Church, Kansas City, Sermon. P. M.—St. George's Church, Confirmation and Sermon.
- March 17th, Noon**—Address at Grace Church.
- March 19th, P. M.**—St. Paul's Church, Kansas City, Address.
- March 20th.**—Attended Celebration of Holy Communion in St. Paul's Church.
- March 21st.**—Springfield, Christ Church. Morning—Prayer and Three Hours' Service. P. M.—Joint Service at Christ Church, Sermon.
- March 23d.**—Webb City, St. Paul's Mission, Celebration of Holy Communion and Sermon. Joplin, St. Philip's Church, Celebration of Holy Communion and Sermon. P. M.—Monett, St. Stephen's Mission, Confirmation and Sermon.
- March 24th.**—Meeting of Clericus. Lecture.
- March 26th, Afternoon.**—Meeting Diocesan Board of Missions. P. M.—Address to Men's Club, Grace Church.
- March 27th.**—All-day Session, Committee on New Canons.
- March 28th, A. M.**—St. George's Church, Kansas City, Confirmation. P. M.—Committee Meeting on New Canons.
- March 30th.**—Grace Church, Kansas City, Celebration of Holy Communion and Sermon.
- March 31st.**—Gave Letter Dimissory to Rev. Cyrus T. Brady to Diocese of New York.
- April 1st.**—Funeral of Rev. Chas. H. Bohn at Marshall.
- April 4th.**—Final Revision of New Canons.
- April 5th, P. M.**—St. Mark's Church, Kansas City. Evening Prayer, Address and Welcome to Rev. L. A. C. Pitcaithly, new Rector.
- April 6th.**—St. Joseph, Holy Trinity Church, Holy Communion, Address. Christ Church, Confirmation, Sermon. Private Confirmation at a home. Afternoon—St. Matthais' Mission, Sermon. P. M.—Holy Trinity Church, Sermon.
- April 7th.**—Address at the "West and Carmichael" School for Girls. Afternoon—Bible Lecture in Christ Church and Address on Woman's Diocesan Society. P. M.—Gave Address at Men's Club, Holy Trinity Church. Meeting Committee St. Luke's Mission, South St. Joseph.
- April 8th, A. M.**—Corrected proofs of New Canons. Afternoon—Lecture on "Chinese Homes."
- April 9th.**—Grace Church, Kansas City. Bible Lecture to Women. Organization of Kansas City Chapter, Woman's Diocesan Society.

April 10th.—All-day Meeting of Board of Equalization.

April 13th.—St. John's Church, Kansas City. S. S. Address, Confirmation and Sermon. Afternoon—Address to Colored Y. M. C. A. P. M.—Trinity Church, Confirmation and Sermon.

April 14th.—Visit to Rev. C. H. Bohn's family at Marshall.

April 15th.—Marshall, Trinity Church, Celebration of Holy Communion and Address.

April 17th.—Meeting of St. Luke's Hospital Board.

April 18th, A. M.—With St. Luke's Hospital Board to inspect property at Independence. P. M.—Invocation at Boys' Dinner, Commercial Club.

April 20th, A. M.—Boonville, Christ Church, Baptism, Holy Communion and Sermon. P. M.—Vestry Meeting.

April 21st.—Marriage of Charles W. Green and Beatrice E. Robertson.

April 23d.—Meeting of Board of Equalization.

April 24th.—St. Agnes' Guild of St. George's Church, Address.

April 25th.—St. Louis, Mo., St. Peter's Church. A. M.—Assisted Presiding Bishop at Celebration of Holy Communion. Noon—Address in Parish House on Woman's Diocesan Society. P. M.—Address to Woman's Auxiliary.

April 26th, Afternoon—Address to Bible Class of St. Paul's Church. P. M.—Confirmation at St. Luke's Hospital.

April 27th.—Chelsea, Oklahoma. A. M.—Convocation, Sermon. Afternoon—S. S. Address.

April 28th.—Meeting of Clericus.

April 29th.—"Quiet Day" for Church Women at Trinity Church. Holy Communion and Addresses. P. M.—Marriage of Saml. B. Seabee and Alice E. Smith.

May 1st.—St. Paul's Church, Kansas City. Celebration of Holy Communion and Sermon.

May 4th.—St. George's Church, Kansas City. A. M.—Celebration of Holy Communion, S. S. Address and Sermon. P. M.—Evening Prayer and Sermon.

May 5th, Noon—Vestry Meeting of St. George's Church. Afternoon—Meeting Officers Woman's Auxiliary. P. M.—Vestry Meeting, Grace Church.

May 6th.—Salina, Kansas. P. M.—Convocation, Sermon in Cathedral.

May 7th, A. M.—Attended Celebration of Holy Communion in Cathedral. Address to Woman's Auxiliary.

May 8th.—St. Paul's Auxiliary, Kansas City, Address.

May 10th.—St. Peter's Mission, Harrisonville. Evening Prayer and Sermon.

May 11th, A. M.—Celebration of Holy Communion, Baccalaureate Sermon to High School. P. M.—Grace Church, Kansas City. Confirmation and Sermon.

May 12th.—Final preparation for Council.

The Council convened immediately at the close of the service, with the Bishop in the chair.

Secretary Taylor called the roll of Clerical and Lay delegates and a quorum was declared present.

The Rev. C. R. Taylor was nominated as Secretary. On motion, nominations were closed and it was resolved that the rules be suspended, and the Treasurer was instructed to cast the ballot of the Council for the Rev. C. R. Taylor as Secretary, which was done.

The Secretary appointed Mr. W. F. Eves of Joplin, as his assistant.

On motion by Mr. A. C. Stowell, visiting clergy were allowed the privilege of the floor.

The Council, now being duly organized, the Bishop presented the following nominations for:

## **STANDING COMMITTEES.**

### **ON ADMISSION OF NEW PARISHES.**

THE REV. R. N. SPENCER.

MR. J. V. B. ELLARD.

### **ON UNFINISHED BUSINESS.**

MR. THOS. KNIGHT.

MR. W. F. EVES.

MR. C. A. SHEPARD.

### **ON FINANCE.**

MR. A. C. STOWELL.

MR. BENJAMIN B. LEE.

MR. H. L. ARNOLD.

### **ON MISSIONS.**

ARCHDEACON JOHNSON.

THE REV. C. A. WEED.

DR. V. W. GAYLE.

### **ON CHRISTIAN EDUCATION.**

THE REV. J. STEWART-SMITH.

THE REV. R. N. SPENCER.

THE REV. CHAS. A. WEED.

### **ON SUNDAY SCHOOL WORK.**

THE REV. D. H. ATWILL.

MR. BEN C. HOWARD.

**ON MISSIONARIES' TRAVELING EXPENSES.**

MR. C. H. CHILDS.

MR. B. J. FRADENBURG.

**ON THE STATE OF THE CHURCH.**

THE REV J. D. RITCHEY, D. D.

THE REV. J. STEWART-SMITH.

THE REV. C. R. TAYLOR.

MR. A. D. JOHNSON.

THE REV. F. F. BECKERMAN.

MR. D. G. MURRAY.

The Rev. Robert K. Pooley of Leavenworth, Kansas, was reported present.

On motion the Council adjourned for lunch.

**2:00 P. M.**

The Council convened at 2:00 P. M.

It was moved by the Rev. J. D. Ritchey that that part of the Bishop's address which he desired to have published be printed and sent to the parishes and missions, with a request to the clergymen that it be read to the congregations. Seconded.

Mr. J. V. B. Ellard moved, as an amendment, that it be printed in such form that the plates can be used in printing the Journal and that the printing be left in the hands of the Secretary. Mr. Ellard's amendment was incorporated in the original motion, and the motion was carried.

The Rev. C. A. Weed presented the application of the Mission of the Church of the Good Shepherd to be admitted in the union with the diocese. On motion, the application was referred to the Committee on Admission of the new parishes. On a point of order it was resolved that such reference was not necessary, and the application of the Mission was granted.

The Rev. W. S. D. Lamont presented the application of St. Luke's Church, St. Joseph, for admission into union with this diocese. The application was granted.

The Rev. J. D. Ritchey, D. D., presented the report of the Standing Committee, which report was duly received:

**REPORT OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE.**

The Standing Committee met before the adjournment of the Council which elected it and organized, in compliance with the provisions of the

canon, by the election of the Rev. J. Stewart-Smith as President, and the Rev. J. D. Ritchey as Secretary.

Since that time it has had five meetings. At the first meeting Mr. H. L. Arnold was appointed Treasurer of the Diocese, to fill the vacancy in that office caused by the resignation of Mr. Walton H. Holmes, elected at the last meeting of the Council. At the meeting on June 27th, consent was given to the consecration of the Rev. Harry Sherman Langly, D. D., to be Bishop Suffragan of the Diocese of Iowa. At the meeting October 8th consent was given to the consecration of the Rev. Frank Arthur McElwain, D. D., to be Bishop Suffragan of the Diocese of Minnesota. At the meeting January 21st consent was given to the consecration of the Rev. Theodore I. Reese to be Bishop Coadjutor of the Diocese of Southern Ohio. Consent was also given at this meeting to the consecration of the Rev. William Farrar Weeks to be Bishop Coadjutor of the Diocese of Vermont. The papers, in canonical form, stating the fact of the election of the Rev. H. Percy Silver to be Bishop Coadjutor of the Diocese of Kansas, and asking the concurrence of the Standing Committee in his consecration, were read before the Committee, but the Committee, finding itself unable to agree in the matter of the said petition, failed to return any answer to the request.

Respectfully submitted,

J. D. RITCHEY, *Secretary*.

The Rev. J. D. Ritchey presented the report of the Trustees of the Parochial Trust Fund. The report was received:

#### REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF THE PAROCHIAL TRUST FUND.

The Trustees of the Parochial Trust Fund have held three meetings during the year, and have, as seemed just and right to them, disposed of such matters as came before them.

At one meeting the Chancellor of the Diocese was requested to prepare an amended Charter for the corporation, providing for a broader scope of authority and a more distinct definition of its powers. He was also requested to secure a list of the various Church properties throughout the Diocese, with the names of the parties in whom the title rests, and place it in the hands of the Secretary of the Corporation.

The other matters which came before the Trustees of the Parochial Trust Fund were details of sale and transfer of properties held in the name of the Corporation, all of which, and the matters relating thereto, are duly recorded in the minutes of the meetings.

Respectfully submitted,

J. D. RITCHEY, *Secretary*.

In the matter of electing a new Standing Committee, on motion, it was resolved that the rules be suspended and that the clerical members of said committee be re-nominated and

the Secretary instructed to cast the ballot of the Council for them. The Secretary cast the ballot of the Council for the Rev. J. Stewart-Smith, the Rev. Edward Henry Eckel, and the Rev. J. D. Ritchey, D. D. On motion, it was resolved that the rules be suspended and the lay members of the Standing Committee be renominated and the Secretary instructed to cast the ballot of the Council for them. The Secretary cast the ballot of the Council for Mr. A. C. Stowell, Mr. Horace Stringfellow and Mr. John T. Harding.

The following were nominated for deputies to the General Convention:

THE REV. J. STEWART-SMITH.	MR. A. C. STOWELL.
THE REV. C. A. WEED.	MR. B. C. HOWARD.
THE REV. R. N. SPENCER.	MR. F. A. H. GARLICH.
THE REV. E. H. ECKEL.	MR. L. T. GOLDING.
THE REV. J. D. RITCHEY, D. D.	MR. PHIL R. TOLL.
THE REV. CARL REED TAYLOR.	MR. F. L. FORLOW.
THE REV. F. F. BECKERMAN.	MR. C. B. SWAN.
MR. D. H. SMITH.	

On motion it was resolved that nominations be closed.

The chair appointed the Rev. W. S. D. Lamont and Mr. B. C. Howard as tellers, and the ballot was taken without voting by orders.

The Rev. R. N. Spencer made a verbal report of the Board of Trustees of the fund for the Theological Education.

The Rev. D. H. Atwill presented the following report for the General Clergy Relief Fund:

## CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVED

**From the Churches and Missions in the Diocese of Kansas City, From May 1, 1912, to May 1, 1913.**

All Saints', West Plains .....	\$15.96
Trinity, Lebanon .....	16.00
St. Philip's, Joplin .....	5.30
St. Mary's, 13th and Holmes Streets, Kansas City.....	50.00
St. Paul's, Webb City .....	5.45
Christ, Springfield .....	15.52
Calvary, Sedalia .....	12.45
Holy Trinity, St. Joseph .....	7.16
St. Matthias', St. Joseph .....	10.00
Christ, Warrensburg .....	5.00



Trinity, Kansas City ..	.....	\$49.30
St. Paul's, Kansas City ..	.....	67.06
Christ, St. Joseph ..	.....	64.85
St. Luke's, St. Joseph ....	.....	.60
St. John's, Springfield ..	.....	12.30
Grace, Brookfield ..	.....	1.00
Grace, Chillicothe ..	.....	7.25
St. John's, Kansas City ..	.....	20.21
St. George's, Kansas City ..	.....	56.26
St. Mary's, Kansas City ..	.....	51.00
Woman's Auxiliary of Christ Church, St. Joseph ..	.....	5.00
St. John's Guild, Kansas City ..	.....	6.00
Individual Offerings (acknowledged in detail in Triennial Report) ..	.....	31.00
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		\$514.87
Diocesan Fund. Interest on Smith Loan ..	.....	51.00
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		\$565.87

**Account closed May 1, 1913.**

Total contributions from May 1, 1912, to May 1, 1913 ..	.....	\$565.87
Grants from the General Clergy Relief Fund for the same period ..	.....	\$500.00
Number of Beneficiaries ..	.....	4

**The Bishop appointed the Rev. C. A. Weed, the Rev. E. C. Johnson and the Rev. D. H. Atwill as examining chaplains.**

On motion by Mr. John T. Harding, it was resolved that the rules be suspended and the four names of those nominated for deputies in both orders that are not elected, that the Secretary be instructed to cast the ballot of the Council for such names as alternates:

Mr. B. J. Fradenburg presented the report of the Commission on the Episcopal Residence:

**Kansas City, Mo., May 13, 1913.**

The Secretary of the Episcopal Residence Commission begs to report to the 24th Annual Council as follows:

In due compliance with the resolution passed at the 23d Annual Council, establishing a permanent Episcopal Residence Commission, that said Commission composed of the following members: Bishop Partridge, Rev. E. H. Eckel, Rev. C. A. Weed, Messrs. Phil Toll, Henry D. Ashley and B. J. Fradenburg, met at the office of the Bishop of the Diocese in the Orear-Leslie Building on the afternoon of June 22d, 1912, and proceeded to elect its permanent officers. Bishop Partridge was nominated and elected president, and B. J. Fradenburg was elected secretary. After a thorough discussion of the "Bishop Residence" and a report of Mr. Phil R. Toll and Mr. Henry D. Ashley, on motion of Mr. H. D. Ashley,

seconded by the Rev. Chas. A. Weed, it was moved that the Commission purchase, as an Episcopal Residence, the A. W. Child residence, No. 14 West Armour Boulevard, for the sum of \$22,500.00, being the expenditure authorized by the 23d Annual Council. \$5,000.00 was paid on the purchase price about July 5th, 1912, the balance to be paid on or before five years. See accompanying circular attached hereto.

The Episcopal Residence Fund had \$3,780.23 in its treasury, which had been accumulated for years and, with the \$1,219.67 subscription raised, made the first payment. The Chancellor of the Diocese, Mr. John Harding examined and approved all the transactions in connection therewith. The title of the property is now in the name of the Board of Trustees of the Parochial Trust Fund of the Diocese of Kansas City, Missouri.

On October 14th, 1912, at a special meeting, the financial problem was thoroughly discussed. The Commission then decided to raise this amount by the issuance of 250 non-interest bearing notes of \$100.00 each, to be payable annually, semi-annually or quarterly, in five years, as the subscriber desired, to cover the cost of the property, leaving the balance to cover the interest, insurance, repairs and improvements when needed.

On October 29th, 1912, at a special meeting, the note form was approved and printed, together with a letter of explanation and statement of the purchase of the residence. To date 32 \$100 notes have been subscribed, and a total payment of \$1,065.00 had been paid.

The Secretary then sent to each clergy of the Diocese a supply of notes, certificates, letters and statements (copies attached hereto), with a letter from the Bishop, asking his co-operation. The committee thought that this should be the first step towards accomplishing results, but now feels that a more active campaign must be made at once. The first note of \$2,000, with interest on the whole, will be due July 5, 1913, and it must not be allowed to become delinquent.

The Bishop has been occupying the residence since September 15th, and is now happily settled in his home, which is delightfully located in one of the prettiest residence sections of Kansas City.

B. J. FRADENBURG, *Secretary*.

Mr. H. L. Arnold was nominated Treasurer of the Diocese. On motion it was resolved that nominations be closed, the rules suspended and the Secretary cast the ballot of the Council for Mr. Arnold. The Secretary cast the ballot and Mr. Arnold was declared elected.

On motion it was resolved that the Finance Committee audit reports of the different Treasurers to be presented to the Bishop prior to the printing of the Journal.

On motion by Mr. John T. Harding, it was resolved that the Council send a message of good will to the Rev. C. T. Brady, L. L. D., the Secretary to give form to such message.

Mr. Harding, at the request of the Bishop, composed the following message to be sent to Rev. Dr. Brady:

*Dr. Cyrus Townsend Brady, Mt. Vernon, New York:*

The council in session misses your fine face and fine advice and unanimously sends this message of good will and good cheer.

CARL REED TAYLOR, *Secretary.*

The Bishop requested the Archdeacon to make a report for the Committee on Missions.

The tellers on the election of the deputies to the General Convention made the following report:

**BALLOT 1.**

The Rev. J. Stewart-Smith.....	34	Mr. A. C. Stowell.....	42
The Rev. R. N. Spencer .....	30	Mr. D. H. Smith.....	26
The Rev. J. D. Ritchey.....	30	Mr. B. C. Howard.....	26
The Rev. E. H. Eckel.....	26	Mr. F. A. H. Garlich.....	25
The Rev. C. A. Weed.....	26	Mr. L. T. Golding.....	18
The Rev. C. R. Taylor.....	18	Mr. F. L. Forlow.....	18
The Rev. D. H. Atwill.....	14	Mr. C. B. Swan.....	11
The Rev. F. F. Beckerman.....	6		

The Rev. J. Stewart-Smith, the Rev. R. N. Spencer, the Rev. J. D. Ritchey, Mr. A. C. Stowell, Mr. D. H. Smith, Mr. B. C. Howard were declared elected.

The Rev. E. H. Eckel withdrew his name.

On motion a ballot was prepared for the electing of one clerical and one lay deputy to settle the question of ties in the first ballot.

Mr. H. L. Arnold, treasurer of the Diocese, presented his report. He also presented the report of the Parochial Trust Fund:

**REPORT OF TREASURER**

**DIOCESE OF KANSAS CITY, FROM MAY 1, 1912, TO APRIL 30, 1913.**

Parishes.	Assessment	Arrears	Paid on
	1912-13.	Paid.	Assessment 1912-13.
Boonville, Christ .....	\$ 64.08	\$.....	\$.....
Brunswick, St. Paul's .....	1.00	2.00	1.00
Brookfield, Grace .....	42.52	.....	20.00
Carthage, Grace .....	185.56	200.00	.....
Carrollton, St. Paul's .....	3.31	.....	.....

Chillicothe, Grace .....	\$ 109.91	\$ 77.65	\$ 103.82
Fayette, St. Mary's .....	1.00	.....	1.00
Independence, Trinity .....	103.49	22.00	77.62
Joplin, St. Philip's .....	193.25	188.10	173.93
Kansas City :			
Grace .....	729.50	583.50	674.84
St. George's .....	555.50	110.00	555.50
St. Mark's .....	109.09	.....	24.55
St. Mary's .....	279.20	.....	251.28
St. Paul's .....	1,128.43	.....	1,015.60
Trinity .....	395.96	.....	395.96
Marshall, Trinity .....	51.03	.....	.....
Maryville, St. Paul's .....	1.60	.....	1.60
Nevada, All Saints .....	101.94	.....	.....
Pleasant Hill, Calvary .....	14.03	.....	.....
Sedalia, Calvary .....	197.33	87.57	182.54
Springfield :			
Christ .....	186.42	99.80	173.24
St. John's .....	61.35	.....	25.00
St. Joseph :			
Christ .....	833.20	.....	749.88
Holy Trinity .....	62.47	.....	15.61
Warrensburg, Christ .....	71.19	.....	67.64
Weston, St. John .....	1.00	1.21	1.25
MISSION.			
Amazonia, St. Mathews .....	1.33	.....	.....
Blackburn, The Mediator .....	1.05	5.00	5.00
Butler, St. Mark's .....	18.90	.....	.....
Cameron, St. John's .....	18.37	5.50	8.26
Clinton, St. Paul's .....	34.20	.....	34.20
Harrisonville, St. Peter's .....	21.00	.....	.....
Holden, Mt. Calvary .....	1.00	.....	.....
Higginsville, St. Albans .....	1.66	.....	1.66
Kansas City :			
St. John's .....	160.81	.....	160.81
St. Augustine's .....	1.00	.....	1.00
St. Simon's .....	1.00	.....	1.00
Liberty, Grace .....	6.40	.....	.....
Lamar, Trinity .....	36.51	.....	32.87
Lee's Summit, St. Paul's .....	5.77	.....	11.00
Lebanon, Trinity .....	8.88	.....	8.00
Marceline .....	1.00	.....	1.00
Mountain Grove, St. Mark's .....	18.37	.....	.....
Monett, St. Stephen's .....	8.15	.....	.....
Neosho, St. John's .....	38.62	8.47	28.96
Oswald, St. Oswald's .....	24.10	.....	24.10
Plattsburg, St. Mary's .....	3.33	2.75	.....
Platte City, St. Thomas' .....	1.00	.....	1.00

Savannah, St. Mary's .....	\$ 1.00	.....	\$ 1.00
St. Joseph .....			
St. Matthias' .....	6.34	.....	6.71
St. Luke's .....	35.19	.....	34.61
Trenton, St. Philip's .....	12.24	.....	11.90
Tipton, St. George's .....	1.00	.....	1.00
Webb City, St. Paul's .....	15.56	.....	.....
West Plains, All Saints' .....	56.25	.....	50.66
<b>Totals</b> .....		<b>\$1,303.55</b>	<b>\$4,935.60</b>

## RECEIPTS.

Parishes and Missions .....	\$6,329.15
Interest on Permanent Episcopal Fund .....	515.87
Refund of excess interest from Pioneer Trust Co. ....	7.50
Interest on Slusher Loan .....	72.00
Bills Payable .....	2,500.00
Interest on Elevated Railway bonds .....	* 100.00
Personal donation from W. H. Chapman .....	100.00
Interest on daily demand deposit .....	1.32
Donations to Theological Educational Fund .....	17.82
Bills Receivable .....	228.15
<b>Total Receipts</b> .....	<b>\$9,871.81</b>

## DISBURSEMENTS

Overdraft at bank (deficit) .....	\$ 128.59
Postage for Treasurer's use .....	23.76
Paid to Missionary Clergy Expenses .....	29.48
Janitor Trinity Church Diocesan Council .....	5.00
Bishop Sidney C. Partridge, Salary .....	3,600.00
Bishop Sidney C. Partridge, Traveling Expenses .....	600.00
Bishop Sidney C. Partridge, House Rent .....	900.00
Paid, Bills Payable .....	2,500.00
Rev. Carl Reed Taylor, Salary as Secretary .....	150.00
Trustees of Parochial Trust Fund, by order of Standing Committee .....	853.15
Bishop Partridge, Account Theological Educational Fund .....	41.00
Sundry Printing Expenses .....	68.06
Printing Journal .....	362.80
Secretary S. W. Missionary Department .....	15.00
Interest Paid on Bills Payable .....	88.48
<b>Total Expenditures</b> ..	<b>\$9,365.32</b>
Cash on Hand .....	506.49
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>\$9,871.81</b>

## BILLS PAYABLE ACCOUNT.

May 20, 1912—Note Pioneer Trust Co.....	\$ 500.00	
May 20, 1912—Note Pioneer Trust Co.....	1,000.00	
June 27, 1912—Note Pioneer Trust Co.....	500.00	
Sept. 28, 1912—Note Pioneer Trust Co.....	500.00	
Jan. 24, 1913—Note Pioneer Trust Co.....	500.00	
Jan. 24, 1913—Note Pioneer Trust Co.....	1,000.00	
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## PAID.

May 31, 1912—Note Pioneer Trust Co.....	\$ 500.00	
June 27, 1912—Note Pioneer Trust Co.....	1,000.00	
Feb. 25, 1913—Note Pioneer Trust Co.....	500.00	
April 24, 1913—Note Pioneer Trust Co.....	500.00	
	<hr/>	\$2,500.00
Notes to Pioneer Trust Co. unpaid.....	1,500.00	
	<hr/>	\$4,000.00

## BILLS RECEIVABLE.

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Note of Trustees' Parochial Trust Fund.....	\$228.15	
Due Bill Trustee's Parochial Trust Fund.....	625.00	
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	\$853.15	
Note Trustees' Parochial Trust Fund, Paid.....		\$228.15
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Due Bill Trustees' Parochial Trust Fund, unpaid.....		\$625.00

## THEOLOGICAL EDUCATIONAL FUND.

## RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand May 1, 1912.....	\$62.10	
Interest on Slusher Loan .....	72.00	
From Grace Church, Brookfield .....	1.25	
From Grace Church, Chillicothe .....	3.75	
From St. George's, Kansas City .....	11.42	
From St. John's, Kansas City .....	1.40	
	<hr/>	\$151.92

## DISBURSEMENTS.

Jan. 26, 1912—Check to Bishop Partridge.....	\$62.10	
Aug. 14, 1912—Check to Bishop Partridge.....	41.00	
Balance on hand, May 1, 1913 .....	48.82	
	<hr/>	\$151.92

## EPISCOPAL RESIDENCE FUND.

## RECEIPTS.

May 1, 1912—Deposit Certificate No. 3054.....	\$3,739.63
Interest on same .....	28.05
	————— \$3,767.68

## DISBURSEMENTS.

July 2, 1912—To Trustees' Parochial Trust Fund.....	\$3,767.68
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## INVESTMENTS, May 1, 1913.

## THEOLOGICAL EDUCATIONAL FUND.

B. M. Slusher, 6% real estate loan.....	\$200.00
Respectfully submitted,	

Treasurer.

## REPORT OF TREASURER TRUSTEES OF THE PAROCHIAL TRUST FUND, TO APRIL 30, 1913.

## RECEIPTS.

From Treasurer, Diocese of Kansas City.....	\$ 10.23
From various purchasers of certificates.....	595.00
From interest on daily deposit in bank.....	1.47
	————— \$606.70

## DISBURSEMENTS.

July 9, 1912—Check to Bishop Partridge.....	\$100.00
Apr. 26, 1913—Paid note to Diocese of Kansas City	228.15
	————— \$328.15
Cash on hand .....	278.55
	————— \$606.70

## BILLS PAYABLE ACCOUNT TRUSTEES OF THE PAROCHIAL TRUST FUND.

July 14, 1912—Borrowed from Treasurer, Diocese of Kansas City, on promissory note.....	\$228.15
January 9, 1913—Borrowed from Treasurer, Diocese of Kansas City, on due bill.....	625.00
	————— \$853.15
April 26—Paid promissory note to Diocese.....	\$228.15
Outstanding Obligations:	
Due bill to Diocese of Kansas City.....	625.00
	————— \$853.15

Respectfully submitted,

H. L. ARNOLD,  
Treasurer Trustees' Parochial Trust Fund.

**Kansas City, Mo., May 8, 1913.**

*To the Diocesan Council, Diocese of Kansas City:*

## RECEIPTS.

May 9.	By Cash on hand, as per statement.....	\$ 515.87
July 2.	By Interest on Kansas City Elevated Railway Company bonds to July 1, 1912 .....	100.00
Aug. 14.	By Interest due August 1, 1912, on loan to Prosser Pre- paratory School .....	216.00
Aug. 14.	By Principal of loan to Prosser Preparatory School....	7,200.00
Aug. 14.	By August 1, 1912, to September 14, 1912, interest on above loan .....	51.60
Dec. 2.	By Interest due December 1, 1912, on loans to R. A. Lucas .....	137.50
Dec. 30.	By Interest due January 1, 1913, on bonds of K. C. Ele- vated Railway Co. ....	100.00

Jan. 28. By Interest due February 1, 1913, on loan to Sarah J. and Henry Wilkerson .....	61.87
Total . . . . .	<u>\$8,382.84</u>

June 27.	To Check, H. L. Arnold, Treasurer.....	\$ 515.87
July 19.	To Check, H. L. Arnold, Treasurer.....	100.00
Aug. 17.	To loan to Sarah J. and Henry Wilkerson.....	2,250.00
Aug. 17.	To 16 days' accrued interest on above loan, August 1, 1912, to August 17, 1912, at 5½ % .....	5.50
Aug. 17.	To loan to R. A. Lucas .....	5,000.00
Aug. 17.	To 2 months 16 days accrued interest on loan to R. A. Lucas, June 1, 1912, to August 17, 1912, at 5½ % ...	58.05

May 8. To cash on hand .....	453.42
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Total . . . . .	\$8,382.84

I have also on hand papers in connection with the two following Real Estate Loans, viz.: No. 12010, R. A. Lucas, and No. 8017, Sarah J.



and Henry Wilkerson. These were taken as a reinvestment of the Real Estate Loan mentioned in my last report, viz Prosser Preparatory School, Kansas City, Mo., for \$7,200.00, and which was paid off on August 14, 1912. Besides these two Real Estate Loans above mentioned I hold for this Fund five \$1,000 bonds, with coupons attached, of the Kansas City Elevated Railway Co.; these five bonds being the gift of the late Mr. J. C. Horton.

Very respectfully submitted,  
JAMES MAKENZIE, *Treasurer.*

On motion it was resolved that the interest and bonus on the Permanent Episcopal Fund, amounting to \$453.42, be added to the General Fund of the Diocese.

The Tellers and Deputies reported the second ballot with the following vote. Total number of votes cast, 49:

The Rev. E. H. Eckel.....	31	Mr. F. A. H. Garlicks . . . .	24
The Rev. C. A. Weed.....	13	Mr. Phil R. Toll . . . . .	21
The Rev. C. R. Taylor.....	4	Mr. C. B. Swan.....	2
The Rev. D. H. Atwill.....	1	Mr. L. T. Golding .....	2

**Mr. Eckel announced that he declined to serve as deputy.**

**On motion the Council again proceeded to ballot for one clerical and one lay deputy.**

In view of the withdrawal of Mr. Eckel's name, the Rev. Oscar Homburger was nominated to make the total number of nominees eight.

Mr. Arnold presented the report of the Board of Equalization.

#### REPORT OF THE BOARD OF EQUALIZATION.

The Board of Equalization reports that it has held several meetings during the year and that it has adopted the following Budget and Tables of Assessment and Apportionment, which it herewith respectfully presents to the Council.

SIDNEY C. PARTRIDGE, *Chairman.*

H. L. ARNOLD, *Treasurer:*

#### BUDGET FOR 1913-14

For Bishop:	
Salary. . . . .	\$3,600.00
Traveling Expenses . . . . .	600.00
Interest on Episcopal Residence . . . . .	900.00
For Secretary of the Diocese:	
Salary . . . . .	150.00
Printing and Mailing 500 Diocesan Journals... . . . .	300.00

Postage . . . . .	\$ 25.00
Printing New Constitution and Canons . . . . .	125.00
For Treasurer of the Diocese:	
Clerk . . . . .	120.00
Postage . . . . .	25.00
Mileage, Diocesan Council . . . . .	40.00
On Account Bishop and Deputies to General Convention . . . . .	200.00
For General Convention, based on number of clergy . . . . .	25.00
Contingent Fund . . . . .	100.00
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	\$6,270.00

## ESTIMATED INCOME.

Assessment, 14½% of current expenses . . . . .	\$7,493.51
Interest from invested funds . . . . .	72.00
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	\$7,565.51
Rebate of 10% availed of, estimated . . . . .	\$350.00
Delinquencies, estimated . . . . .	975.00
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	\$1,325.00
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	\$6,240.51

## DIOCESAN ASSESSMENT.

PLACE.	Current Expenses 1911-12.	14½% Assessment 1913-14	After 10% Discount
Aurora . . . . .	\$.....	\$ 1.00	\$ 1.00
Boonville . . . . .	.....	1.00	1.00
Brookfield . . . . .	202.25	29.32	26.39
Brunswick . . . . .	.....	1.00	1.00
Butler . . . . .	.....	1.00	1.00
Cameron . . . . .	.....	1.00	1.00
Carrollton . . . . .	40.00	5.80	5.22
Carthage . . . . .	1,416.08	205.33	184.80
Chillicothe . . . . .	691.97	100.33	90.30
Clinton . . . . .	400.00	58.00	52.20
Fayette . . . . .	29.63	4.29	3.87
Hamilton . . . . .	.....	1.00	1.00
Harrisonville . . . . .	.....	1.00	1.00
Holden . . . . .	.....	1.00	1.00
Independence . . . . .	875.00	126.87	114.19
Joplin . . . . .	1,459.75	211.66	190.50
Kansas City—			
Grace . . . . .	4,992.82	723.95	651.56
St. Augustine's . . . . .	650.00	94.25	84.83
St. George's . . . . .	5,589.80	810.52	729.47
St. John's . . . . .	1,572.73	228.04	205.24
St. Mark's . . . . .	2,140.12	310.31	279.27

St. Mary's .....	\$ 2,895.74	\$ 419.88	\$ 377.90
St. Paul's .....	10,153.54	1,472.26	1,325.04
Trinity .....	3,669.00	532.00	478.80
Lamar .....	338.55	49.00	44.18
Lebanon .....	60.73	8.80	7.92
Lee's Summit .....	.....	1.00	1.00
Marshall .....	502.00	72.79	65.52
Maryville .....	.....	1.00	1.00
Monett .....	154.00	22.33	20.10
Mountain Grove .....	.....	1.00	1.00
Neosho .....	290.50	42.12	37.91
Nevada .....	120.00	17.40	15.66
Oswald .....	191.04	27.70	24.93
Plattsburg .....	.....	1.00	1.00
Pleasant Hill .....	.....	1.00	1.00
St. Joseph—			
Christ Church .....	6,364.32	922.82	830.54
Holy Trinity .....	535.00	77.57	69.82
St. Luke's .....	.....	1.00	1.00
St. Matthias's .....	44.90	6.51	5.86
Savannah .....	.....	1.00	1.00
Sedalia .....	1,725.88	250.25	225.23
Springfield—			
Christ Church .....	2,010.52	291.52	262.37
St. John's .....	1,265.58	183.50	165.15
Trenton .....	5.46	1.00	1.00
Warrensburg .....	600.00	87.00	78.30
Webb City .....	.....	1.00	1.00
West Plains .....	582.01	84.39	75.96
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	\$51,565.92	\$7,493.51	\$6,745.99

## APPORTIONMENT DIOCESAN CHURCH EXTENSION.

PLACE.	Rate Per Com- municant.	Appor- tion- ment.	Appor- tionment General Missions.
Boonville .....	\$0.50	\$ 35.00	\$ 60.00
Brookfield .....	.50	34.50	35.50
Brunswick .....	.50	2.50	3.50
Butler .....	.50	3.50	4.50
Cameron .....	.50	5.00	19.50
Carrollton .....	.50	6.00	7.00
Carthage .....	1.00	148.00	167.00
Chillicothe .....	1.00	129.00	120.00
Clinton .....	.50	15.00	16.00
Fayette .....	.50	19.50	20.50
Hamilton .....	.50	2.50	3.50

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Harrisonville . . . . .	\$ .50	\$ 15.00	\$ 16.00
Higginsville . . . . .	.50	4.50	12.50
Independence . . . . .	1.00	60.00	78.50
Joplin . . . . .	1.00	127.00	122.00
Kansas City—			
Grace . . . . .	1.25	595.00	795.50
St. Augustine's . . . . .	.50	72.00	74.00
St. George's . . . . .	1.00	529.00	664.50
St. John's . . . . .	.50	96.50	216.50
St. Simon's . . . . .	.50	1.50	3.00
St. Mark's . . . . .	.75	120.00	169.00
St. Mary's . . . . .	.75	134.25	220.00
St. Paul's . . . . .	1.25	615.00	<del>1142.00</del>
Trinity . . . . .	1.00	<del>100.00</del>	452.50
• Lamar . . . . .	.50	16.00	21.50
Lebanon . . . . .	.50	14.00	22.00
Lee's Summit . . . . .	.50	5.00	6.00
Lexington . . . . .	.50	18.50	55.00
Liberty . . . . .	.50	5.00	9.00
Marshall . . . . .	.50	18.50	38.00
Maryville . . . . .	.50	10.50	12.55
Monett . . . . .	.50	10.00	26.50
Mountain Grove . . . . .	.50	10.00	39.50
Neosho . . . . .	.50	23.50	35.50
Navada . . . . .	.75	37.50	56.00
Oswald . . . . .	.50	15.00	27.00
Plattsburg . . . . .	.50	7.50	8.50
Pleasant Hill . . . . .	.50	10.00	4.45
Richmond . . . . .	.50	4.50	6.50
Savannah . . . . .	.50	5.00	6.00
Sedalia . . . . .	1.00	181.00	172.50
Springfield—			
Christ Church . . . . .	1.25	220.00	272.50
St. John's . . . . .	.80	160.00	229.00
Stansberry . . . . .	.50	3.00	4.00
St. Joseph—			
Christ Church . . . . .	1.20	690.00	784.00
Holy Trinity . . . . .	.50	40.00	75.50
St. Luke's . . . . .	.50	10.00	11.00
St. Matthias's . . . . .	.50	10.50	11.50
Trenton . . . . .	.50	12.00	15.00
Utica, Trinity . . . . .	.50	2.50	.....
Warrensburg . . . . .	1.00	31.00	39.50
Webb City . . . . .	.50	10.00	29.50
West Plains . . . . .	.50	17.50	31.00
Non-reported . . . . .	.....	108.00	.....
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		\$4,784.25	\$6,172.00

On motion by Mr. Arnold it was resolved the Treasurer should pay out of the General Fund to each Deputy who shall attend the General Convention the sum of \$50.00; also to the Bishop \$100.00 for traveling expenses, and the Treasurer of the General Convention, not exceeding \$75.00 as our Diocesan assessment.

The Tellers brought in the report of the third ballot for Deputies to the General Convention. Total votes cast for clergy, 45.

The Rev. C. A. Weed.....28	The Rev. F. F. Beckerman..... 3
The Rev. C. R. Taylor..... 5	The Rev. D. H. Atwill..... 1
The Rev. Oscar Homburger..... 5	

The votes cast for laymen, 44.

Mr. F. A. H. Garlich.....20	Mr. C. B. Swan..... 2
Mr. Phil R. Toll.....14	Mr. F. L. Forlow..... 1
Mr. L. T. Golding..... 7	

**The Rev. C. A. Weed declared elected Clerical Deputy.**

**The Council proceeded to cast the fourth ballot for one lay deputy.**

The Rev. C. A. Weed asks for the seating of the delegate from the Church of the Good Shepherd, said Church having been admitted to union with the Council.

Request was granted and Mr. H. M. Beal, from the Church of the Good Shepherd, was seated as a member of the Council.

On motion the report of the Board of Equalization upon assessments was made a special order of the day for 10:30 A. M. on Wednesday.

Report of Tellers after fourth ballot for one lay deputy. Total votes cast, 42:

Mr. F. A. H. Garlich..... 25	Mr. L. T. Golding..... 3
Mr. Phil R. Toll.....11	Mr. F. L. Forlow..... 1
Mr. C. B. Swan..... 2	

Mr. Garlich declared elected.

At 5:30 the Council adjourned until 10:00 o'clock on Wednesday.

## SECOND DAY.

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Holy Communion was celebrated at St. Paul's Church, Wednesday morning at 7:30 o'clock, and Morning Prayer was read at 9:30 o'clock.

The Council convened at 10:00 o'clock.

The Secretary read his report of the minutes of Tuesday's session.

On motion by the Rev. E. H. Eckel, Mr. F. E. Vancil, from St. Luke's, St. Joseph, was seated as a delegate.

The Rev. J. D. Ritchey read the report of the Committee on the State of the Church.

### REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE STATE OF THE CHURCH.

Your Committee on the State of the Church feel that they have little to say to a Council that has listened to the Bishop's Annual Address. The aims of the Church in this Diocese and its needs, and the particular points at which energy and devotion should be aimed are, there, so clearly and forcefully set forth that we feel that any lengthy report on the State of the Church from us would rather to obscure the issue and dissipate energy than otherwise.

Since the Council has ordered the Bishop's Address printed and put into the hands of every clergyman in the Diocese, with the Council's direct request that he read it to those committed to his charge, we wish to adopt this address, so communicated to the people, as our report, and commend it to the prayerful consideration of all the people of the Diocese.

Respectfully submitted,

J. D. RITCHEY.

The Chair announced November 9th, the twenty-fifth Sunday after Trinity, as the day for the special intercession for the Diocese.

The report of the committee on the missionary traveling expenses was presented, showing a total of \$37.95 as the traveling expense report.

On motion it was resolved that a warrant be drawn upon the Treasurer to pay the items in this report.

A wire having been received from Dr. Brady, it was read by the Chair.

Mount Vernon, N. Y.

*Carl Reed Taylor:*

I deeply appreciate Council's resolution. God bless and prosper the beloved Diocese of Kansas City.

CYRUS TOWNSEND BRADY.

On motion it was resolved that the message of Dr. Brady be incorporated in the minutes.

On motion it was moved by the Rev. E. H. Eckel, and seconded, that the Committee on the State of Church be dropped from the list of committees and appointed annually by the chair. The Rev. D. H. Atwill moved as an amendment that the Committee on Sunday Schools and the Committee on Christian Education be also discontinued.

On motion it was resolved that this subject be postponed and that the subject of the day be taken up.

Moved and seconded that the Budget be taken up item by item for discussion. Carried.

On motion by Mr. B. C. Howard, duly seconded, it was resolved that the Budget of 1913-14 of \$6,270.00 be adopted.

On motion by the Rev. C. A. Weed it was resolved that the report of the Board of Equalization be adopted on the assessments and apportionments.

Mr. A. D. Johnson states that St. Mark's had withdrawn her request for abatement of assessment presented yesterday.

The Chair announces the adoption of the report of the Board of Equalization as accepted.

The Bishop led the Council in noonday prayer for missions.

Mr. B. C. Howard, Treasurer of the Board of Missions, presented his report as Treasurer of the Board.

## REPORT OF TREASURER OF BOARD OF MISSIONS.

### RECEIPTS.

#### *Donations—*

Christ Church, St. Joseph, in memory of Constance	
F. Runcie .....	\$ 10.00
Mr. William H. Chapman.....	100.00

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Sunday School Advent Offering from St. Simon's Nursery House, Kansas City (Colored).....	\$ 1.29	
Sunday School Advent Offering from St. Matthias Mission, St. Joseph (Colored).....	1.65	
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Total Donations . . . . .		\$112.94
General Board of Missions . . . . .		\$3,000.00
Interest on Bank Balances . . . . .		7.27
Interest on Trust Funds . . . . .		80.00
Women's Auxiliary—		
Christ Church, St. Joseph . . . . .	75.00	
Grace Church, Kansas City . . . . .	5.00	
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Total from Women's Auxiliary . . . . .		80.00
Women's Diocesan Society—		
Springfield . . . . .	5.85	5.85
Special Donations for St. Simon's Nursery House, Kansas City (Colored)—		
Armour & Co. . . . .	\$ 10.00	
Chas. D. Mill . . . . .	5.00	
Emma F. Meyer . . . . .	10.00	
R. A. Long . . . . .	10.00	
Robert Keith . . . . .	2.00	
Commerce Trust Company . . . . .	5.00	
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Total . . . . .		42.00
Trinity Mission, Lebanon, for Apportionment for General Missions . . . . .		23.00
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## DISBURSEMENTS.

Expense, Collecting Advent Mite Box Offering.....	\$ 77.95
Archdeacon Account . . . . .	1,800.00
General Expense Account . . . . .	8.75
Traveling Expense, Members of Board . . . . .	8.20
Brookfield, Grace Parish . . . . .	100.00
Independence, Trinity Parish . . . . .	240.00
Joplin District, General Work, to December 30, 1912.....	166.68
Kansas City, Holy Spirit Mission . . . . .	200.00
Kansas City, St. Augustine's Mission . . . . .	600.00
Kansas City, St. John's Mission . . . . .	300.00
Kansas City, St. Simon's Rent Account.....	300.00
Kansas City, St. Simon's Stipend Account.....	200.00
Lamar, Trinity Mission . . . . .	300.00
Lexington, Christ Church Parish, to September 30, 1912.....	52.11
Liberty, Grace Mission . . . . .	150.00
Marshall, Trinity Mission . . . . .	375.00



Neosho, St. John's Mission, to October 31, 1912.....	\$ 100.00
St. Joseph, St. Matthias's Mission .....	300.00
Warrensburg, Christ Church Parish, to September 30, 1912.....	280.00
Webb City, St. Paul's Parish .....	608.70
West Plains, All Saints' Mission .....	420.00
Special Donation for St. Simon's Nursery House (Colored).....	42.00
General Board of Missions for Trinity Mission, Lebanon.....	23.00
Overdraft, April 30, 1912 .....	246.22
Balance, April 30, 1913 .....	289.53
<b>Total Disbursements .....</b>	<b>\$7,209.14</b>

## SUMMARY.

## RECEIPTS.

Donations .....	\$ 112.94
Interest on Bank Balance .....	7.27
Interest on Trust Funds .....	80.00
Woman's Auxiliary .....	80.00
Women's Diocesan Society .....	5.85
Special for St. Simon's Nursery House.....	42.00
Special for General Board of Missions.....	23.00
Apportionments .....	3,858.08
General Board of Missions .....	3,000.00
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	\$7,209.14

## DISBURSEMENTS.

Mission Work .....	\$6,647.39
Special to St. Simon's Nursery Home.....	42.00
Special to General Board of Missions.....	23.00
Overdraft on May 1, 1912.....	246.22
Balance on hand April 30, 1913.....	250.53
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	\$7,209.14

Respectfully submitted,  
B. C. HOWARD, *Treasurer.*

The Rev. R. H. Mize of St. Paul's Church, Kansas City, Kansas, was present at the Council.

At 12:30 o'clock the report of the Treasurer of the Board of Missions still being under consideration, the house adjourned until 1:30 o'clock to again consider such report.

1:30 P. M.

The Council re-convened at 1:30 o'clock.

The Treasurer of the Board of Missions resumed the reading of his report.

The Rev. John Bennett of Kansas City, Kansas, was present at the Council.

On motion by the Rev. R. J. Belt, it was resolved that the Bishop and Secretary of the Diocese condense and print such portions of the report of the Treasurer of the Board of Missions in the Journal as they deem wise.

The Bishop appointed the Rev. J. Stewart-Smith, the Rev. C. A. Weed and the Rev. E. C. Johnson to draw up resolutions regarding the death of the Rev. Dr. Chas. H. Bohn.

On motion a vote of thanks was unanimously extended to Mr. Howard for his report as Treasurer of the Board of Missions.

Mr. J. V. B. Ellard moved that the Treasurer of the Board of Missions receive from this diocese \$120.00 per year for the expenses of his office. Seconded.

The Rev. J. Stewart-Smith moved that the matter be referred to the Board of Missions and they be empowered to award such sums to the Treasurer as they see fit. Seconded and carried.

The Bishop made the following statement of the lay delegates and alternates at the General Convention.

*Deputies—*

THE REV. J. STEWART-SMITH,	MR. A. C. STOWELL,
THE REV. J. D. RITCHEY, D. D.	MR. D. H. SMITH,
THE REV. R. N. SPENCER,	MR. B. C. HOWARD,
THE REV. C. A. WEED.	MR. F. A. H. GARLICH.

*Alternates—*

THE REV. C. R. TAYLOR,	MR. PHIL R. TOLL,
THE REV. D. H. ATWILL,	MR. L. T. GOLDING,
THE REV. F. F. BECKERMAN,	MR. C. B. SWAN,
THE REV. OSCAR HOMBERGER.	MR. F. L. FORLOW.

The Rev. E. H. Eckel presented the report of the Commission on Constitution and Canons.

Referring to the Constitution, as printed in the Journal of 1912, commencing on page 83, he moved the passage of Article 1. Seconded.

Mr. A. C. Stowell presented a resolution modifying Article 1, which resolution was duly seconded.

On the vote the modification of Article 1 was lost.

Mr. A. C. Stowell moved that wherever in the Constitution occurred the words "Diocese of Kansas City," the words "Diocese of St. Joseph" be inserted.

On motion the resolution was laid on the table.

Mr. Thomas Knight moved the Constitution be adopted as a whole, as it is printed in the Journal of 1912, excepting the typographical errors. Seconded.

It being shown that Article 17 must be adopted first, it was so adopted by unanimous vote.

The resolution to adopt the Constitution as a whole carried.

On motion by the Rev. J. Stewart-Smith it was resolved that these Canons and Constitutions be not printed in the next Journal.

On motion by the Rev. J. S. Smith it was resolved that the word Mission, Article III, Section 1, Section 2; Article IV, Section 4, Section 5; Articles XII, XV, XVI, Section 2; Article XVII, Section 1, Section 2, and wherever else it may occur in the Constitution, be changed to Organized Congregation to conform to the language of the Canons.

The Rev. E. H. Eckel moved as an amendment to the Constitution that Sections 1 and 2, in Articles V and VI, be consolidated. Seconded and carried.

Mr. C. H. Childs moved that we do not desire another session of the Diocesan Council until November, 1914. Seconded and carried.

On motion by Mr. B. C. Howard it was resolved that if, in the opinion of the ecclesiastical authorities of the Diocese an emergency exists, within the meaning of the Constitution of the Diocese, which will convene the holding of an annual Council in the fall of the year 1913, then all assessments and apportionments should be decreased one-half of the amount of such assessments and apportionments, and if such emergency does not exist, then such assessments and apportionments shall be increased one-half.

The Bishop ruled that the Council will not be called until November, 1914.

The Bishop ruled that all elections, such as vestry elections, will depend upon the holding of the Council; that is, Parish meetings will not be held until the fall of 1914.

On motion the Secretary was instructed to cast the ballot of the Council for the present members of the Board of Missions. The ballot was cast and the following declared elected:

THE RIGHT REVEREND THE BISHOP, <i>Ex-Officio, President,</i>	
THE REV. J. D. RITCHEY, D. D.,	MR. B. J. FRADENBURG.
THE REV. E. H. ECKEL.	MR. F. A. H. GARLICH.
THE REV. CHAS. A. WEED,	MR. P. A. SIMONDS,
THE REV. R. N. SPENCER,	MR. W. F. EVES,
THE REV. F. F. BECKERMAN,	MR. B. B. LEE,
THE REV. D. H. ATWILL,	MR. B. C. HOWARD, <i>Treasurer,</i>
	Commerce Trust Co.

Mr. A. C. Stowell reports for St. Luke's Hospital verbally, announcing the enlargement of the building and emphasizing the Diocesan character of the institution. Mr. Thomas Knight moved that this Council recommend that both its Clerical and lay members make an advocacy of its claims and commendation of its work to every congregation of this Diocese. Seconded and carried.

On motion it was resolved that the Secretary be instructed to cast the ballot of the Council for the following clergy and laymen as delegates to the Missionary Council of the Seventh District.

THE REV. J. D. RITCHEY, D. D.	MR. A. C. STOWELL.
THE REV. J. STEWART-SMITH.	MR. B. B. LEE.
THE REV. C. A. WEED.	MR. PHIL R. TOLL.
THE REV. E. H. ECKEL.	MR. L. T. GOLDING.

The Bishop was authorized to secure alternates if those elected could not go.

The Rev. J. D. Ritchey reports the Standing Committee has organized, with the Rev. J. Stewart-Smith, president, and himself Secretary.

On motion by Mr. A. C. Stowell, the Treasurer of the Diocese was authorized to borrow such sums as may be necessary to carry on the work of the Diocese up to the amount of \$2,000.00.

On motion the Treasurer of the Board of Missions was

authorized to borrow such sums as may be necessary to carry on the work of the Board of Missions up to the sum of \$2,000.00.

The Chair presented an appeal from the Association of the Chaplains of the military and naval forces of the United States.

On motion by the Rev. E. H. Eckel, it was resolved that the Council adopt resolutions as submitted.

The Secretary presented the subject of the Diocesan Social Service Commission. On motion by the Rev. E. H. Eckel it was resolved that the chair appoint a committee to act as temporary Social Service Commission for the Diocese and make its report at the next Council.

A communication was received from the Rev. J. M. Koehler on the work among the deaf and dumb. On motion, it was resolved that this communication be left in the hands of the Bishop and the Secretary to print such portions as they deem wise.

On motion the Bishop and the Standing Committee on Sunday Schools were asked to appoint five delegates for the meeting of the Sunday Schools of the Southwest department.

On motion by Mr. B. C. Howard, it was resolved that the Bishop and the Rev. E. H. Eckel constitute a committee of two to take up the necessary changes in the Diocesan Seal.

On motion, it was resolved that the Chancellor draw up resolutions to memorialize the General Convention about changes in our Constitution and Canons.

It was moved that the Chancellor be asked to notify the Bishop as to just when the new Constitution goes into effect. Seconded. The Rev. E. H. Eckel moved that the question be referred to the Bishop and the Standing Committee. Seconded. Amendment accepted and carried.

The Bishop announces the appointment of the following boards:

THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE PERMANENT FUND FOR  
THE SUPPORT OF THE EPISCOPATE.

MR. C. H. CHILDS,  
MR. E. F. SWINNEY,

MR. JAMES MACKENZIE, Treasurer.  
R. A. Long Bldg., Kansas City, Mo.

THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE FUND FOR THEOLOGICAL  
EDUCATION.THE RIGHT REV. THE BISHOP OF THE DIOCESE.  
THE TREASURER OF THE DIOCESE.

THE REV. R. N. SPENCER.

MR. F. M. HAYWARD.

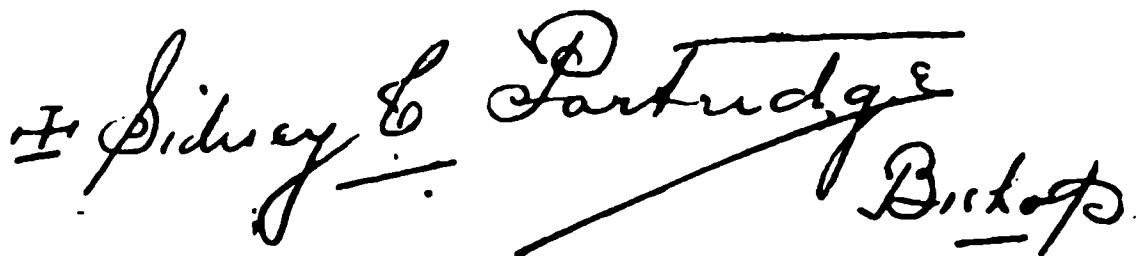
MR. FREDERICK A. SMITH.

On motion by the Rev. E. H. Eckel, it was resolved that under the provisions of the Constitution, the Bishop be left to fix the place of the next meeting.

On motion by the Rev. J. S. Smith, it was resolved that the thanks of the Council be extended to the Rector, Church Wardens and Vestrymen of St. Paul's Church and the ladies of St. Paul's for their hospitality and delightful entertainment of us.

On motion, it was resolved the usual honorarium of \$5.00 be given the sexton of St. Paul's Church.

On motion it was resolved that after prayer and benediction of the Bishop, we now adjourn.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Sidney C. Partridge" followed by "Bishop" on a new line. The signature is written in dark ink.

Attest:

CARL REED TAYLOR, Secretary.

**PAROCHIAL DIRECTORY.**

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**BOONVILLE.****CHRIST CHURCH**

Organized 1840

**Wardens**—S. W. Ravenal, Senior Warden, Dr G. A. Russell, Junior Warden.

**Secretary**—Fred Sombart, Boonville, Mo.

**Treasurer**—C. P. Gott, Boonville, Mo.

**Vestrymen**—S. W. Ravenal, G. A. Russell, Fred Sombart, C. P. Gott, W. S. Stephens, Fred Sauter, M. E. Schmidt, G. T. Irvine and W. Mc-Aaron.

*Re. Rev. and Dear Sir.* The Parish having been without a rector practically since February, 1910, the late Mr S. C. Walton being unable to attend to the duties from that time until his death a few months later, the vestry having exhausted all their efforts in trying to secure a rector, have made no provision for keeping up a subscription the past year, and there will be no effort made along this line until we are assured a pastor.

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**CARROLLTON.****ST. PAUL'S CHURCH.**

Organized 1873.

**Wardens**—Roy H. Monier, Senior Warden; Arthur Phillips, Junior Warden.

**Secretary**—Jay W. Higginbottom, Carrollton, Mo.

**Treasurer**—Jay W. Higginbottom, Carrollton, Mo.

**Vestrymen**—W. P. McClendon, Jay W. Higginbottom, Arthur Phillips and Roy H. Monier.

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**CARTHAGE.****GRACE CHURCH.**

**Rector**—John Oliphant, Carthage, Mo.

**Wardens**—Maurice C. Conkey, Albert L. Caulkins.

**Secretary**—Maurice C. Conkey, Carthage, Mo.

**Treasurer**—D. J. Wells, Carthage, Mo.

**Vestrymen**—C. R. Bishop, H. W. Blair, M. W. Caffee, Richard Tulford, Frank Oliver, John O'Keefe, D. G. Wells.

**CHILLICOTHE.****GRACE CHURCH.**

Organized 1858.

Rector—Oscar Homburger, Grace Rectory, 425 Elm Street.

Wardens—A. McVey, Dr. R. Barney.

Secretary—Karl U. Sherman, 509 Vine Street.

Treasurer—Allan J. McDowell, 1003 Vine Street.

Vestrymen—A. McVey, Dr. R. Barney, A. J. McDowell, K. U. Sherman,  
G. B. Sherman, W. W. Voelker, C. B. Swan, F. H. Harris, J. F.  
Hawley, F. A. Hawley, W. E. Walsh, R. Nuttall.

*Rt. Rev. and Dear Sir:* We are glad to be able to report that the parish is progressing well. During the past year we have built and equipped a fine parish house, which would be a credit to a parish considerably larger than ours. Mrs. Martha Hardy Leeper headed the subscription for a large sum, and the building is, therefore, known as the Andrew Leeper Memorial Parish House. We have also established a fine little chapel, well fitted up. The altar could not be reproduced very easily, as this, as well as the new altar and reredos in the church, is built of solid walnut. We have also installed a solid brass sanctuary lamp, made according to our own design. Besides these improvements and a number of other minor ones, we have had a cellar dug under the church, and a very fine furnace put in, to replace the old stoves. The sanctuary has also been enlarged. Altogether we have made improvements to the value of nearly \$7,000. Spiritually the parish is also advancing, the Sunday School enrollment has doubled and the average attendance has trebled, likewise many of the children now stay to church, their attendance at the early celebration on Sunday being especially satisfactory. There has also been a slight increase in attendance on the part of the adults, though this can stand considerable further improvement. The rector has visited a number of the neighboring towns to minister to isolated church people and to hold them to their allegiance to Holy Church. These persons are now added to our rolls.

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**FAYETTE.****ST. MARY'S CHURCH.**

Organized 1847.

Wardens—I. H. Pearson, John Talbot.

Secretary—Harry Nutt, Fayette, Mo.

Treasurer—Miss Nell Potts, Fayette, Mo.

Vestrymen—I. H. Pearson, John Talbot, Harry Nutt and Robert Jacobi.



## INDEPENDENCE.

## TRINITY CHURCH.

Organized as a Mission, 1844; as a Parish, 1855.

Rector—John Venton Plunkett, 729 No. Delaware St., Independence, Mo.

Wardens—Mark S. Salisbury, F. C. Florance.

Secretary—E. B. Loveland, 113 E. Ruby Street, Independence, Mo.

Treasurer—F. C. Florance, 205 W. Ruby Street, Independence, Mo.

Vestrymen—Mark S. Salisbury, F. C. Florance, E. B. Loveland, Richard C. Peacock, Walter Brown, D. B. Davis, Thos. Knight, Sr., C. W. Lyon and C. M. Winton.

*Rt. Rev. and Dear Sir:* During the Diocesan year just ended Trinity Church has reorganized the defunct Sunday School with a membership of forty, including teachers and scholars. Practically in every department of the parochial work the foundation had to be relaid and built up from the bottom. The parish is now perfectly in harmony, and the prospects for future advancement are good.

I am, Rt. Rev. Sir,

Sincerely yours,

JOHN V. PLUNKETT.

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 JOPLIN.

## ST. PHILIP'S CHURCH.

Wardens—Hayward Scott, Senior; E. Webster, Junior, Joplin, Mo.

Secretary—Frank M. Sharp, Joplin, Mo.

Treasurer—E. Webster, 216 W. Fourth Street, Joplin, Mo.

Vestrymen—H. H. Gregg, P. B. Crosby, Hayward Scott, Frank M. Sharp, C. C. Spencer, Dr. A. R. Snyder, Frederick S. Cook and E. Webster.

*Rt. Rev. and Dear Sir:* Our floating debt of \$1,779.70 will be paid by the guilds and vestry this year. A part of the vestry pay the interest on the bonded debt. We are very much in need of a rector. We have a good church building. A comfortable 7-room rectory and small parish house, now finished. The vestry can collect and pay for current about \$200.00 per month; \$100.00 for rector's salary and \$100.00 for music and other expenses. Very truly yours,

E. WEBSTER, Junior Warden.

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 KANSAS CITY.

## GRACE CHURCH.

Organized 1870.

Curate—Henry R. Remsen.

Warden—H. D. Ashley

Secretary—E. M. Clendening.

Treasurer—L. R. Moore, Jr.

ST. GEORGE'S CHURCH.

2917 Tracy Avenue, Kansas City, Mo.

Organized March 23, 1891.

Rector—Cyrus Townsend Brady, D. D. (until April 15, 1913).

Wardens—Albert C. Stowell, Rector's; F. M. Hayward, Vestry's.

Secretary—W. L. Richards, 3912 Manheim Road, Kansas City, Mo.

Treasurer—William Mendenhall, 3125 Woodland Ave., Kansas City, Mo.

Treasurer (Missionary)—George Wise, 814 Linwood Boulevard.

Financial Secretary—Clement Stott.

Vestrymen—L. C. Boyle, F. C. Broadway, L. E. Coles, J. V. B. Ellard, B. C. Howard, Joseph W. Howard, M. D., A. W. Peet, W. A. Remfry, O. P. Smith and above officers

*Rt. Rev. and Dear Sir:* Mention should be made of two Bible classes for adults, with an average attendance of sixty.

The Reverend Cyrus Townsend Brady, D. D., having resigned the rectorate of this parish on April 15, 1913, to become the rector of Ascension Church, Mount Vernon, New York, and the vestry having given him leave of absence from April 1, the parish has been served by a locum tenens since that time.

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ST. MARK'S CHURCH.

Rector—L. A. C. Pitcaithly, 925 Prospect Avenue.

Wardens—T. C. Brady, Ivor Caleb.

Secretary—C. R. Hall, 523 Olive Street.

Treasurer—I. H. Hills, 3300 East Tenth Street.

Vestrymen—Clem Whittaker, C. R. Hall, A. D. Johnson, I. H. Hills, Kyle W. Leeds.

*Rt. Rev. and Dear Sir:* We were without a rector from November 1 to April 1, during which time we were able to hold services almost every Sunday. First with the aid of a lay reader and later through the kindness and assistance of our Bishop and Rev. Mr. Remsen of Grace Church. Since April 1, Rev. L. A. C. Pitcaithly has been our rector, and we feel greatly encouraged with the outlook. We are confident that with God's help St. Mark's will increase and prosper.

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ST. MARY'S CHURCH.

Organized December 14, 1857.

Rector—J. Stewart-Smith, 1307 Holmes Street.

Wardens—Thomas Pain, Edward C. Hamill.

Secretary—Aubrey P. Devereux.

Treasurer—Frederick A. Smith.

Vestrymen—Henry L. Jost, J. S. Smith and Harry Schroeder.

*Rt. Rev. and Dear Sir.* It is impossible to give definite figures as to the numerical strength of St. Mary's Parish, on account of the shifting character of our congregation, by actual count just 80 per cent of all the Occasional Offices have been for those too loosely connected with the parish to be claimed, and yet who turn to it in time of need; only three or four children in the Sunday School come from families of church people. Our whole district is given over to rooming houses and apartments, and is hence a transient population.

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#### ST. PAUL'S CHURCH

Organized May 5, 1891.

Rector—J. D. Ritchey, 4010 Walnut Street.

Wardens—Walton H. Holmes, Senior, C. W. Armour, Junior

Secretary—P. A. Simonds, 4020 Warwick Boulevard

Treasurer—T. J. Brodnax, Board of Trade Building.

Vestrymen—Edward George, J. G. Grooves, John Fennelly, V. W. Gayle, M. D., P. J. Simonds, H. L. Arnold, Gardiner Lathrop, B. B. Lee, F. S. Young, J. L. Loose, T. J. Brodnax, Phil R. Toll, W. M. Reid.

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#### TRINITY CHURCH.

Organized April 23, 1883.

Rector—Robert Nelson Spencer, 2622 Olive Street.

Wardens—John T. Harding, John Gosling.

Secretary—Thomas U. Kendall, 3327 Olive Street.

Treasurer—F. B. Mertsheimer, 1019 Commerce Building.

Vestrymen—Charles H. Childs, W. M. Federmann, Albert White, Wm. Cooper, Joseph T. Davis, J. C. Fuller, R. H. Schmalfeldt, Solomon Stoddard, J. Roy Gregg, Jas. R. Duff.

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#### LEXINGTON.

##### CHRIST CHURCH.

Rector—Chas. A. Weed, 29 East 53d Street, Kansas City, Mo.

Wardens—J. F. Forster, J. W. Bills.

Secretary—Lucien Leseuer, Lexington, Mo.

Treasurer—J. W. Bills, Lexington, Mo.

Vestrymen—L. G. Neale, B. M. Little, W. A. Dunford, B. L. Wiley.

## NEVADA.

## ALL SAINTS' PARISH CHURCH.

Organized 1866.

Wardens—Henry Kraft, Jr., Senior Warden; F. B. George, Junior Warden.

Secretary—Twyman Harper, Nevada, Mo.

Treasurer—Robert Gabrielson, Nevada, Mo.

Vestrymen—Robert Gibrielson, C. O. Graves, F. B. George, Twyman Harper, H. R. Stevens, Henry Kraft, Jr.

*Rt. Rev. and Dear Sir:* At present our church building is undergoing repairs, which will take all the surplus money the parish has on hand. For that reason and also the reason that our property has been in such condition, we have not paid any of our assessments, and since there are no subscriptions coming in at the present time, we do not know when we can pay any. After our church is finished we expect to have Sunday School again as usual.

HENRY KRAFT, JR., Senior Warden.

## PLEASANT HILL.

## CALVARY CHURCH.

Missionary—Archdeacon Johnson, Kansas City, Mo.

Wardens—John Holloway, James Ainsworth.

Secretary—John Holloway, Pleasant Hill.

Treasurer—John Holloway, Pleasant Hill.

Vestrymen—John Holloway, James A. Ainsworth, William Kiddell, Irvine Holloway.

## ST. JOSEPH.

## CHRIST CHURCH.

Rector—Edward Henry Eckel, D. D., Christ Church Rectory, St. Joseph.

Wardens—Wm. R. Millan and Horace Stringfellow.

Secretary—Frank L. Endebrock, 2424 Lafayette Street.

Treasurer—Horace Stringfellow, 731 South Fourth Street.

Vestrymen—S. C. Cook, W. M. Cunningham, F. L. Endebrock, R. T. Forbes, F. A. H. Garlichs, C. L. Holland, Elliott Marshall, S. S. Oakford, L. P. Taylor and Horace Wood.

*Rt. Rev. and Dear Sir:* I am happy to report a marked awakening during the year, especially on the part of the men and boys of the parish. The organization of the Men's Club of Christ Church, the Livingstone Club and the Brotherhood of St. Paul, are due to this impulse.

Christ Church Women's Guild has invested at 6 per cent the sum of \$4,000 towards a new church, which the parish, with practical unanimity has come to desire and expect. This \$4,000 does not appear anywhere in the above financial report.

By virtue of a mutual agreement on the part of the corporation of Christ Church Parish, the "sub-vestry" of St. Luke's Mission and the Bishop of the Diocese, St. Luke's has been detached from Christ Church Parish and taken by the Bishop under his immediate jurisdiction as a "congregation" of the diocese.

I regret that only approximate figures can be given for some of the items under the head of Parochial Statistics, but after an earnest effort to reduce our lists to some degree of accuracy, it was found impossible to effect this purpose this year in time for this report.

EDWARD HENRY ECKEL.

### HOLY TRINITY CHURCH.

Organized 1881.

Missionary in Charge—Wm. S. D. Lamont, 1604 South Eleventh Street.

Wardens—John Howe, Fred W. Archer.

Secretary—Frank D. Keys.

Treasurer—Wm. J. Hardenstine, 1708 South Twelfth Street.

Vestrymen—John Howe, Fred W. Archer, F. D. Keys, C. F. Horan,  
Wm. J. Hardenstine, Chas Compton, F. A. Wilkins, John B. Jamieson, Chas. Shotwell, Thomas Brown.

### SEDALIA

### CALVARY CHURCH

Organized 1868.

Rector—Douglass Henry Atwill, 819 South Vermont.

Wardens—D. H. Smith, A. D. Stanley

Secretary—Wm. H. Powell, Jr., Citizens' National Bank.

Treasurer—C. C. Evans, Sedalia Trust Company

Vestrymen—D. H. Smith, A. D. Stanley, W. J. Maltby, E. W. Lamy,  
J. W. Mellor, C. M. Price, Ed Metcalf, W. H. Powell, Walter Morey.

**SPRINGFIELD.**

**CHRIST CHURCH.**

Organized 1861.

Rector—Frank F. Beckerman, 328 Kimbrough Street.

Wardens—James Blain, George H. McCann.

Secretary—John H. Syfan, 727 East Elm Street.

Treasurer—H. Z. Williams, 727 East Elm Street.

Vestrymen—Ernest Hudson, H. Z. Williams, E. C. Lilley, Joseph Williams and John H. Syfan.

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**ST. JOHN'S CHURCH.**

Wardens—E. L. Richardson, Senior Warden, Woodruff Building; X. Hawkins, Junior Warden.

Secretary—J. E. Hicks, 2060 Robberson Avenue.

Treasurer—T. K. Bowman, 311 Hovey Avenue.

Vestrymen—S. A. Dixon, C. A. Petterson, J. B. McBride, Fred Taylor.

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**WARRENSBURG.**

**CHRIST CHURCH.**

Organized May 28, 1868.

Wardens—Charles A. Shepard, W. B. Tuttle.

Secretary—Ewing Cockrell.

Treasurer—Miss Lillian Duffield.

Vestrymen—C. A. Shepard, W. B. Tuttle, Ewing Cockrell, John A. Wilson.

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**KANSAS CITY.**

**ST. AUGUSTINE'S MISSION.**

Organized 1882.

Missionary—Edward S. Willett, 1016 Virginia Street.

Warden—Frederick C. Trent.

Secretary—Wendell E. Green, 2304 Vine Street.

Treasurer—Hugh O. Cook, 2436 Montgall.

Committeemen—Raymond J. Knox, 4317 Penn Street; Charles West-Moreland, 2325 Lydia Avenue.

*My Dear Sir:* The figures under the head of Parochial statistics are given after careful corrections covering a period of four years. During this time the mission has lost by transfers to other cities and deaths, twenty eight communicants. It has also lost by perversion to other modes of Christian doctrine, discipline and worship, ten. During the past year we have been pursuing a work of reconstruction and now with two or three exceptions the working force of the mission is of entirely new personnel. It was necessary to start at the bottom and build up again. But what we are now doing is better done than before and the people in the mission are there because they believe in The Episcopal Church.

In the process of the four years' evolution above mentioned we have lost about \$375.00 per year in our receipts, which has rendered us unable to fulfill many obligations.

I am sir,

Reverently and obediently yours,

EDWARD S. WILLETT.

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#### ST. JOHN'S MISSION.

Missionary—Carl Reed Taylor, 525 Kensington Avenue.

Wardens—Baron J. Fradenburg, 3921 Harrison Street.

Secretary—Charles E. Taylor, 116A East 35th Street.

Treasurer—Alexander Johnson, 3437 East 7th Street.

Bishop's Committee—Baron J. Fradenburg, Charles E. Taylor, Alexander Johnson, Fred C. Adams, John Beckett, Lorenzo B. Deagle, John E. Gornall, Jay M. Lee, Donald G. Murray, Clarence L. Sanford.

At St. John's Chapel, 103 Oakley Avenue, we have a Sunday School of 75 children and five teachers in addition to the Sunday School at St. John's.

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#### LAMAR.

##### TRINITY MISSION.

Organized 1903.

Missionary—James Senior, Lamar, Mo.

Secretary—Mrs. Paul Tucker, Lamar, Mo.

Treasurer—Walter J. Miller, Lamar, Mo.

Vestrymen—Mrs. Walter J. Miller, Mrs. C. A. Lockwood.

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#### LEBANON.

##### TRINITY MISSION

Secretary—H. T. Wright, Lebanon, Mo.

Treasurer—E. T. Stebbins, Lebanon, Mo.

*Rt. Rev. and Dear Sir:* From this statement you will notice that this parish has been without a regular minister since 1905. The assessments have been regularly paid by six contributors, together with the Sunday School, who have given of their small income cheerfully, but feel the burden unjust compared with the greater ability of others who claim to be members and communicants. Lay services have been held as often as possible with an average of six attendants which has been rather discouraging.

Respectfully,

H. T. WRIGHT, Secretary.

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### **LIBERTY.**

#### **GRACE MISSION.**

Missionary—Carl R. Taylor, 525 Kensington Avenue, Kansas City.

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### **MOUND CITY.**

#### **ST. OSWALD MISSION.**

Organized, 1891.

Warden—Isaac Tyson, Skidmore, Mo.

Secretary—Miss Lizzie Tyson, Skidmore, Mo.

Treasurer—William Bowness, Fairfax, Mo.

Vestrymen—William Bowness, James Jackson.

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### **NEOSHO.**

#### **ST. JOHN'S MISSION.**

Organized June 28, 1889.

Secretary—W. R. Watson, Neosho, Mo.

Treasurer—Floyd N. Price, Neosho, Mo.

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### **ST. JOSEPH.**

#### **ST. LUKE'S CHURCH.**

Organized October, 1906.

Warden—J. T. Hendra.

Secretary—D. F. Walmsley, 301 Fleeman Street, Station "D."

Treasurer—F. E. Vancil, 5001 King Hill Avenue, Station "D".

Vestrymen—W. H. Vaughn, J. W. Vaughn, P. A. Sherwood, J. T. Hendra, F. E. Vancil, D. F. Walmsley.



## PAROCHIAL DIRECTORY.

**ST. JOSEPH.****ST. MATTHIAS' MISSION (Col.)**

Organized 1885

Missionary—Wm. S. D. Lamont, 1604 So. 11th Street.

Warden—Robert L. Scott

Secretary—Mrs. W. D. Hawkins, 1713 Angelique Street

Treasurer—Mrs. Idah Scott, 2205 Sylvania Street.

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**SAVANNAH.****ST. MARY'S MISSION.**

Organized 1855.

Priest in Charge—Edward Henry Eckel, St. Joseph, Mo.

Treasurer—Mrs. C. C. Christianson 608 Lincoln Street, Savannah, Mo.

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**WEBB CITY.****ST. PAUL'S MISSION.**

Organized 1899.

Missionary—Henry Erving Batcheller, St. Paul's Rectory, Webb City.

Warden—Fred H. Kellogg.

Secretary—E. W. Buskett, Cor. Daugherty and Christine, Carterville, Mo.

Treasurer—J. J. McLellan, 311 W 3rd Street, Webb City, Mo.

Vestrymen—F. H. Kellogg, F. S. Forlow, E. W. Buskett, Geo. Warring.

T. E. Cobb, Wright Sevey, F. M. Wallower

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**WEST PLAINS.****ALL SAINTS' MISSION**

Organized—Yes.

Missionary—R. J. Belt, West Plains, Mo.

Warden—Wm. W. Mantz, West Plains, Mo

Secretary—Joseph L. Knoerle, West Plains, Mo.

Treasurer—Richard Miller, West Plains, Mo.

Bishop's Committee—Richard Miller, Charles Brown.

*Rt. Rev. and Dear Sir:* Had a good Easter, the best in our history here. Best music, attendance and offering. A good showing for the little Mission. Attendance, 52; communicants, 25; offering, \$22.07. Last year: Attendance, 35; communicants, 30; offering, \$12.00. We had all our communicants out except those sick or away. Have had some removals and prospects of two more families going away. Low Sunday attendance 52, largely strangers, Easter music repeated. Extremely disagreeable weather last two Sundays. Warden Mantz's brother brought here and buried April 30. Mr. Gleerup, Treasurer, has resigned his office. Layman Mr. Richard Miller has consented to act as Treasurer for 1912-13. It has been simply impossible to send report earlier. Vicar will preside at Commercial Club dinner this week.

Recommend appointment of following committee for next year: R. J. Belt, W. W. Mantz, Warden; Joseph L. Knoerle, Secretary; Richard Miller, Treasurer; Charles Brown, Wm. T. Gleerup, Hubert Wood.

Most probably no delegates to Council. Mrs. Belt and I will attend.

Sincerely,

ROBERT JAMES BELT.

## PERSONAL REPORTS.

*To the Right Reverend Sidney Catlin Partridge, D. D., Bishop of Kansas City:*

*Right Reverend Father in God:* My report as your Missionary to Deaf Mutes is offered herewith. Characteristically it cannot differ much in matter or form from reports presented heretofore. However, I trust that a note of encouragement may be found therein, notwithstanding that the results of the year's work may appear numerically small. Statistics, as such, can never measure the operations of the Holy Spirit in any Missionary effort—particularly not in a work like this. Figures may, indeed, often point the truth, but as often as not they may be misleading; and it is not saying too much that sometimes they may be adapted to suit occasions. This report, therefore, aims to state the facts of our work among the deaf and dumb—on its merits.

During the past year I have held twenty-eight services in Kansas City. There was one baptism. Five social services and ten secular lectures fill out the measure of the work at Grace Church. In addition I had the help of a lay-reader for several months. In this way religious instructions was offered the people here every other Sunday. Unfortunately this lay-reader, baptized and confirmed here, was obliged to seek employment elsewhere, and is now in Detroit where he is rendering efficient help to the Church's Missionary in that district—one of my own "boys," by the way, whom I baptized over twenty years ago, and influenced to seek Holy Orders. In this connection you will perhaps allow the expression of a pardonable pride in the fact that he is one of six

whom I have thus far led to work in the Master's Vineyard. (I have another young man in view now to help me as lay-reader in the work at Grace Church).

I visited St. Joseph twice during the year; Webb City, Joplin and Carthage each four times. In all, I have to report fifty-three services during the period covered by this report, with many other gatherings not strictly for religious instructions. Two adults baptized in Webb City were recently confirmed in Kansas by the Bishop of East Oklahoma, and two others are preparing for the rite at the hands of the same Bishop in his own district.

In my last report I mentioned the fact that the people here were showing increased appreciation of the privileges offered them at Grace Church. Scarcely a week passes now where there is not a gathering of some kind in the Church or Guild Hall. The high water mark of attendance was reached within the past few months—ninety-seven at a lecture; and one hundred and thirty at my annual New Year's reception. The average attendance at services has never been higher. But losses by deaths and removals have reduced the number of confirmed persons from thirty to sixteen. Nearly all the people have already been baptized and most of them through their families are attached to the various denominations. Many of these will, in time, be brought into active Church connections; indeed, I encourage them to come to commune with this end in view.

The work in this Diocese is but a small part of my appointment. Licensed by fourteen other Bishops in the Trans-Mississippi district the territory in which I itinerate covers a vast area—from the Father of Waters to the Canyons of the Rockies, and from the border of Canada to the Gulf of Mexico; the only Church worker among 10,000 people; how much can be expected or demanded locally in such a field. So this work is general; and the support granted me in any one Diocese is but a modicum of the whole. During the year I have served the Dioceses of Kansas, Colorado, Nebraska, Iowa, Texas and Dallas, and the Missionary Districts of Oklahoma, East Oklahoma, Salina, West Colorado, and South Dakota. I have also taken duty for fellow workers in Ohio, Southern Ohio, Indianapolis, Western Michigan, Wisconsin, Chicago and Missouri. In all, I have reached more than four thousand people in fifty-five places, including eight State Schools for the Deaf with approximately two thousand pupils. My itinerary included traveling over fifty thousand miles, as high as eight thousand in one month.

The Baptisms administered by myself numbered twenty-four. In several instances candidates prepared by me have, through family and other influences received the sacrament at the hands of others outside the Church. This happened not long ago in the case of six at a small Kansas town where the Church has no foothold; and in another case a number of young people at a state school after a long period of instructions by myself were baptized by local pastors or "evangelists" during a pro-

longed "revival." While I cannot enter these in my records, I feel that I am none the less entitled to whatever credit may accrue, and eventually some, if not all of these, will be brought to confirmation.

My receipts were as follows:

Kansas City, deaf mutes .....	\$15.85
Kansas City, St. Paul's .....	41.97
Kansas City, St. John's .....	3.35
Webb City, deaf mutes .....	4.11
Carthage, deaf mutes .....	3.00
St. Joseph, deaf mutes .....	.75
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Total offerings .....	\$68.85
Bishop's Purse .....	75.00
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	\$143.85

The outlay for traveling expenses, printing, postage and lay-readers' fees was \$141.10, leaving a balance, April 1, 1913, of \$2.75.

I cannot forbear expressing the wish that the expenses might be met by offerings from the Parishes rather than that the Bishop's Purse should be called on to fill the breach at every deficit. As will be noticed, only two Parishes made offerings.

At the recent Missionary Council, on the Bishop's invitation I offered a resolution for the consideration of the Council, having in view some place whereby this Mission might be sustained by united departmental action. The matter was referred to the new "Board of Survey" of which our valued co-worker, and my dear personal friend, Rev. Mr. Eckel, is a member, and I am hopeful that some workable plan may be devised by the time of the Tulsa meeting next January. And in this connection I beg to volunteer the suggestion that this Diocese appoint a commission to deal with other Dioceses and bring about concurrent action in both the Departments in which I work.

With kind appreciation of your own interest in this work as well as your personal kindnesses to myself, I ask the continued sympathy and prayers of yourself and your people in my Mission—under the blessing of God.

Faithfully and obediently submitted,

J. M. KOEHLER,

Kansas City, May 14, 1913.

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TO THE RT. REV. SIDNEY CATLIN PARTRIDGE, D. D.,  
*Bishop of Kansas City.*

*Right Reverend Father in God:* St. Simon's Nursery House has for the past six months had no less than twenty-three resident children and most of the time as many as thirty, often as many as thirty-three. Of these from fifteen to twenty have been wards of the County Court for

which we receive only \$7.50 per month each. All these children are to be fed, clothed, doctored and nursed by us. It goes without saying that if we are to continue our work we must receive liberal contributions from generous friends. It costs from \$200 to \$250 per month, pay rent, pay help, buy fuel, clothing, school books, medicine and food for the care of such a number of children as mentioned above. At present our quarters are too small and without any such conveniences as will admit of the lowest degree of respectability in living. Our location is also bad from both a sanitary and a moral point of view.

Our first great need is for a sufficient sum to be placed into the hands of our Bishop to pay a competent matron and also a registered nurse. They would cost about \$50 per month each.

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD S. WILLETT.

May 1, 1911.

Rt. Rev. Sidney Catlin Partridge, D. D.

Dear Sir: As supplementary to the tabulated statistics, as gathered from parochial reports, the Archdeacon reports the following records of items not included therein:

	Holy Com.	Other Services.	Baptisms.	Burials.	Sermons.
Aurora—Trinity . . . . .	2	2	1	..	2
Boonville—Christ . . . . .	2	2	..	..	4
Brunswick—St. Paul . . . . .	2	3	..	..	5

At Brunswick the church building, which had fallen into decay, is being restored; \$362.00 has been raised so far for this object. A confirmation class is awaiting the next visitation of the Bishop. Present Communicants, 10.

	Holy Com.	Other Services.	Baptisms.	Burials.	Sermons.
Butler—St. Mark . . . . .	2	..	..	..	1
Cameron—St. John . . . . .	1	1	..	1	1

At Cameron the church building was partially wrecked by a storm. The damage has been now repaired, including a new set of stained glass windows on one side of the edifice.

	Holy Com.	Other Services.	Baptisms.	Burials.	Sermons.
Carrollton—St. Paul . . . . .	3	6	..	1	8

At Carrollton Dr. Pettit, long the devoted Warden, has passed away within the year, and Mr. Roy H. Monier is acting in his place. Mr. Monier maintains a weekly lay service, under direction of the Archdeacon.

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Clinton—St. Paul.....	2	5	..	1	5
Fayette—St. Mary.....	3	1	..	..	4

Fayette has been placed under the charge of Rev. Mr. Rafter, Rector of Boonville.

	Holy Com.	Other Services.	Baptisms.	Burials.	Sermons.
Hamilton—Trinity .....	1	2	..	..	3

At Hamilton the church building has been partly restored, but not sufficiently for services, which are held in a private house.

	Holy Com.	Other Services.	Baptisms.	Burials.	Sermons.
Harrisonville—St. Peter..	3	3	..	1	5
Lebanon—Trinity .....	6	5	..	..	10
Lee's Summit—St. Paul...	3	1	2	..	4
Marshall—Trinity .....	1	1	..	1	2
Maryville—St. Paul.....	2	2	..	..	4
Higginsville .....	1	..	..	..	..
Monett—St. Stephen.....	1	2	..	..	2

Monett has been placed under the charge of Rev. Mr. Batcheller, recently ordained Priest, and having charge also of St. Paul's Church, Webb City.

	Holy Com.	Other Services.	Baptisms.	Burials.	Sermons.
Mt. Grove—St. Mark.....	2	1	..	..	2
Nevada—All Saints.....	1	1	5	..	2
Plattsburg—St. Mary.....	6	5	..	..	7
Richmond .....	3	4	..	1	4

At Richmond we have a lot for a church building and the ladies are actively engaged in raising a building fund, which now amounts to several hundred dollars.

	Holy Com.	Other Services.	Baptisms.	Burials.	Sermons.
Trenton—St. Philip.....	2	1	..	..	3
Versailles.....	2	1	6	..	2

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD C. JOHNSON.

## APPENDIX.

## AUDITING COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., July 1, 1912.

TO THE RT. REV. SIDNEY CATLIN PARTRIDGE, D. D.,  
*Bishop of Kansas City.*

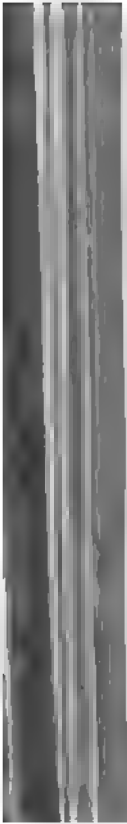
The committee on finance appointed at the last Diocesan Council has examined the accounts of Mr. H. L. Arnold, treasurer of the Diocese of Kansas City; of Mr. B. C. Howard, treasurer of the Diocesan Board of Missions; of Mr. James Mackenzie, treasurer of the permanent episcopal fund, and finds everything in strict agreement with the reports or the treasurers.

A. C. STOWELL,  
BENJAMIN B. LEE,  
H. L. ARNOLD,  
*Committee.*

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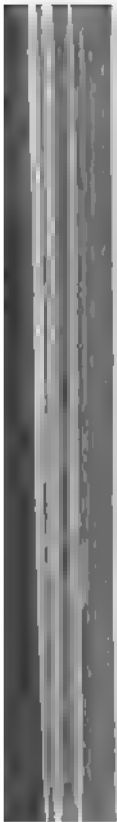


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5	1,743	1,650	1,809	1,941	1,570	1,682	1,566
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8	287	253	196	248	168	327	218
0	113	122	120	131	142	139	140
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4	508,888	512,232	501,553.00	665,872.84	513,050.00	665,174.93	511,272.89
5	57,965	41,315	79,879.43	107,592.29	108,440.70	128,851.81	108,987.43
4	78,648	73,035	78,226.25	133,972.77	73,641.27	71,960.19	64,203.39
4	9,446	9,853	11,949.42	12,676.29	9,760.41	9,948.71	8,216.57
5	2,448	2,126	1,879.42	3,286.84	2,882.98	2,804.68	3,817.12

CARL REED TAYLOR, Secretary.



# The General Clergy Relief Fund

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The Official, General Society for Pension and Relief  
Covering the Whole Church

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The General Convention recommends an annual offering from every congregation; that a percentage of the Communion Alms be given to this fund; that it be remembered in legacies, bequests, and wills, and gives to it the royalty on the Hymnals.

This fund systematically provides pension and relief for over 500 persons in all dioceses.

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# CANONICAL AND STATED OFFERINGS

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**Diocesan Assessment . . . . . Quarterly**  
**HARRY L. ARNOLD, Treas., Suite 1013 Commerce Bldg.,**  
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**Diocesan Missions . . . . . Quarterly**  
**B. C. HOWARD, Treasurer Diocesan Missionary Board,**  
**Commerce Trust Co., Kansas City**

**General Clergy Relief Fund . . . . . Christmas Day**  
**REV. A. J. P. McCLURE, 12th and Walnut Sta., Philadelphia**

**Permanent Episcopal Fund . . . . . 2nd Sunday in Lent**  
**JAMES MACKENZIE, Treas., R. A. Long Bldg., Kansas City**

**Theological Education Fund . . . . . Trinity Sunday**  
**HARRY L. ARNOLD, Treas., Suite 1013 Commerce Bldg.,**  
**Kansas City**

**The following are recommended and by the terms of Canon**  
**52 of the General Convention, an offering for**  
**General Missions is Obligatory**

**Prayer Book Distribution Society .....Whitsunday**  
**Domestic Missions .....1st Sunday in Advent**  
**Foreign Missions.....2nd Sunday after Epiphany**  
**Missions to Colored People.....Quinquagesima Sunday**  
**Missions to Indians.....4th Sunday after Easter**  
**American Church Building Fund.....22nd Sunday after Trinity**

**GEORGE GORDON KING, Treas., Church Mission House,**  
**281 Fourth Avenue, New York City**

**Missions to the Jews .....Good Friday**  
**WM. G. DAVIES, Treas., 68 East 7th St., New York City**

**Missions to Deaf Mutes .....12th Sunday after Trinity**  
**REV. J. M. KOEHLER, 415 W. 13th St., Kansas City**







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